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GO 259

Dist. Central Mo  
Harrington Mo Dec 25/  
Cts

Phillips Colonel John. J.



Head Quarters West Coast Mo  
Warrrensburg Mo Dec 25 1854

Special Orders

No 259

I Captain W R Devin Com Sub  
Jefferson City Mo will issue (in accordance  
with Orders regulating the issuance of Subsistence  
Stores to indigent persons) upon requisitions  
drawn by the Post Commander at Jefferson City  
Mo thirty day rations to each of the following named Persons.

Maranda Chaney and four Children  
Isabella Woolsey and four Children

II Par 5 & 6 Special Orders No 255 C.S.  
from these Head Quarters is hereby revoked.

By Order of Col. John S. Phillips Comd'g

A. T. Hunt

Capt & a. a. a. Genl

W<sup>o</sup> Cav Dept Mo

13701

St Louis Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Sar Capt Candy  
Prov. Guard

Names of Soldiers Wives  
who reside in Bremen

F. A. Catzgers

B

Office Provost Guard

St. Louis December 3<sup>d</sup>/64

Lieut. J. B. Braden  
Post. Adjt.

Sir.

I have the honor to transmitt herewith my report womens living on 2<sup>nd</sup> and Ferry Str New Bremen & found that the within named women occupys one small room each with their children of whom ar about 8-10 in number their husbands belong to the Battery M. 2<sup>nd</sup> Mo. Vols. City and as they did not send money home the women are not just now able to pay their rent which they are willing to do as soon as possible all of them are industrious but can not make more then \$2.00 a week which amount is not sufficient to buy half their necessaries wants I did hear no complains about the neighbor hood

I am very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt.

Felix Jais Capt  
Comdg. Pr. Guard

Mrs. Wm. Strickland  
Mrs. J. P. Cunn.

Co "M" 2<sup>nd</sup> Mo. Artillery  
Capt. Paul Mann

Mrs. Geo. Brown,

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Ferry Street  
East, in Bremen

William Carroll  
carrier 19 W. & Ches. St.  
Avenue.



For Yrs Detachment 9<sup>th</sup> Cav Regt  
13702 Glasgow Mo. Dec 20/64

Respectfully returned with  
information that no disposition  
whatever was shown by these  
petitioners to rid themselves of  
the Guerrillas and robbers that  
infested their country last Fall.

An Effort was made by  
some of them in the Fall of  
1863 to procure arms from the  
Govt, to fight thieves, with  
the stipulation that they were  
not to be expected to  
molest "regular Confederate  
soldiers." I remarked that  
so much confidence be not  
placed in them

R. Leonard  
Maj 9<sup>th</sup> Cav Regt

File  
✓

A. D. D. No. 100. L. B. L. H.

Macon Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

List

List of citizens of Boonville  
Township who desire to form  
a Home guard for mutual  
defense & protection.

Read in Dist. Court

Macon Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 64

Respectfully refers to Mag  
R Leonard Cowley of Paul Hargov  
for his endorsement & recommendation

By Order of the Court  
L. B. 130 W. T. Clark  
1<sup>st</sup> Clerk

We loyal Citizens of Boonslick Township  
agree to enroll ourselves as a Militia home guard  
for our mutual protection. and for the  
purpose of putting down Bushwhacking  
Thieving & Robbing. and to restore peace  
and quiet in this Section of our County,

Joel Ham  
John Ham  
Kingsbury Rivett  
Jack Rivett  
Charles Houchins  
A W Woods  
Wm Johnson  
J W Embree  
A G Wm  
J. R. Wilcox  
John Deviney  
G C Mc Gafack  
Stephen Smith

Stephen Callaway  
Benjeman Harroll  
James Grisel  
Joel Wells  
John Amick  
Edward Simpson  
John Bobbitt  
G. J. Gerwin  
John Rice  
George W Fisher  
Thomas Campbell  
Thomas Cunningham

To the Commander of Post Glasgow mo.

We the undersigned, Loyal Citizens of  
 Brossloch Township Howard Co. agree to enroll our-  
 selves as a Home Guard militia company, for our  
 mutual protection, and for the purpose of putting  
 down Bushwhacking, Theiving, & Robbing, and  
 preserving the Peace, order & Quiet of this Section  
 of our County.

1	Mo M Kivitt	27	St Pyrum	52	St M Bonham
2	Jas Sims	28	Hyrum Milkerson	53	Mo 2 Calloway
3	Mr. Phillips	29	Jacob Fisher	54	Saml Carson
4	J. A. Fisher	30	L Cumpston	55	Geo Gravelly
5	Ben Pyrum	31	G. W. Amick	56	Mr Wells
6	R Burnett	32	Geo W Sperry	57	Jas overstreet
7	R D Burnett	33	Mo Cumpston		
8	St. Duerren	34	Addison Cumpston		
9	Jas Adams	35	Mo W Strapp		
10	A. J. Jones	36	Alfred Milkerson		
11	Mo S Kivitt	37	Liv Burton		
12	Stephen Lacey	38	Jas Meadrick		
13	Philip Adams	39	Christopher Woods		
14	L. W. Milkerson	40	Mr Stanley		
15	Geo Knot	41	Mr D Shelton		
16	L. Amick	42	B. P. Cropper		
17	Jas Dunfield	43	Adam Woods		
18	Mo W Sperry	44	L. D. Kivitt		
19	S. A. Sperry	45	Wright Sartain		
20	H. D. Sperry	46	Jas J Jones		
21	Mo Jones	47	D P Bloyd		
22	Lindy Carson	48	Mo S McCart		
23	L. J. Humming	49	Jas Chipley		
24	Hugh Lowe	50	John Wiseman		
25	Geo Bodle	51	Mr Quinley		

Franklin J. 13703

Pg 2 of December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Proves, Major Genl.  
Part 4 of J. G.  
Col. of Prov. Mar. Genl.

Reports number of  
wounded rebels for-  
warded, states that he  
has investigated the case  
of General ~~Citizens~~ of that  
place and encloses copy  
of order issued by him  
respecting them.

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Richd. M. G. S. C. Secretary

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Head-Quarters Department of the Cumberland,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL.

Franklin Tenn Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 9<sup>o</sup> C. P. M. 1864  
Professor W. D. Whipple  
Chief of Staff

I succeeded in getting off about 300 of the wounded men this morning. The Hospital train returned this evening about 4<sup>o</sup> C. but the trains which have been lying here since yesterday were still on the track & prevented the train from running in & while it was lying about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile the other side of the river another train from Ashville came out & destroying one car & throwing several others off the track & killing one soldier. I think the whole thing a piece of conspire.

General. I have been spending the afternoon in investigating the character of some citizens here & find that many of them who have been receiving favors from our Govt. were the most active in aiding

Head-Quarters Department of the Cumberland,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL.

the rebels when they come in here  
to be persecuting the Union people  
who live here - some of these men  
have been trading and now hold  
Mil. permits - after a pretty  
thorough investigation I found to  
the Post Commandant an order a  
copy of which I enclose for your  
information to which I think you  
will approve

St Col. A Matzdorff 75<sup>th</sup> Pa. is in  
command of the Post here but the  
Union people think he is not the  
proper man for the position - he has  
commanded here before - I must say  
that from the opportunity I have had to  
observe him, I consider him quite  
deficient in administrative capacity  
The town is very poor but he is generally  
quite the reverse - I remain

General

Your obedt Servt

J. S. Parkhurst  
Prov.



(60p)

For the reformation  
of the Major General  
Commanding

(Copy)

Head-Quarters Department of the Cumberland,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

Franklin Tenn Dec 23

1864

Orders

It having been established at these  
Head Quarters that the following Citizens of Franklin  
viz:

Jacob Morton - Charles Crouch - Newton C. Witt  
N. G. Postwid - Norflect Figgins - J. North - Benj. Brown  
John Wells - Edward Wells - Wm. H. Brown -  
Robert Foom - Mrs. Bradley & Charles Wall - have  
in the recent invasion of Tennessee by the rebel  
army rendered the rebel cause substantial  
aid - and used their means & influence  
against the United States Government. Therefore  
the Major General Commanding directs that you  
prohibit any and all of them from conduct-  
ing either directly or indirectly any trade  
or commercial transactions within the  
limits of the Post of Franklin

J. G. Bushner  
Col of Provost Genl

St. Val. A. Matzdorff  
Commanding Post of Franklin

St Louis Mo.  
Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Roberts Geo W.

Reports that neither  
of his sons-in-law  
have been released.

Wishes the order for  
their release be given  
him so he can go  
to Alton & return home  
with them.

I do

J P M, Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

St Louis Dec 5. 1864  
Col Joseph Barr Jr  
Acting Provost Marshall General  
U. S.

St Louis Mo  
Dear Sir

David P. Lemen  
and Robert McKittrick of Saline County  
both sons-in-law of mine were released  
on Bond & oath on Tuesday and Friday  
the first with \$1000<sup>00</sup> Bond with Jas  
S. Garnhart & Dr Herriford, and the  
latter with \$500<sup>00</sup> Bond with Geo.  
W. Roberts.

My present object is to advise that  
neither have yet been released  
and I have been anxiously  
awaiting their arrival here, and  
request as a special favor their  
release given - were so that I may  
be able to go to Alton, & return home  
with them.

Very Respectfully Yours  
Geo. W. Roberts

Copy of M. G. V. 1/14

13705

St. Louis Mo  
Dec 23<sup>d</sup> 1864

Pro. Mar. Genl. Office of  
C. P. M. G. A. P. M. G.

In relation to Wm. Buddlestone  
and Emis Hooper who  
are ordered before a Mil.  
Commission.

File.

C. P. M. G. Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

From Military Commission  
St Louis Mo. Dec. 24/64

Respectfully returned to Lt.  
C. C. H. Davis P.M.G. with  
the information that Ernie  
Hooper and Am. Riddleston  
are ordered to be tried on the  
charges of Murder and Disloyal  
Practices, respectively, and  
that their removal to this  
City is necessary.

Wm. C. Clark

Ensign and Judge Adv.

file

order the  
prisoner to  
be  
sent

✓ Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri.

OFFICE OF PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL.

St. Louis, Decr. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1864.

Lt. )  
In answer to your communication of this date asking that William Huddleston and Ennis Hooper be brought before your court at once for trial, I have the honor to inform you that Ennis Hooper is now confined at Alton prison under sentence, and W. C. Huddleston was sent there also for exchange Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864. They will be brought down if you so desire.

Very Respectfully  
Your obt. servt.

W. M. Davis,

Lt. Col. and Actg. Pro. Mar., Genl.  
Lieut. Albert D. Clarke }  
Judge Advocate }  
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2715 OP No 8 2/24

13706

St Louis Mo  
Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Petition  
B. S. Adams et al. prisoners

Ask that some of the  
money taken from them  
at Fulton be returned,

file

U.S. Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864



Q 715 OP No 8 7/2/04

John

Dear Sir

With money in your  
possession

John

Open Order

Respectfully returned  
I have the names of all  
transfers made  
except the last one on the  
list. She is a James S.  
Whiting has credit on my  
books for 200 but no such  
name as Whiting too appears.  
I will meet the Queen this  
afternoon and give the Queen's  
copy.

J. E. Fisher  
Proctor

Traders Street Prison December 29  
Colonel Davis

Sir

We the undersigned Prisoners had our  
Money taken from us at Fultons Wh. -  
and have not received any receipt for  
the same and we wish to have a  
receipt as we are needing money

We remain your humble Servants

- ✓ Baxter S. Norris \$10.10
- ✓ Lockard. W. Norris \$2.60
- ✓ Henry B. Norris \$22.80
- ✓ William. K. Alexander \$4.75
- ✓ Christopher S. Alexander \$4.30
- ✓ Abner. H. Bennett \$1.15
- ✓ Samuel H. Hudson 2.20
- ✓ James Croswell \$35.00
- ✓ Joseph Croswell \$12
- ✓ James Croswell \$12.10
- ✓ James. S. Whitington

1648 O I No 9 2/4

13707

Washington D.C.  
Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Payee Thomas J.  
Laffington P. H.

In relation to horses taken  
from them by the rebels  
during the late raid.

O.P.M. Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1864

Headquarters Department of the Mo.,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, Mo., Decr. 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully

returned to Messrs.  
Thomas J. Payne and  
B. H. Sappington, who  
will apply to the Officer,  
who has their property in  
his possession, and furnish the  
required proofs of their legal  
right to such property to him.

Joseph Warr  
Atty. Geo. Man Galt

Washington Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt Edwards  
have wrote Dear Sir I  
in St Louis in regard to our  
horses left in your charge I can  
say nothing more than to say I can  
prove the horses by no other name  
in this country I hope to hear from  
you very soon as to where the horses  
are I send enclosed the letter I  
wrote to Joseph Warr plus his  
instructions with the proof of the  
horses yours

J. T. Payne  
B. B. Coffey jun

9  
Hilton Head Is. S. C.  
726  
13708  
Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Dear Sir  
No. 140  
Albany N. Y.

Enclosed letters  
of application from  
Francis come through the  
lines, from employees  
of his department.

3 Enclosures =

Recd F. H. O. Dec 22. 1864  
726 N. Y. S. S. O. (1864)



1864

CH. 25. 2 of 10. 11 1/2  
HEADQUARTERS, Dept of the South  
Hilton Head, S.C. Dec 21 1864

Respectfully refused to  
Lieut Col S. S. Woodford  
Major of Tenth Regt U.S.

By command of  
Maj Gen J. G. Burleson  
W. H. Raper  
M. K. ...

Head Quarters  
Department  
of the South, Hilton  
Head, S.C., Dec 31/64

Respectfully returned to  
Capt. John Hays, U. S. M., with  
the request that he will report  
hereon the full name & resi-  
dence or address of each person  
for whom passes are asked  
within, so that I may know  
where & to whom to send  
the desired passes.

By command of Maj. Gen. Foster,

Albert L. Woodford  
Lieut. Col. & Flag of Tenth  
Regt.

Off Asst of Mr  
William H. S. C.  
Jan 2/65

Respectfully returned -  
Mrs Bridget Ryan care  
to friend at the residence  
of Rev P O'Neil - Cor King &  
Lion St - Charleston -  
Mrs Mary Fitzgerald - No 8  
Smith St - Charleston -  
Mrs Catharine Gleason  
121 St. Philip St  
Charleston -

J. M. Hays  
Captain 10th Regt

Rec'd again F. of J. O. Jan 2/64

Office Assistant Quartermaster,

DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH,

Hilton Head, S. C.

Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Captain W. L. M. Binger  
West Adjt Genl  
Captain:

I have the honor  
to forward enclosed for the consideration  
of the Maj Gen Comd'g - three letters  
from employees of my Dept - They  
are employed on the dock & uniform  
men, they have everything arranged for  
their families, provided they are allowed  
to come inside the lines.

I am, Captain  
Yours respectfully,  
G. M. Hayes  
G. M. Hayes  
Adjutant G. M.



P. B. 554 Kelly 04

Wilton Head Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major Gen Foster Commanding  
Department of the South

Dear Gen

I the under signed left  
Charleston on the 14<sup>th</sup> of November  
and reached Wilton Head on the  
22<sup>nd</sup> We understood when leaving there  
that if we succeeded in crossing the  
lines we could get a permit to  
get my family over also I therefore  
humbly request that you permit  
Bridget Ryan and her three  
children to follow me  
your very obedient and humble  
servant Cornelius Ryan

P. B. 584. H. (A) 64

Hilton Head Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1764

Major Gen. J. B. Foster.

Commanding, D, S

Sir the un-  
designed, left Charleston on  
the 14<sup>th</sup> of November and  
arrived at Hilton Head, on 22<sup>nd</sup>  
I understood before leaving  
them, that if I could get safely  
through the lines, that I could  
at any time, send for my wife  
and two children.

I now Respectfully ask Permission  
for them to come from Charleston  
on the Flag of Truce Boat, for  
which I humbly Pray  
Your obedient servant  
Phos Fitzgerald

1858, 17 May

Hilton Head December 20 1864

Major Gen Foster Commanding  
Department of the South

Dear Gen

The undersigned left Charleston on 17<sup>th</sup> of last  
month and reached Hilton Head on the 20<sup>th</sup>  
I understood when leaving there that if I succeeded  
in crossing the lines that I should get permit  
to get over my wife and child also I therefore  
~~the~~ humbly request that you permit Mrs  
Sabrina Gleason and child Matthew Gleason  
to follow me I am under sincere thanks  
Yours very humble and  
Obedient servant  
Thomas Gleason

No. 1416 of No. 7 1/2

13709

St Louis Mo.  
Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Mr. Dept. of the  
Frank Em. A. S. Genl.

The following named  
persons at their own  
request will be sent South.  
Mrs Nancy Shields,  
Miss Mattie Shields, Mrs Anna  
Trigg, Mrs Susan Trigg, Miss  
Lucy Trigg, Miss Flora Trigg,  
Miss Anna Trigg, and  
Willie Trigg.

File

Only Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

AC No. 315 Dec. 10/64

W. H. Miller

In  
File



Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Colonel            The General Comd<sup>y</sup>  
directs that at their own request  
You send the following named persons  
South via Little Rock, and Camden Ark  
They will not return during the war  
on penalty of imprisonment. To wit,

Mrs Nancy Shields

Miss Mattie Shields

Mrs Anna Trigg

Mrs Susan Trigg

Miss Sue Trigg

"        Flora Trigg

"        Annie Trigg

Willie Trigg

I am Col Very Respectfully

Col J. D. Carr

Your obt Servant

A. P. M. Genl Dept of the

Wm. M. G.            a General

13710 Dec. 1870  
Year 1. L. N. D. U. C.

Yonley J. D.

Atty.

Forwards Petition of W. Keats and  
others, to have a certain lot of  
Cotton, the property of said Keats  
released from an attachment  
as per accompanying order of  
L. W. Gearick Post. Supr. of Ormeau  
view upon the representations  
of Thos. Bass, that W. Keats  
as a former partner in raising  
the cotton, yet owe to him, all of his  
claimed indebtedness has once  
been fully adjusted & settled, in  
a Court of law. The Petitioners  
further ask for protection from  
further annoyance from said  
Bass upon this matter

Hed. Quar. Dept. of Ark  
Little Rock Dec 20 1864  
Respectfully referred to  
Maj. E. S. Fry Dodge ad-  
vocate for his remarks  
Three papers to be  
returned  
By order of  
Maj. Gen. J. J. Reynolds  
W. D. Brown  
Lt. Col. A. S. Paul

Office Judge Advocate  
Dec 27 1864

It appears from the  
within papers that a  
settlement was had be-  
fore Maj. Sargeant Supt  
Frederick, of certain Co-  
partnership business  
involving rights & interests  
of Wash Keeto & Lorn  
Bass & that an order  
is procured of said

settlement was made  
by Maj. Sargeant which  
order is still in force  
No action can be  
sustained by either of  
said parties against  
the other, based on  
any claims growing  
out of said partner-  
ship, which existed  
and was submitted  
for adjudication at  
the time said hearing  
was had & order made

A. E. L. Jones  
Major & Inspector

Office Post Supt  
Little Rock Ark

Dec 20/24

Washington Treats  
Sir

An affidavit having  
been made at this office for a non return  
regarding your case as to further visits  
"Shoe" "Bass" You are hereby ordered  
not to ship any cotton whatever until  
further orders.

By Order of  
S. W. Yeaman  
Capt & Post Supt  
Friedman

You will also appear at this  
Office immediately.

By Order of  
S. W. Yeaman  
Capt & Post Supt

Office Post Supr. Treasurer  
Little Rock Ark  
Decr 21/86

Washington Keato  
Sir

You are hereby  
notified to appear at this on the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
day of Decr 1866 for the purpose of a  
settlement with "Thos" Bass

By Order of  
C. W. Hearick  
Capt & Post Supr

Office, Superintendent and Provost Marshal of Freedmen,  
STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov 28<sup>th</sup>, 1864.

Wash. Keats et al  
vs  
Thomas Bass

After a careful, fair and impartial examination of the subject matter in dispute, when each party was present in person or by attorney, during all the proceedings and where compulsory process was issued by subpoena and otherwise to compel the attendance of witnesses &c who were duly sworn to testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, and where the interrogatories and answers were submitted to writing, and now forms part of the record, by virtue of authority vested in me by order of the Sec. of War, and by Special Order of Maj. Genl. F. Steele by whom this case was referred for final action.

The following is announced as the decision in this case.

That— on the first day of March, A. D. 1864, Wash. Keats and Tom Bass held a separate and distinct lease of land from Mrs. Theibault,  
That— soon after a co-partnership was formed

known under the name & style of Bass & Reate, which included the working of their separate lands, hands, tools, mules & horses and the joint use of farming implements, rations & forage, individual skill and moneys in the management of the same.

That - on or about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1864 that partnership was dissolved by mutual consent, and

That - a division of the land and crops, by said parties was made as follows, to wit:

Statis was to take 80 acres lot on Gin Cut.

" " " " 20 " lower field or upper well cut

Bass " " " 20 " back of cabins or house cut.

" " " " 60 " lower piece or lower well cut.

That - the cotton taken by Bass on House Cut being his own the ~~provision~~ <sup>provision</sup> to restrain him from selling or disposing of the same is not granted.

That - the former decision made by Lieut. A. Garrison Post Supt. of Freedmen, Little Rock in this action is sustained and confirmed and is as follows,



# Copy of former decision

1<sup>st</sup> - The said Thomas Bass shall have to gather and dispose of all the cotton on the piece of land known to the parties, as the "House cut" on the said Washington Keate's lease and the piece of land known as the "Lower well cut" on said Bass's lease.

2<sup>nd</sup> The said Washington Keate shall have to gather and dispose of, all the cotton on the piece of land known to the parties as the "Gin cut" on his own lease, and the piece known as the "Upper well cut" on said Bass's lease -

3<sup>d</sup> The said Thomas Bass shall pay the said Washington Keate the sum of One hundred (\$100) dollars as the undivided one half of Corn and fruit raised on said plantation this year, all of which will be strictly and faithfully observed by both parties -

By Order of  
W. G. Sargent  
Maj<sup>r</sup> & Lt. Fredman

State of Arkansas  
J. B. Rainie  
Lt. & Asst. Supt.

To H. D. Green Lieut Col and A. A. General  
Department of Arkansas

John Tass, David Horner and Washington  
Heals by their petition most re-  
spectfully show that by the judgment  
and consummation of W. F. Sargent Major  
& Co. Inventor of Freedmen acting  
under and by authority of the War  
Dept, and special order of Major  
Steel, certain matters then in dispute  
between your petitioners and Thomas  
Bass a colored man, in respect to  
their respective rights and interests  
growing of a partnership, which  
had existed between your petitioners  
and said Bass, from about the first  
of March to July the 9<sup>th</sup> 1864, which  
said partnership, related to the cul-  
tivation of a crop of cotton on the  
Hubbuck farm, were adjudged and  
decided, which decision is made by  
the said W. F. Sargent Major & Co. is hereto  
annexed and prayed to be taken  
and considered as part of this petition.

That all the matters then in dispute  
between your petitioners and said Bass  
touching said partnership and their

respective rights and liabilities as part-  
ners, and <sup>all</sup> accounts and demands ex-  
isting <sup>between them</sup>, were fully considered, adjusted  
and determined, by the decision made  
by the said Maj Sargent, as will fully  
and at large appear by reference to  
said decision, <sup>as is annexed</sup>; and that  
your petitioners relying upon said deci-  
sion, have hoped that all differences  
between them and said Bass, growing  
out of said copartnership relations  
had been settled, and determined, by  
said decision, and that the same  
would be treated, by all in authority  
as of binding force and effect, and  
in conclusively settling all matters in  
dispute between your petitioners and  
said Bass, relating to said copartner-  
ship, but as it is the said Bass has  
instituted suit against ~~one of your~~  
~~petitioners~~, Washington Keels, one of  
your petitioners ~~for a large sum of~~  
~~money~~ <sup>to</sup> before Capt Garrison  
Actt Dist of Freedom, upon a demand  
for a large sum of money for rations  
and supplies furnished and consumed  
in continuance, and for the use and  
benefit of said copartnership, and

for which said Bass was allowed credit by the said Maj Sargent at the trial had before him as aforesaid of which said Suit so instituted as aforesaid said Capt Garrick Sup<sup>ts</sup> has taken Cognizance and jurisdiction, ~~some time~~ and by his writ of Summons, has commanded, Haslington Keats one of your petitioners to be and appear before him at his office in the City of Little Rock, on 23<sup>d</sup> Inst, then and there to answer the Suit of said Bass,

That your petitioners by their attorney have exhibited to said Capt Garrick a true Copy of the decision and finding of the said Maj Sargent in the premises, and moved him to dismiss the Suit of said Bass for the reason that the subject matter of said Suit had already been determined by the decision of the said Maj Sargent but the said Capt Garrick refuses to dismiss the same, and continues to take Cognizance and jurisdiction of said Suit, notwithstanding the said demand for which said Bass now Sues, was passed upon and

determined in the former suit between  
your petitioners, and said Bass, by the  
said Capt Garrick <sup>sometimes</sup> pretending, that the  
subject matter of the <sup>General</sup> ~~Suit~~ now sued  
for by said Bass, <sup>was</sup> not passed upon  
in the former suit; and at other  
times, that he has the right to open  
and review the decision made by  
Maj Sargent, in the premises, notwith-  
standing the said Sargent is Superi-  
or in rank and Authority to him  
the said Capt Garrick.

Your petitioners further say that  
they are neither of them, ever had  
any business transactions, or dealing  
with said Bass, except in relation  
to said Corporation, and that all  
matters relating thereto, were argued  
and decided by Maj Sargent, at said  
former trial, and that said Bass  
then had opportunity, and by his  
own and the oath of others, proved  
what sum of provisions supplies  
rations money & other capital stock  
he had furnished to said Corpora-  
tion, and had credit for the same  
and that said Sargent was fully  
averse of all the rights that the

said Bass had in <sup>the</sup> previous, at the  
time of making said former decision,  
and that <sup>the</sup> Bass as well by said de-  
cision as by the statute of this  
State in such cases, made and  
provided, is forever barred and  
excluded from having or maintain-  
ing any suit in respect to matters  
relating to said, Copartnership.

By our petitioners further say that  
they have fully paid off and satis-  
fied, all demands against them  
for services and labor of freedmen  
in and about <sup>the</sup> Cultivation of said  
crop of Cotton, to the full satisfaction  
of the Officers of the Revenue Dept,  
from whom they have received an  
Authority, to ~~send~~ ship their Cotton to  
the Port of Cairn, and that they  
owe no debt or demand, which  
is by law regulated as a port  
of Call, a lien upon the Cotton of  
your petitioners, Yet the said Capt  
Garrick, has by his orders, <sup>forbidding</sup> your  
petitioners ~~not~~ to ship their said  
Cotton, unless they will first pay  
to said Bass the pretended demand  
he has sued on,

Wherefore your petitioners pray that  
said Capt Garrick be ordered to  
release (your petitioners Cotton from  
Arrest, and to permit them to sleep  
the same; And that the question  
as to whether the former adjudication  
was conclusive, as to the matter  
arising out of the said Corpora-  
tion, be referred to the proper Law  
officer of the Dept, and if the  
same is found and adjudged to  
conclude the said Barr, then that  
said Capt Garrick, be ordered to  
dismiss said Suit, and that said  
Barr be forever restrained from  
further harassing and vexing  
your petitioners in respect to said  
demand, and as in duty bound he

John Voss  
L. Roomer  
W. Keat  
By C. W. Voss

McB #15 (Sept Miss) 1864  
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Memphis Tenn. Dec. 17. 1864

Capt. Jno. M. Bennett  
Asst. Provost Marshal

City

States that the Records of Pro. Mar.  
Office Dist. of Memphis do not show  
that J<sup>r</sup> Senow ever took either the Oath  
of Allegiance or Amnesty Oath.

The Oath of Allegiance was taken by  
John A. Senow on the 15<sup>th</sup> June 1863, and  
by F. P. Senow on 11<sup>th</sup> of June 1863.

See S. A. # 6 (Sept Miss) 1864



Office of the Probost Marshal,  
DISTRICT OF MEMPHIS.

Memphis, Tenn., Decr 17<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Capt John. L. Wilson  
Pro Marshal. Post & Defences of Memphis,  
Captain;

There is no record  
in this Office to show that Jo<sup>s</sup>. Lenow, has  
Ever taken Either the Oath of Allegiance or  
Amnesty;

The Records show that John. H. Lenow  
took the Oath of Allegiance at this Office on  
the 15<sup>th</sup> June 1863, and gave his Residence as  
Memphis, and Age 25 Years;

They also show that F. L. Lenow, took  
the Oath of Allegiance on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June 1863.  
gave his Residence as Memphis, Age 38 Years;

Respectfully, Your Obedt Servt

J. W. E. J. J. J.  
Capt & Asst P. M.

Dec. 10, 1864

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H. H. Fullington  
Reuben Stewart  
R. H. Stewart  
Rice T. Stewart

Ms. A. 9. 2. 11. 24. 11. 11. 11. 11.

Head qrs 4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist North Mo  
Office Asst Pro Marshal  
Troy Mo Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Special Order  
No 57.

You will at once proceed  
to Montgomery and Polkway Counties and  
serve Subpoenas on the following named  
persons to appear before a Military Commission  
at St Louis. No entering service on same and  
returning them to this office

H. H. Trullington  
Reubin Stewart  
R. H. Stewart  
Rice J. Stewart

To  
Peter Springston }  
U. S. D. }  
4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist North Mo }

A. Marsh, Major  
A. P. M.

Copy for  
Pro Mar Gen office,

Dec. 10, 1864,

No 1442 OPWS 2/74

Jas R. Buchanan

James Adams

Wm. Campbell

Chas. H. Smith

George Kumpke

Joseph Redhorse

Edw. Graham

Geo. W. Brown

Head of 4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist North Mo  
Office of St Pro Marshal  
Fry Mo Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Special Orders  
No 50

You will proceed immediately  
to Audrain Co Mo and serve the enclosed  
Subpoenas upon the following persons to  
appear before a Military Court in St Louis  
Endorsing service on same and returning  
them to this office

Col R. Buchanan  
Increase Adams  
Wm Campbell  
Chas. W. Smith  
Gey Kempe  
Joseph Redhorse  
Eli Graham  
Geo. W. Brown

To  
Timothy Cummings  
W. S. D  
4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist  
North Mo

A. Marsh, Maj  
& A. P. M.

Copied by Pro Marshal

No 1490 O.P.M.G. 7/14

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St. Louis Mo  
Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mo = Dept. of the  
J. W. Burnett, A. S. G.

S. C. 360 # 13.

In relation to the Howe  
grave children.

File

O.P.M.G. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Mo. Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

SPECIAL ORDERS,

No. 760.

(EXTRACT.)

13. Mary Hargrave, Josephine  
Hargrave, and Rebecca Hargrave,  
orphan children. Refugees from Ark<sup>o</sup>  
under Military care and protection  
having been ordered turned over to  
Rev. W. E. Clark, by the Civil Court, as  
their lawful Guardian. The Provost  
Marshal General will see that they  
are so turned over.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL ~~RECEIPTS~~, *Page*

*J. M. Chen*

*J. M. James*  
Assistant Adjutant General.

Ms 1458 (P) Ms J 1 1/2

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Saint Louis Mo  
Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mo - Dept. of the  
J. W. Barnes, U. A. G.

S. O. No 359 #2.

Granting permission to  
Wilson Davis No. J. Coffman  
and Emma Wade to go  
to McLain Co. Texas.

Ms 1458 (P)

Ms J 1 1/2

File

O. P. M. G. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864



Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARCHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, December 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Special Orders,

No. 359

EXTRACT:

2. Nelson Davis, Nancy Jane Coffman,  
Emma Wade and three children, - all of Cluitow  
Co. Mo. are hereby granted permission to go to  
McLain Co. Texas, not to return during the war.  
They will be allowed to take with them  
their bedding, silver - spoons and other articles  
of household goods; - not contraband of war.

By Command of Major Genl Dodge.

(Signed) J. W. Barnes

Apt. Adjt. General.

Official.

J. W. Barnes  
PROVOST MARCHAL GENERAL

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Benton Barrack  
December 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864

W. Harg. Capt. Geo  
a. J. Mo.

In relation to boot  
clothing found in possession  
of W. Hailer and Joann  
Lambrecht, by his Detective

File

O.P.M.G. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mc 147 CP 224 2/4

Post Quartermaster's Office,

Benton Barracks, Mo. December 22 1864

Dearest Marshal of the City of St. Louis  
Sir

My Detachment, in searching  
some houses near to these barracks for some public  
property stolen some days since, and which I  
had reason to suppose might be found there,  
were unsuccessful in their special object, but  
did find in the houses of William Warden and  
Johna Lambrecht a variety of soldiers clothing  
and other U. S. property (some of which were  
stolen). The property is in my custody and  
would respectfully refer the claimants to your  
office for adjudication.

I am Very Respectfully  
Yr Obedt Servt  
Wm. Hargrave  
P. M.

Statement of William Hailer  
who being of lawful age de-  
poses and says. I reside on  
Grove Street <sup>near</sup> Benson Street  
I am a private in Co "H" 13<sup>th</sup>  
E. M. M.

Q How much, and what kind of  
boot clothing did you have in  
your house this morning not  
long since; that was taken from you?  
A About 11 shirts 10 Pairs Drawers  
4 Pr Pants 1 jacket  
3 Oil cloths 1 Haversack  
1 Pair shoes 3 Blankets  
1 Over coat

Q Where did you get this clothing  
A Frederick Weddow who belonged  
to the 2<sup>d</sup> Mo Inf. owns 2 pairs of  
drawers and two shirts 3 Blan-  
kets 1 Over coat 1 Pair shoes 1 Haver-  
sack 1 jacket 1 Oil cloth 2 Pair  
Pants. He was boarding at my  
house and left them there for  
safe keeping. He lives with me yet  
I own 3 Drawers 3 Shirts 1 Pants  
1 Oil cloth

My Brother Ernest Hailer of  
Co D 4<sup>th</sup> Reg Mo Vol Inf. owns  
4 Shirts 1 Pr Pants 4 Pr Drawers

The rest of the clothing that was  
taken from my house was not  
Gott clothing.

Q Was all of this clothing that  
you have mentioned drawn  
from your company con-  
sumers?

A All that was Gott clothing  
was.

Q Was the clothing new or had  
it been worn?

A It had been worn though some  
of it not much.

Q Have you ever been trading in  
Gott clothing?

A I have not. neither have my  
brother or Fred Wedem.

Q Are you willing to swear that  
this clothing was not stolen  
clothing and that you  
came by it honestly?

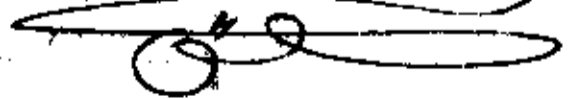
A I am

Wilhelm W. W. W. W.

~~Sworn to and subscribed~~  
before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of  
Decem 1864

Haac M. Ruth

Just. Ex.



Ms 1487 CP 1104

No 1487 of No 8 2/2

Frederick Weddican

Being sworn deposes  
and says. I am 42 years old live  
at the house of Wm Wailer Grove St  
near Benson St. St Louis Mo.

Am a discharged soldier in Genl Lee's 2<sup>d</sup> Mo  
Infy. served out my time -

State what you know in regard to this  
Gent clothing found in the house of  
Wm Wailer where you board.

Part of them are mine - 1 overcoat, 2 pair  
pants, 1 jacket, 2 shirts - 2 pair drawers  
1 pair shoes - 2 Good Blankets and a piece  
of an old one. and a kind of a Game Bag.  
and an old oil cloth or I.R. Blanket.

Wm Wailer is in the 13<sup>th</sup> Regt. E.M. Mo.  
I do not know what part of it he owns,  
or his brother.

Q Do you know whether Wm Wailer, or his brother  
are in the habit or have ever purchased or  
traded in Gent clothing.

A I have never known them to do so.

Q Do you think there is any of this clothing  
belong to any one other than Wm Wailer his  
brother or your self.

A I do not.

Q Was any of this clothing new.

A All of it had been worn more or less -



Given to and subscribed to  
before me this 23<sup>d</sup> December 1864

Geo J. McKusick  
act. Secy.  
M. G. O.

Fred K. Meddick  
+  
mark.

M. 1487 CP M. 4 7/64

Respectfully Refers to  
the Acty Pro Mar Com.  
From the testimony and  
facts as adduced I do  
not see that the parties  
are guilty of any crime  
and would suggest that  
the clothing so taken by  
Capt Kelpp be ordered  
returned to the owners.

Geo. W. Shinn,  
Chf. Examiner

21 10 1864  
S. C. No. 230 Dec. 27/64  
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Mrs. Joanna Lambrecht

States

I am 33 years old. live near Benton Barracks  
my husband works at the Benton Barracks  
as a laborer. do not keep a ~~Public House~~  
I and my husband living there and two men  
who work in Capt. Snyder's corral lodging  
at my house

2. Where did you obtain the carbine 11 Drawers  
2 Shirts and one U.S. Blanket found in  
your house by the Govt officers.

A. The carbine is not a Govt carbine it  
was left with me by a man named Gaspar  
- - - who boarded with me and had  
no money to pay me. I took it as  
security for 4 \$ dollars which he owed me  
this about March 64.

The drawers I picked up some of them  
about 3 years since and part of them  
were given to me by the soldiers at the  
Barracks at different times. sometimes  
they had no money and they gave them  
to me in payment for washing

The Shirts I have none I have two  
white Cavalry Stable jackets one was  
given to me by a Soldier a long time  
since the other one I found in the  
mud and cleaned it

The U.S. Blanket does not belong to me

it belongs to one of the men who lodges  
with me named Fred - - -

He belongs to the Militia

Q Have you no other US Blanket in  
your house belonging to you or your  
husband -

A No Sir I have not.

Q Have you ever bought any clothing of  
any kind for your husband for  
the soldiers -

A No Sir I have not nor do I think  
my husband has -

Q How long has your husband been working  
at the Barracks -

A About 3 years. Commenced working there  
as soon as he left the 3 months service  
about Sept 61 - He is a wheelwright there  
under - - - Lindsay -

Q Has your house ever been searched  
before for any stolen property

A No Sir -

Joseph W. ...

Given to and subscribed  
before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1864

Alfred W. ...  
Asst. Sec.  
J. H. ...

No 1487 CPWA 7/24

List of articles found in the House of William Wailer

13 Shirts

10 Drawers

4 Trowsers

1 Jacket

1 Oil Cloth

1 Haversack

4 pr Shoes

1 Blanket

1 overcoat

2 Blankets & 1 oil cloth

1 Screw Driver

List of Articles found in the house of Mrs Jas Lambrecht

1 Carbine

11 Drawers

2 Shirts

1 U S Blanket

No 1487 OP May 2/24

Miss Caroline Prinkman

Being sworn deposes  
and says. I am 17 years old. live at the  
house of William Wailer. have been living  
there ~~in~~ about 3 weeks. am staying there  
waiting on my Aunt Mrs Wailer who is  
ill.

Q Do you know how this Gort clothing  
came in the possession of Mr Wailer  
A Some of it belongs to my Uncle who is in  
the E. M. M. the 13<sup>th</sup> Regt.

Q Does it all belong to him

A No in part of it belongs to his brother  
and part to one Fred Weddeman.

Q Do you know whether Wailer your Uncle  
has been in the habit of buying or  
trading in Gort clothing.

A He never has since I have been there  
and I do not think he ever did before.

Q Is this clothing new or had it been worn

A It has been worn. some more & some less.

Q Do you think you would know if either  
of these parties had been engaged in  
trading in Gort clothing.

A Yes sir I think I would

Sworn to and

Subscribed ~~to~~ before me

this 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 1864

Chas J. McKaysen  
asst. Esq.

Chs  
Caroline Prinkman  
Mank.



Dec. 5. 1864

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Duncan Ellis

John Scott.

No 1489 O.P.M.B.V. 7/24

Head of 4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist North Mo  
Office Apt Pro Marshal  
Froy Mo Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Special Orders  
Nov 4<sup>th</sup> }

You will arrest and bring to  
these Fed gns, Duncan Ellis & John Scott  
of Pike Co Mo

To  
Timothy Cummings }  
N, B, D }  
B }

Copy

A. G. Marsh Maj  
37<sup>th</sup> Regt E. M. A.  
Apt Pro Marshal  
4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist North Mo

A 568 of <sup>13717</sup> ~~13717~~ 7/04

Woods Genl Dept of the Army  
St. Louis Dec 7/04

Respectfully referred to the Acting  
Promot Marshal General Dept of  
the Army The endorsement of Capt  
Welch is approved by the Comdg  
General and will be carried into effect  
under the direction of the Actg  
Mar. Genl. Report of action to  
be made to these Wood Quartr

By order of  
Maj Genl  
Wm. W. Wood

W. W. Wood Dec 9/04

Wm. W. Wood

Wm. W. Wood

Dyke, J. S. 2d Mar 1864  
B 568 a p m 4 1/2

Assistant Quartermaster Office

Shadalin Mo Nov 25. 1864

Capt Wm S. Case

A. G. M.

Warrensburg Mo.

Capt

I have the honor to report that upon the representations of the Union men of this County and Saline I find a large amount of Forage and other property abandoned by men who have gone into the Rebel army. That you may form some idea of the amount of Forage now being left behind them and which I can gather in with little cost to the Gov, I send you a list of some reported to me, with the notes appended. Jacob Keorn has 80 acres of Corn and 20 stacks of Hay. Here I am now foraging and shipping to Capt Shrew upon your order.

John Williams has 80 acres of Corn.

Bill Miller has 40 or 50 ~~acres~~ acres of Corn.

Acres & Hay.

Charley Smith Has 20 acres of  
Corn.

Jim Ellis has 20 acres of Corn

Jim Dillard has 20 " " "

Joe Dillards " " " " "

Tom Dillards " " " " "

Gas Frank Scott has 40 acres of Corn

Madow Blackmon. " 20 " "

Served for Bushwhacker Sons gone  
into the Rebel Army.

Ezekiel Kemp has 60 acres of Corn

Wm Kemp, one half of Crop Corn

Also has one horse.

The following persons are re-  
ported as having gone to the  
Rebel Army.

The amount of forage with cor-  
rectly stated, but I report no  
person who has no property.

James Davis

Jim Bailey

Bob Rector

Wah McDaniel

Jack Speyer

Mr. H. Glasp.

George Sherrill has Ton of Tobacco.

Bob Heon.

Jack Hill Ton of Tobacco.

George Johnson

Wm M Daniel has large lot of  
Corn and Stock

Henry Grinstead has 40 acres of corn

Harvey Heon has 30 acres of corn

Dick Wood has 25 acres corn

William Carter

Jesse Joplin has corn Ton of Hogs.

J. R. Ellis " "

John Joplin " "

Francis J. Ellis " "

Ruben Creel " " & Hogs.

John Adams

Jack Dillard { Has corn & Hogs.

Humphrey Sheppard

has large farm, fed Bushwhackers,

hid stolen Horses & son in Rebel

Army, proof Mr G. Riley.

- M Compton large farm.

Warren Compton has "

Boatright has 300 acres of corn

Oats & Hay & Stock.

M Kemden has corn & Hay



P. 964, a/s S. Mowbray  
B 568 (C.P. 214) 11/10/14

Statements of  
Mrs Anderson

George Anderson states, that  
Joel Scott, an Uncle of Ezekiel Scott,  
took, from the farm occupied by  
E. Scott a lot of Mules Twelve in  
Number, belonging to Ash & Scott  
for the purpose of saving a debt due  
Scott.

He took the Mules to Illinois.  
He had an order from E. Scott to  
take the mules and dispose of them.  
He knew that E. Scott was going  
with Price.

He states, that the mules would  
more than pay the debt due to  
Joel Scott.

Joel Scott lives in Saline County,  
near Arrow Rock.

Four of Mules belonging to E  
Scott are near Taylors, on the  
Pomeroy & Lexington Road N. E.  
of Sedalia 16 miles.

J. P. Papp  
In Charge.

D. 961. a/c D. M. 2/64

Chief Q. M. Office Dept of Mo  
St Louis Dec 8 - 1864

D. 563 C. M. 2/31/64

Respectfully referred to  
Capt. [Name] Co. U.S. Army  
for his information and order  
in the case.

Should respectfully recommend that  
the property be seized by an officer  
of the Provost Marshal's Department  
to be by him forwarded over to the  
Quartermaster's Department.

By Order of  
Chief Q. M. Dept of Mo  
L. M. [Name]  
Capt & a. g. m.

Sealed Nov 25, 1864  
D. 961. a/c D. M. 2/64  
Russell, Thos. C.

Lieut 45<sup>th</sup> [Name] A. H. [Name]

Report of affairs about  
the part of Fedalia, Mo  
giving names of farmers  
& others who have left their  
homes & joined Price's Army  
together with a statement  
(approximate) of the property  
abandoned by them to be  
also statement of Geo. Anderson

Office of Dist. Com.

Respectfully referred to  
Col. [Name] Ch. Com.  
Dept of Mo for his informa-  
tion & action. If proper &  
practicable he will please  
endorse his instructions here-  
on & return to me

Thos. S. Case  
Capt & a. g. m.  
Dist. Com.



J M Callister Has corn.

Pyton Townsend " "

Wm Corum " "

Sammy Evans Has corn Lot  
of Hogs & Tobacco.

Dick Hall Has large lot of flour.

Mrs Sandrage, has a good farm.

is a Rebel, sent one of his sons  
into the Rebel Army, and told  
the rebels where to find one  
son, who had hid, and he was  
Conscripted by them.

Josephus Kemkline, has a  
large farm, has company of  
Huerillus, robbed Dr Cartwright.

Albert Clark. Has corn

Jno Leatheridge 1 " "

Ezekiel Scott " "

Also 31 Hogs turned over to  
me by P. M.

Bob Ask, See Statement of  
George Anderson.

Charley Clapcock Lot of corn.

Charley Davis " " "

Harvey Faulkner has lot of  
Corn & Stock.

James Smith Has Corn & Hay.

Charley Kriger " " & Hags.

Mr Bailey Has Corn.

Mr Powell Has large farm.

Says, He would rather live in the South among the Rebels than in the North among the D - d Abolitionists.

Meets Mr Seal. Refers to D. Phillips.

Mr Randolph Has several Hundred bushels of Oats.

These have been reported to me in the last few days, and this extends to Blackwater from 17 to 18 miles from Sedalia.

I learn that there is a large amount of Forage, stock and other personal property being smuggled and sent away by the friends of these parties. I cannot in all cases get the amount of Forage &c reported but in no case do I report those who have nothing.

I think, Capt, it only requires energy to use a very large train and bring in a large amount of Forage that has been abandoned

by these parties. Knowing all  
this Country, the parties reporting  
to be Union and reliable men,  
~~that~~ You can rest assured this  
report embraces a true statement  
of the Amk of Storage and the Char-  
acter of the parties reported.  
I have since I came here rec'd  
through the P. M. and other Chan-  
nels a large no of horses, left  
by the Rebels and also U.S. Horses  
left by our own troops. With the  
Wagons you sent me I have  
gotten up a train of (10) Ten  
Six Horse teams together with  
your ten teams I am now bring-  
ing in Twenty loads of this Corn  
every alternate day.

It is important that this Storage  
should be gathered as soon as  
possible, before the excessive  
Cold weather interferes.

Awaiting instructions from you  
I remain Sir,

Very Respectfully

Your obedt Servant

J. S. E. Baker

C. 840 C. P. M. S. 1/4

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Warrensburg Mo  
Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1884

Central Mo. Dist of  
Capt R. S. Ferguson  
Dist Pro. Mar.

Salts of the employees  
in his office.

file.

Of Mr. S. Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1884

Headquarters District Central Missouri,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Wassersburg

~~Jefferson City,~~ Mo., Dec. 9 - 1864.

Col

In obedience to Special Order No. 303  
to the Head Quarters Dept. No. St Louis Mo  
Nov 26<sup>th</sup> 1864, I have the honor to enclose, herewith  
with the oaths of the employees, on this Office.  
These men are all soldiers detailed from their  
Commands. I will forward the oaths of Captains  
Allison & Hall as soon as I can have an  
opportunity to take them, they are both absent  
at present.

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Yr Obedt Servant

R L Desjourn

Capt & Dist In Gen

Gen Joseph Dan

Com Genl Dept Mo

St Louis Mo



Case 174 94/11



DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.

Name *A. W. Johnson*  
Age *27 years*  
Height *5 feet 7 8 inches*  
Color of Eyes *Gray*  
Hair *Black*  
Residence *Warrenburg, Mo*  
Peculiarities .....

Office of the Provost Marshal, for the

Central DISTRICT, of Mo

Dec 9th 1864

The undersigned solemnly swears that he will bear true faith and allegiance to the Government of the United States of America, and support the Constitution thereof, as the supreme law of the land; that he will never take up arms against said Government, or those who may be acting under its authority; that he will never, by word, act or deed, knowingly give aid or comfort, or in any manner encourage armed opposition to the Government of the United States; but that, on the contrary, he will do all in his power as a citizen to prevent such opposition, and to discourage the same wherever it is being made.

He makes this oath freely and voluntarily, with no mental reservations or restrictions whatever, honestly intending at all times hereafter to keep the same, in spirit as well as in letter, and to conduct himself as a peaceful, law-abiding citizen of the United States.

This I do solemnly swear, so help me God.

Alvin W. Johnson

Sworn to before me this 9th }  
day of Dec 1864 }

R. L. Ferguson Capt-  
PROVOST MARSHAL

C. 840 C.P.M. 87<sup>2</sup>/104

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DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.

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Name *Fergusson J. L.*

Age *29*

Height *5 feet 7 inches*

Color of Eyes *Dark*

Hair *Black*

Residence *Pitts Co N.C.*

Peculiarities

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Central DISTRICT,

December 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

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This I do solemnly swear, so help me God.

John, L. Ferguson

Sworn to before me this Ninth

day of December 1864.

R. L. Ferguson Capt  
PROVOST MARSHAL.  
Hear me

C 540 OP No 3 2 7/4

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DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.

Name *W. C. Kellogg*

Age *28 years*

Height *5 ft. 6 in.*

Color of Eyes *Hazel*

Hair *dark*

Residence *Nashua N. H.*

Peculiarities .....

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Central DISTRICT, Mo.

December 9th 1864

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He makes this oath freely and voluntarily, with no mental reservations or restrictions whatever, honestly intending at all times hereafter to keep the same, in spirit as well as in letter, and to conduct himself as a peaceful, law-abiding citizen of the United States.

This I do solemnly swear, so help me God.

*W. C. Kellogg*

Sworn to before me this .....  
Day of ..... 186 . }

*R. L. Geringer* Capt.

PROVOST MARSHAL.

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Dec 6/4

List of disloyal

citizens of Cooper  
~~County~~ Missouri  
~~County~~  
made by Lincolnton  
Rouse & B. C. Caswell.

Supplementary papers in  
this collection include  
and find comments  
in Cooper County, Missouri  
including some original  
papers taken from the  
last anniversary issue  
of the county, with the  
last ~~anniversary~~ ~~issue~~  
of the county, and  
also County journals  
on file

Recd. H. L. S. The Hist. Soc. 1865

<u>Names</u>			<u>Names</u>	
Adams David	\$6700	Bauer John Jr.	\$ 600.	
Allison Greenberry	1100	Bear Jane Ann	7500.	
Adams William M	3600	Burns Mrs M.	300.	
Adams Andrew	1650	Byler David L	1750.	
Adams Washington	2600	Byler Joseph	1200.	
Adams Thos Jr	500.	Byster Hugh	2500.	
Adams Francis	500.	Pull Mrs Sen.	1600.	
Alexander Bro H	300.	Pull Mrs Wm	1700.	
Alexander Mrs E. P.	300.	Pull Thos Jr	1000.	
Alexander Alfred.	3000.	Bradley R. L. (Capt)	3500.	
Ammon John	1000	Bousfield Polly (Mrs)	600.	
Allison John	1200	Collins Mrs G.	900.	
Adair William	300.	Chism Francis Min	500.	
Ashcraft Mrs C.	750.	Chandler Leroy	2200.	
Ashcraft Alexander	750.	Cole Stephen L	400.	
Buckner Dr E. C.	1200	Cole Sam Sen.	1300.	
Berry Joshua H	5000.	Cole A. B.	1700.	
Berry Jennie C	2000	Cole Mark Sen.	500.	
Bacon R. B.	2800.	Colbert Wm	400.	
Brown Sandy	3200.	Chilton Edward D.	2500.	
Berger Henry	1500.	Chilton J. W.	1000.	
Berger Mrs G.	700.	Chilton Mrs D.	2800.	
Benedict H. B.	9800	Comer James H	9250.	
Bill James L (a)	6000	Cockree Geo. S.	6700.	
Bill George L (a)	2000	Cockree Walter	1500.	
Baker S. R.	1500	Coleman Wm Jr	1200.	
Bowen James	400.	Coleman Mrs A	800.	
Bastin Geo. W.	1100.	Crawford Mrs L	850	
Berke Sam.	2000	Crawford John	1600	
Berke John	600	Clarke D. C.	4000	
Berke Richard	100			
Buedel Lewis	500			



Clawson Richard	400	Embrey J. P.	500.
Clawson Jesse	3000	Engart Abram	2500.
Craig Joseph	1600	Elliott A. Jack	1300.
Craig Lewis E.	300.	Estes Littleton	300.
Chambers Jos. D.	1000.	Ewing R. M.	1000.
Chambers Jos.	750.	Ewing Wm C.	3300.
Chambers Geo E.	750.	Ewing R. A.	300.
Chamberlain Mrs W.	1500.	Ewing Jarvis H.	1050.
Corum Henry Supt	4000	English W. D.	900.
Carr J. (Dr)	500.	Ellis William	500.
Catterman David	2500	Ellis Wm N. (Dr)	2150.
Baldwell P. S.	1500.	Ellis R. P. Est.	5000.
Baldwell Co. S.	1000.	Ellis N. W. (Dr)	2600.
Combs C. B. X X	5000	Freeman James M.	1200.
<small>Combs James Jr.</small>	<small>10,000.</small>	Farris James N.	800.
Coinshaw Robt M.	750.	Fine Stephen M.	1200.
Douglas Martha Mrs	1400.	Ferry B. C. (Genl)	1700.
Douglas James	1000.	Feyer R. S.	1000.
Douglas Martella	300.	Feyer Mrs Margaret	3000
Draffin Wm R.	400.	Ferguson H. H.	1100
Davis Dewey (Maj)	1000.	Fanell Peter H.	600.
Dorsey George	500.	Gardwin John G. C.	7000
Downing Lucy (Mrs)	1200.	Givins John	3300
Downing Edward	1500.	Givins David	500
Dellas Mrs. B.	250.	Givins Walter	450
Dixon Miss Sarah A.	1500	Givins Alexander junior	1000
Dixon Miss Pamela J.	600	Greenhalgh John	1250
Dixon Mrs Percilla B.	1000	Glazier Charles	2000
Dixon James (Dr)	1600	Gentry William J.	400.
Dix Larkin	400		

Gale Mrs Mahala	2000	Harrison William D <sup>r</sup>	7500
Gyer Henry senior	1700	Hudson Geo. C.	900
Gyer Mrs Jane (wif)	1500	Hudson John G.	400
Gyer H. Sped	1700	Hudson Geo. senior	1500
Gilbreath Mrs Flora & children	2500	Hudson Benjamin	900
Gilbreath William M.	1200	Hutchison James S.	5400
George Hunter	1700	Hays William G. (wif)	800
George William R.	900	Hickot J. V.	3500
George William S.	900	Hammerson Brian	500
George Robert M.	600	Hamm William M.	1000
Glasgow James H.	2100	Hoge John S.	3000
Grapham Robt	800	Hedepeth William H.	700
George Susan	1200	Hutchison John G.	2500
Greenleaf C. H. J.	2100	Hornbeck Andrew	1600
Harrison Robert C.	4800	Inglis M. V. B.	800
Harris William S.	1500	Jones John L.	2100
Hout Mrs Sissy (money)	500	Jones David W.	1600
Hout Thomas C. (money)	100	Jones Call (a)	10750
Hovey Robert S.	400	Johnson Labor	1300
Hunt William junior	1400	Johnson James	800
Harness Conrad	3000	Johnson John B.	1200
Harness John S.	500	Johnston H. A.	1000
Howe Joseph H.	500	Johnson Robert B.	1700
Howard William (senior)	400	Johnson John S.	1300
Howard Min & Co	2000	Johnson William	2900
Hallen George H.	1100	Judy J. V.	1500
Hallen Jeremiah	2300	Jury John S.	1500
Hallen John	600	Koetz B. J.	2500
		Johnson C. Capt.	2150

Hertz Wilson	700	Mr. Graden H. A.	800
John H. Kelly	900	Mr. Graden Robert H. &	100
Kenny Joseph Capt.	1400	Mr. Graden Mrs Sarah A.	2000
Knauss Henry	1600	Mr. David Harvey	1600
Kemper F. J.	750	Wills Henry Jr.	2700
Layne John Jr.	2300	Mr. Clauahan H. M.	1700
Lee L. Jr.	800	Mr. Faulstich H. J.	1400
Lee Mrs. Mary A.	400	Morton James O.	1200
Lawless Benjamin D.	2500	Morton J. M. & J. J.	300
Leiberg Mrs. Mary O.	5000	Wyers William J.	2500
Mann Andrew Esq.	2000	Wyers Henry	3800
Mann Mrs. Mary	1300	Worgan J. W. (money)	500
McCullough J. M.	1000	Miller Thomas	1200
McCullough John M.	900	Mr. Faden Dennis	800
Mayfield James	1000	Mendith Franklin	900
Main Mrs. Susan	600	Mr. Mahan Thomas	600
Mitchell James D.	2300	Mr. Mahan Sam. Jr.	3000
Mitchell H. M. N.	3800	Mr. Mahan Wm. C.	800
Morre Henry E.	8000	Mr. Mahan John M.	700
Morre Joseph Benjamin	600	McKelroy John & George	800
Moore Lafayette M.	300	Morris Hugh B.	900
Moore Chas. F. (money)	200	Marshall Fleming	3500
Mr. Clain Thomas Jr.	700	Marshall Rhodes	1000
Mr. Clain Peyton M.	400	Marshall Richards junior	2000
Mr. Clain Charles H.	200	Mason William D.	3000
Mr. Clain James S.	800	Muir Mrs. Maria	1800
Mr. Clain James	600	Marsay H. O.	1400
<del>Miller Mrs. M. M.</del>	<del>4500</del>	Monroe John Rev.	700
Muir Robert	500	Mr. Cobben George Jr.	3200
Mayhew James A.	300	Mohan S. B.	1500
same for Robert as Mr. Callough.	1600	Mr. Ephraim M.	

McCutchen John W.	2500	Ruffner H. M. Jr.	1000
McCutchen John	5000	Read A. J.	2000
Nelson George H. Dr.	3900	Robinson Charles Sumner	4000
Nelson Thomas H.	12250	Robinson S. H. (a)	1000
Nelson John B.	2100	Royle William	500
Neil Minor Ricd.	1600	Rayland J. K.	10000
Nonn Frederick	700	Rayland H. M. W.	5000
Nicholson Mrs. Mary	1700	Russell J. D. & J. A.	1000
Oglesby Thomas A.	1300	Royce B. Dr.	1600
Oglesby John B. (money)	1600	Roe Robert	700
Oglesby Henry F.	500	Roe Alexander	1000
O'Bannon John A.	900	Roe Samuel senior	1600
Porter John	5150	Railey Mrs. Susan C.	1500
Porter Mrs. Nancy	2500	Rue John	800
Ruston Singleton	1000	Rice Charles E.	3700
Phillips Mrs. Mary	2500	Redd John J.	2800
Phillips Martin G.	1000	Sheppard Jesse	600
Phillips John (Gov)	400	Shirley G. A. J.	800
Pully L. D.	1500	Smith Borne	2100
Pendleton G. J. Dr.	1200	Smith Mrs. Elizabeth	2000
Perry R. D.	1400	Smith Henry	800
Pettit Samuel	1800	Smiths David	4000
Pierre Peter Col.	1700	Scott John	900
Quarles James	2000	Scott Zephaniah	600
<del>Quarles H. J.</del>	2000	Scott William L.	2800
Reavis H. J.	1000	Swaingate Manian	900
Reid William	2000	Samuel John	800
Reid Paul H.	1800	Stephens Joseph	1000

Stephens James M. junior	1200	Tucker John S.	2600
Stephens Thomas S.	800	Tunley Samuel	1200
Sommers Lewis W.	2800	Tunley Mrs. Elizabeth	2000
Smithus John H.	900	Tunley Henry C.	700
Spauld Alfred	800	Tuvia Simon J <sup>r</sup>	2500
Staple William E.	500	Tunnor Eiza	800
Staple H. A.	1000	Talbot William	800
Shields Mrs. S. B.	700	Tornacud Saunders	7000
Stark Drayden	1500	Taylor W. C. Perry	900
Staple Mrs. M. A.	600	Taylor W <sup>m</sup> B.	1600
Scalon Robert	700	Trigg W <sup>m</sup> H.	8000
Sibert Mrs. Mary	1300	Winterpode Martin	1500
Simmons Kelly	2400	Vaughn Deon S.	300
Simmons Mrs. Cynthia	2000	Vaughn Thomas	300
Street William M.	400	Walker P. G.	8000
Street John A.	1500	Walker W <sup>m</sup> H.	2000
Southwell John H.	2100	<del>Walker James H.</del>	<del>7000</del>
Southwell Benjamin B.	1400	Wilson Joseph W.	900
Thomas Adair	800	Wilson B. S.	2800
Thompson Wick	1300	Wilson Joseph junior	1600
Tompkins Benjamin	2400	Wilson G. G. & E. W.	1200
Tompkins H. A. Dr.	2000	Wilson B. J. junior	800
Todd Samuel S. Dr.	1500	Wilson Jonathan	400
Todd F. A.	1000	Wilson Peter	800
Tucker Mrs. Sarah	800	Wilson Gustavich	1200
Tucker Thomas	3000	Ware Alexander S.	1000
Tucker Mrs. W <sup>m</sup> Ell.	1000	Wootley Joseph	800
Tucker W <sup>m</sup> G.	2500	Wootley Stephen	1000

Williams G. A. D.	1100	Woodrigh Samuel	1500
Williams Robert W.	1500	Woodrigh Ross	1500
Williams John R.	1000	Yau John B.	1400
Williams Thomas L.	500	Yett Steward	1000
Waller Benjamin R.	1100	Yancy Samiah H.	800
White Jesse	900	Zollinger George	1200
White Hardey	1000		
White William S. P.	1000		
White Jonas	500		
White Miss Susan	1500		
Whites Henry W.	2000		
Woods General Charles	500		
Woods John	1400		
Wood Lady W.	500		
Woods Alexander	2500		
Winnor Loftin	1400		
Winnor John H.	1900		
Winnor Lavin	3700		
Wright Daniel	2000		
West Thomas	500		
Wright Oscar	2100		
Wright H. A.	1100		
Waxton John H.	900		
Waxton William P.	1400		
Wells Andrew	1900		
Wells John P.	700		
Wells Richards	900		
Wing Fremont	6700		

September 27 1862

Major

I give below the names of some of  
the "gay and festive" Pebs of Palestine Township Cooper  
County Va.

- 1 \* Return S. Bradley (now living in Bonville)
- 2 William C. Ewing (now living in Bonville)
- 3 Everett Downing { John J. Tucker
- 4 Mrs: S. C. Downing { Green Tucker
- 5 \* Saml. S. Briscoe { Courtes Hamers
- 6 Jos: Woolery { Maria P. Floris
- 7 Stephen Woolery { John Kelly
- 8 Edmund C. Clark { Mrs. Franky Collins and every other Collins
- 9 Saml Cole (Union) { T. L. Wadley and John living at old
- 10 Henry Corum { Wab Church ~~John~~ name Bassett
- 11 Jas: S. Hutchison

12 A. Jack. Elliott. Clear Creek Township

13 W. Mayfield same Township - He is the father of the  
girls whose letter was published last week in connection  
with Miss. Sue Bryant -

The names furnished - are those of genuine Union peace  
Rebels and Traitors -

14 Chas. F. Moore - living in Palestine -

all of these men are owners of Real Estate and are  
wealthy men but as a matter of course will claim  
that they are loyal - but each and every one of them  
are traitors - I give you the names of up to but prominent  
active working secessionists who gave their whole  
influence to Clay Jackson and his crew

Yours very Respectfully  
Wm. P. Richardson  
Chapman



S. 1244, also G. Moore

Henry E. Moore

Head Quarters 4th Cav. U.S.A.

Boswell's Mo. Dec 15th 1864

In compliance with the order from the District Court at  
I am ordered to make the following assessment on you  
for the benefit of Mrs. Hannah Dick and Mary Krohn, (widow)  
(160) One hundred and fifty dollars.

The above amount of money is due and payable on the 15th  
day of Dec-1864, and must be paid to me the above named  
day at Boswell's Mo. If you should fail to comply with  
this order your property will be confiscated.

By order of Maj. Gen. R. S. Ripley

Albert Roubert's Lieut

of B & C Cav. U.S.A.

Henry E. Moore.

Warrensburg Missouri  
January 28<sup>th</sup> 1865

Col J. A. Switzler  
Comd'g 1<sup>st</sup> Sub Dist Cent Mo  
Jefferson City Mo

Colonel. herewith  
enclosed please find a complete copy of the assess-  
ment made by Genl Pecker on the disloyal citizens  
of Cooper County except the names that were marked  
by Major Kelly. The name of G. B. Combs you will find  
upon the list. Also the name of Mrs McQuider.  
Probably justice would demand that their names be  
stricken from the list. I leave that entirely with you  
see, Mrs McQuider's letter. I think there no others that  
there is any doubt but they are sympathizers -  
Col please keep my pen until such time that I  
can see you or have an opportunity to send for it.

I am Col very respectfully  
your obedient servant  
Alfred Walters  
Capt Co F 4<sup>th</sup> Cav Mo

"10" 369 Agents Mrs. S. O. Bell  
Boonville Dec 5, 1864

Mayruder Mrs S O  
Widow

States that some design-  
ing person has informed  
that she was a rebel, in  
consequence of which she  
has been taxed fifty dollars,  
to the support of two  
german women whose  
husbands were killed  
last fall by bushwhackers,  
that said tax is to be carried  
into execution by the 15<sup>th</sup>  
inst, (unless said amt is  
paid) by confiscation of  
her property - asks relief  
&c &c

Recd. H. L. De C. Ho. Dec 14/64

Hon Am Dist Court No 0  
Washington Dec 15. 1864

respectfully referred to Maj Gen Kelly Comdr of the Cav ment  
for his consideration

My order of Cal Genl Philip's Cavalry

W. Stearns

A. A. H.

Boonville Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

General Phillips

Dear Sir, It seems  
that General Brown some 2 months  
ago, Issued an order to the Com-  
- mander here, to Casses Rebels  
of this County for the benefit  
of two German woman who  
had there husbands killed  
last fall by Bushwhackers  
Some designing person gave  
my name as a Rebel, & I am  
notified to pay fifty dollars by  
the 15<sup>th</sup> of this Month or  
have my property Confiscated  
I sent this morning for  
the Commander here, who  
is a stranger to me & asked  
him what it meant, he  
told me that he was satisfied  
that I ought not to pay it

but that he had no right to  
take my name off of the  
list, unless you said so, as  
you had taken Gen Brown's  
place, I have been under the  
protection of this Post for  
the last 6 years, I have never  
been a Rebel or a Rebel sympathizer  
during this war I have done  
all in my Power for the  
Government, I have had protection  
from all of the Commanders  
that have been stationed  
here since this war, I am  
a Union woman & expect  
always to be one, & a widow  
with a house full of little  
girls, I shall ever think hard  
if my property is taken to  
give to others, must I be  
held responsible for what  
a set of theiving ~~set~~ cut  
throats do, I hope you will

see me righted, I will refer  
you to Col Weare, Col  
Catherwood, Col Crittendon  
or any of those who have  
had charge of this Post  
If I am not to be protected  
let me know, for I think  
I have been unkindly treated  
by some one, how is your  
dear lady, give her my best  
respects, I have not had  
the pleasure of seeing  
you since the raid last  
year, you with General Brown  
staid all night with me  
I am now living in Brown  
& would be pleased to see  
you & your lady at any time

Respectfully  
J. O. Magruder

Ps please answer immediately by  
mail or telegraph

A list of names  
in Clarkesfork  
Township

1 Ursiel Thompson  
2 Lorraine Lee  
3 George W Mcubbin  
4 Robt George  
5 Robt Fryer  
6 James Douglas  
7 Martin Douglas  
8 John Douglas  
9 Robt Williams

41  
42

Cyrus Shirley 33  
John Barr 34  
John Greenells 35  
\* Thomas Bull 36  
John Crawford 37  
Thomas Glesby 38  
William Reel 39  
Just Reel 40  
Joseph Chambers Jun  
Glasier

10 Henry Gyer  
11 Lewitt the miller

12 Major Davis

13 P P Embree

14 Henry Mills

15 Joseph Craig

16 Wm T Nicholson

17 Joseph Russel

18 John Russel

19 Elijah Toler

20 Henry Toler

21 Alexander George

22 Jesse Gorge

23 Thomas Gorge

24 Henry Gorge

25 Dr Ellis

26 Thomas

27 Eli Adams

28 Erbin Davis

29 John Bryant

30 St Floris Winton

31 John Winton

32 George Shirley

if you want  
any thing more  
rite to me at  
Clarkesfork

John Briskman



A list of names in  
Montatah Township

- 1 John I Jones
- 2 Granhill Wilson
- 3 Waleh Wilson
- 4 James Boswell
- 5 Boon Smith
- 6 Jerry Smith
- 7 Washington Johnson
- 8 Robt Johnson
- 9 Calvin Barry
- 10 Calvin Barry
- 11 George Hecox
- 12 J. B. Cole
- 13 Henry Simmons
- 14 Stephen Sims
- 15 Wm McClanahan
- 16 Henry Harris
- 17 Alfred A Alexander
- 18 Johnson Reavis
- 19 Abram Weight
- 20 James Mahan
- 21 Robt Alison
- 22 Houston George
- 23 John Burris
- 24 Valentine Burris
- 25 James R Byer
- 26 Speed Byer
- 27 Edman Snodgrass
- 28 James Snodgrass
- 29 Wm H. Hedgespeth
- 30 John I Smith
- 31 Frank Silbreath

John B. Davis

Palestine Township

- |                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Henry Kourse                     | 32 |
| Joseph Willson                   | 37 |
| Robt Seaton                      | 34 |
| Ben Hickman                      | 35 |
| <del>R. A. En Conrad</del> Harms | 36 |
| R. P. Ruffner                    | 37 |
| Capt S. P. Lewis                 | 38 |
| W. G. Tucker                     | 39 |
| Greenberry Alison                | 40 |
| Thomas Tucker                    | 41 |
| Robt Ewing                       | 42 |
| Dr James Dixon                   | 43 |
| Joseph Stephens                  | 44 |
| Mat Stephens                     | 45 |
| William Bodwin                   | 46 |
| James Bodwin                     | 47 |
| John I Kelly                     | 48 |
| William Jurg                     | 49 |
| Sam Briscoe                      | 50 |
| Bennett Clark                    | 51 |
| Henry Corum                      | 52 |
| Samuel Cole                      | 53 |
| Capt Sebert                      | 54 |
| William Speed                    | 55 |
| Louie Maddy                      | 56 |
| Thomas Smith                     | 57 |
| Neil Hazle                       | 58 |
| James White                      | 59 |
| Henderson Moor                   | 60 |
| Jug Judge Ogden                  | 61 |

J. 12144 also 21 Mar 1864  
Warrensburg Mo Dec 26/64

Central Mo. Dist.  
Philip Col. Geo. F.  
Comdg. Dist.

Gives information relative to  
seizure of property in  
Casper County Mo. that affi-  
davits were sent to Genl. Brown  
&c. Encloses Endorsements on  
said affidavits Etc. etc.

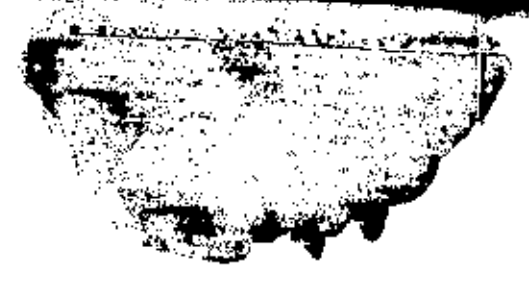
Wm. S. ...

Head Qrs Dept of the Mo  
Soldiers Dec 30. 1864

Respectfully return of  
The investigation as proposed  
by Col. Geo. F. Philips will be  
made, and if decided  
assessment to just have  
it levied pro rata upon  
the disloyal parties, by  
the same board.

By order of  
Major Genl. Dodge  
J. M. James  
Asst. Adj. Genl.

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Head Quarters Dist Central  
Warrensburg. Jan 9. 1865.

Respectfully referred to  
Lt. Col. J. A. Surtztic with  
Copy of order concerning  
Board enclosed

By order of  
Col. Geo. F. Philips Comdg  
W. C. F. ...  
J. A. Surtztic



Rec'd by ...

Hd yrs Dict of Cent No

Harrisburg Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major

In compliance with your endorsement of the 15<sup>th</sup> inst on the enclosed communication from J. L. Stephens of Boonville Mo, touching the appearance of property in Cooper County Mo, I have the honor to report that in the month of September last past, Rodde Guerrillas entered Cooper County, as I am informed, and during their raid through the County killed two citizens (loyal men) named Korman and Diehl. Upon the presentation of the case in the form of affidavits, transmitted through Lt Horst's company ~~from~~ <sup>from</sup> Boonville, to Brig Genl Brown then commanding Dict the said affidavits were endorsed as follows by Genl Brown:

(over)

" Head Qrs. Dist of Cent Mo.

" In the Field near Sedalia Sept 26 1864.

" Respectfully referred to Major G. W. Kelly 4<sup>th</sup> Cav  
" M. J. M. who will at once levy an assessment of  
" (\$5000) five thousand dollars, upon the disloyal  
" Citizens of Cooper County, collect and pay over  
" the same, to the widow Mrs Johanna Riehl.

" Having complied with this order Major Kelly  
" will return this paper together with his action reports  
" to these Head Qrs.

" By command of Brig Genl Brown

" Jos H. Steger

" A. A. Genl

" And alike endorsement in the case of Mrs Krohn  
" directing an assessment of \$5000, making an  
" aggregate of \$10,000.

" The enforcement of these orders  
" was delayed by reason of the Raid.

" I am satisfied from  
" papers and representations made to me that injustice

has been done to many in the assessment, - that is in  
the manner of its levy. In fact the matter has become  
thoroughly and on many other accounts so complicated  
and embarrassing that I was contemplating the  
reference of the whole matter to a Board of com-  
petent Officers, <sup>aided by</sup> or a Committee of Citizens of that  
County, of unquestioned loyalty and high character,  
to examine into the facts of the killing of those Citizens  
and if the assessment on the County was recom-  
mended, to have them make it, or if they thought  
the <sup>disloyal</sup> Citizens of the County not responsible for these  
murders, to suspend the assessment, but  
to be enforced on the repetition of such acts  
in the County by Guerrillas or Bushwhackers.  
These matters are now respectfully referred  
for the consideration of the Maj Genl Commanding

I am Maj Very Respectfully  
Yr obt Servt

Jno F Philips  
Col Commandy Allet

Wm W Darnes  
Adj Genl Dept of the Miss

S. 1244 also Moore

Jennville Mo Dec 10. 1864

Stephen Joseph L.  
3 1931

W. E. Burr  
Pres. St Louis Mo.

Encloses Mil. assessment  
notice upon their creditor  
N. E. Moore and states that all  
the property he has here is  
under deed of trust, that  
unless something is done their  
liabilities will fall upon the bank,  
wishes advice &c

One Enclosure



Rec'd Adm In D C Mo Dec 10 1864

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Head Quarters Dept of the Mo  
St Louis Dec 10 1864.

Respectfully referred to the Comdg  
Officer District Cont's Mo for his  
endorsement. We will also state  
all the particulars in relation  
to this assessment, and send copy  
of the order ordering it.

By order of  
Maj Gen Dodge  
J. H. Bennett  
Adj.

Joseph L. Stephens' Collection & Law Office

Boonville, Mo. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mr E. Pur, Esq. Pres.  
St. Louis Mo.

Dear Sir

I enclose you  
Military Department notice upon our Creditors  
Henry & Munn. Mr. Munn, as you are  
aware, has not resided here for three years  
but is a resident of Plaquemine La. &  
within the Federal lines we seized the  
City of N. O. was taken. All the property  
he has here, is now under a trust to secure  
a debt to your Bank, besides we have an  
existing lien against same by virtue  
of judgment, <sup>& execution of</sup> which I, as your attorney,  
obtained and control. That portion of  
the family, that is here, is on the eve of  
leaving for their home in La, and advise  
me, that they have no means with which  
to pay said fine or apportionment. Without  
an order, ~~to~~ from Genl. Rosecrans, to the  
contrary, the authorities here, will take  
the property from under our lien and  
confiscate it: the loss thus dropping on our  
Bank. I please to give the authorities  
early attention & advise me what to do. I am  
Yours truly  
J. L. Stephens

Dear Sir

Reynolds Samuel

Charges and witnesses  
against him.

Yours truly  
R. D. S.



L.B. 650 L.D.  
Head Quarter Dist of Ind  
Indianapolis Ind 1864

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Carrington H. B.  
Brig. Genl.

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Samuel Reynolds  
La Fayette Ind. #20.  
17th Aug. 1864.  
Witnes.  
John J. Anderson.  
W. P. Kummer.

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Respectfully  
by

Reynolds

Henry & Martin

Printed by

John

Recd. H. B. 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 1864

Head Quarters District of Indians, Northern Department.

Indianapolis, Ind.,

1864.

Special Orders.

No.

Sumner Reynolds, Lafayette Ind  
\$20<sup>00</sup> 17 Aug 1864

Witness	
{ John J Anderson	Wm. Plummer Sen Hempfield Ind
{ W. P. Kummer	" "

By command of Brig. Gen'l Carrington,

A. A. G.

Order for amount  
under bond  
1864

John T. M. Lundy

John J. Anderson  
W. P. Kramer / Greenfield and  
Witnesses in Case of  
Samuel Reynolds

Accounting for rebel Army —  
Given the above witnesses  
J. D. Dack to go to rebel  
Army

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Fort Myman  
Raleigh N.C. 10/14/64

Cits

Richd Gray Chap  
Army Signal Company Fort

Submits statement in  
regard to the escape of  
Spur King and James  
Puldine prisoners on the  
night of the 14 instant

No 20 Post of Rala  
Raleigh N.C. 10/14/64

Respectfully forwarded to  
Colonel W. E. Cuthbert for  
his information. A strong  
guard has since been  
detailed, and frequent inspections  
have been ordered to prevent  
the escape of prisoners from  
Fort Myman

Attest Sincerely  
Col 5 Signal Company Post

W. E. Cuthbert of Rala N.C. 10/14/64  
P.O. # 789 Box 10, 10/14/64

Fort Myman Rolla Mo  
December, 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Colonel

I have the honor, to submit to you, the following statement in regard of the escape, of two Prisoners, from the place of their confinement, ("South East Bastion of Fort Myman") William King and James Belding. The escaped Prisoners were at Roll Call, on the Evening of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst, present with all the other Prisoners.

Between the night from the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> inst they enlarged with the aid of a knife one corner of a Port Hole and succeeded to crawl through

I am convinced that one of the centinels, has neglected his duty, or it would be impossible for the Prisoners to escape. The Room was guarded on two sides and every object could be noticed.

On which centinel the fault rests, I could not find out.

But I am in hopes that

I will yet bring the guilty Party  
to light

These are the first prisoners  
that escaped from this Prison  
since I have had Command of  
the Fort, and I believe they  
would not have had success,  
if I had not been bound, to  
take the inside Guard, away,  
for want of men, caused by  
an order, to furnish men to  
guard the camp of the 48th Mo  
Vols

And hereafter the Corporals  
of each Relief will visit the  
Prison and see if the prisoners  
are all present, <sup>before he relieves the guard</sup> The Sergeant  
will have Roll Call and  
Inspection of the <sup>prison</sup> twice a day

I regard the Sergeant  
who commanded the Guard at  
the time of the escape of the <sup>Prisoners</sup>  
I have to say, that he is not to  
blame, he has done his duty  
faithfully

Hoping you find no  
fault on my part

I Remain  
Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servant  
Charles Fichte

Major Genl M S M Duffin  
Comdg Dist Wyman  
Pa

To Col A Sigel  
Comdg  
Post of Polla



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Baltimore Md.

Wm. B. ~~Adams~~ <sup>Adams</sup> Postmaster  
Office of the Postmaster  
Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

P. O. No. 100, 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
Capt Ph. Schuyler  
A. A. A. Genl.

Information relating to  
Jones & Ally. refugees.

Citizens.

Wm. B. Adams

Wm. B. Adams

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

Dec: 17: 1864

Capt: I have the honor to state that  
by direction of the Comd: Genl: Two re-  
fugees S. H. Jones and W. C. Alley have  
been permitted to enter our lines to remain  
with their families -

They have both taken the Oath of  
Allegiance - and are to stay at the house  
of William Jones - the father of S. H. Jones -  
Mr. Alley has his wife residing near Sangs  
Church - as soon as she joins him -  
he desires to go North with her - In the  
mean time he is to remain at the house  
of Mr. W. Jones -

Genl: Meade is not very well satis-  
fied with these two men - and I have  
told them that if they are found to  
be engaged in any suspicious conduct  
or visiting stragglers in our lines - and  
in fact unless they keep close at home -  
they will be re-arrested and sent North

as prisoners of war -

Will you please notify your  
Division Prov. Marshal of the above - I  
believe Serl. Potter is staying at the house  
of Mr. W. Jones -

I remain Capt.

Capt. H. I. Kefferon.

Prov. M. 9. Corp.

very respectfully

your obedt. servt.

P. Schuyler  
Capt. A. A. S.

Head qrs Army of the Potomac  
Office of the Quartermaster  
Decr 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt Ph. Schuyler  
A A A B.

Information regarding  
General Alley refugees

C. D. Grant, Major 7<sup>th</sup> I. L.



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

Dec: 17: 1864

Capt:

I have the honor to state that the following are copies of endorsements recd from Genl. Meade in regard to the two Refugees - Pones and Alley -

" \* \* \* \* \* " The Refugees Pones and Alley on taking the oath of Allegiance will be required to come within the lines and remain at the Pones House where the Prov. Mar. Corps will be instructed to keep special surveillance over them to see they do not abuse the privileges now granted " \* \* \* \* \* " It appearing that Capt. Alley and family desire to go North - you will on his taking the oath of Allegiance so send him - allowing a reasonable time for him to dispose of his moveable property now here -

Will you please inform me when his wife joins him -

(over)

I remain Capt.

very respectfully

your obedt. servt.

W. Schuyler

Capt. U. S. A.

Capt. H. S. Heffron

Prov. Mar.

Co. Corps.

Dec 1864

List of Citizens who  
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refuse to take the  
Oath of Allegiance.

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# Names of Citizens who refuse to take the Oath of Allegiance.

No.	Name.	Age	No. of children	Residence.
1	John F. Paggot	27	1	Near Zion's Church.
2	Emily C. Bryant	37	5	" " "
3	Rebecca Bryant	16	—	" " "
4	Mrs. Russell	26	—	" " "
5	Mrs. Jackson	57	—	" " "
6	<del>Martha Pittman</del>	50	1	Between R.R. and Prince Ge. Court House.
7	<del>James Pittman</del>	19	—	" " " " "
8	Edw. McParran	30	—	Between Quaker Rd. & P. G. C. H. Road. Darius's house
9	Harriet Young	25	2	" " " " "
10	James Rowling		1	On Davenport Church Road.
11	Mrs. Rowling			" " " " "
12	S. W. Rowling	18		" " " " "
13	Miss Rowling			" " " " "
14	Edw. Cain		4	Jerusalem Park Road.
15	Jucy Chappin		3	" " " " "
16	Albert Edwards	16	—	P. G. C. H. and City Point Road.
17	M. A. Batts	55		Cedar Level Station.
18	Dr. P. Epps	51		Junction of River & Mason's Mills Road.
19	W. H. Birchett	54		" " " " "
20	R. H. Birchett	24		" " " " "
21	Frank J. "	38		" " " " "
22	Giles Johnson	63	5	Near Merchant Hope Church.
23	Sam. Tenner	47		" " " " "
24	Sarah S. S. S.	46		Stage Road, 3 mi. from P. G. C. H. Road.
25	Ann S. S.	18		" " " " "
26	Margaret S. S.	14		" " " " "
27	Jane Scarborough	23		" " " " "

missioner

Quakers

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missioner

28	Julia Ann Murray	23		" " "	
29	Wm Richardson	56	}	1	5 Capro Leno:
30	Wm "	43			
31	Jos. Albright	52	}	8	" "
32	Wm "	47			
33	Octavia Allen	18			

Head Quarters 3<sup>d</sup> Penna Corps  
December 27. 1864

Captain Schuyler  
14 Infantry A. A. S.

Captain,  
I have the honor to report that  
all the persons, named on the enclosed list, have taken  
the Oath of Allegiance, except the following, who have  
already been sent outside the lines,

- 1 Eliza M. McBrook,
- 2 Maria P. Young,
- 3 ~~Dr. [unclear]~~
- 4 Mrs. White.

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obedt Servt  
A. H. [unclear]  
Sene- Col Comd<sup>g</sup> Bat  
3<sup>d</sup> Penna Corps

D. # 233, CO. 1154

H<sup>d</sup> Q<sup>r</sup>trs Northern Dept.

Cincinnati O 12 Dec 1864

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Atto. Gen (72) 207

Northern Dept

Maj Gen J. H. Senterbury

Lawrence H. Senterbury  
Major A. S. P.

Requests a report of the  
names of the officers passing  
the arrest of Edward E. Waller  
of this city.

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Cincinnati O 12 Dec 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Maj W. H. Lawrence U. S. C.  
with information that Waller  
was arrested by Delewis J. H.  
Roberts and R. S. Jeffries

Enc 10 - 11/10 A. L. Miller  
Brig Genl

Recd. Ill. 12 Dec 1864

HEAD-QUARTERS, NORTHERN DEPARTMENT.

Cincinnati, Ohio, December 11<sup>th</sup> 1861.

Brig Genl Mellick

Cmddy Cincinnati, Ohio.

General.

I am directed ~~by the~~  
Major Genl Comdy the Dept to inquire the  
names of the officers making the arrest of  
Edward C. Waller in this city, and if you  
know them to request that you will report their  
names by the return messenger.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

Wm Lawrence

Major A. S. C.



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David - Pat

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ARMIES OPERATING AGAINST RICHMOND.

Henry Titus      Edward Ryan  
Jeremiah Burch      Thomas Smith  
Frank Flint

Discharged and sent out of the lines  
by order of Brig Genl. W. R. Patrick Pro. Marsh  
Genl. Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

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Wm J. Boyce      James McFree  
James Ward      Jacob Boyd  
C. F. Belmont      John Brady  
Chas Richmond

Discharged and sent out of the lines  
by order of Brig Genl. W. R. Patrick Pro. Marsh  
Genl. Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1864

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John Brown      John Williams  
Geo Hawkins      V. Simonsen  
Henry Campbell      C. F. Belmont  
Francis Conrace      Mathew J. Boyce  
John. P. Robinson      James Ward

Pro Man City Joint V.  
3 Men of Disobeying  
Order Dec 17/64.

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Office of the Provost Marshal General,  
ARMIES OPERATING AGAINST RICHMOND.

City Point, Va

Dec. 14. 1862

Capt. Potter

Crossbar.

At the request  
of Capt Sanford Jones of the John  
Crockett, I send you three  
(3) men for refusing to do duty  
when ordered; to be detained  
subject to Capt Jones order.  
Names

Oscar Leever.

James Murphy.

Lewis Lawson.

Very Respectfully

Wm. J. Smith  
Capt. U.S.A.

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*[Faint handwritten text, possibly "Red Wings"]*

*[Faint handwritten notes or a list, mostly illegible]*

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Roster  
of Employees at  
Matthey House

City Pt. No.

Dec 2 57 804

Walter H. Ross  
City Point, Va  
December 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt Beckwith  
In Mat.

Capt.

In obedience to  
orders from your office I have  
the honor to make the following  
report of persons, hired and employed  
at this house

W. G. Reardon  
John R. Lowell  
Robert B. Brockett  
Anthony W. Earnest  
John Earnest  
Philip Fletcher

Colued

- 1 Nelson Gowan
- 2 John Washington
- 3 Jack Spencer
- 4 Richard Crosby
- 5 George Jones
- 6 Flynne White
- 7 Philip Warner
- 8 Robert Bowling
- 9 William Harrison
- 10 Robert Gould
- 11 Joseph Wright
- 12 Henry Living
- 13 Thomas Banks
- 14 Jesse Harris
- 15 Peter Jones
- 16 William Romney



Girls. (Colored)  
Sarah Braddock  
Hannah Randall  
Josephine Murch  
Mrs Casey

I certify that the above list  
comprises all the help used  
or employed at this house.

Very Respectfully  
Yr Obedt. Servt.  
John W. Lawrence  
for A. E. Kimball  
Proprietor Matthys House

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Dec 1, 1864

Citizens.

Names of colored persons rationed at Fernandina  
December 1<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Richard Anderson	Same	Sarah Johnson	Old
Mirinda Albert	old	Jennie King	Paralyzed
Charlotte Armstrong	"	Jack Miller + wife	old
James Smith	old + feeble	Jack Mitchell	old + feeble
Jack, Strawn + wife	old	Wannah McQueen	Old
Susan Braddock	"	Bella Nightingale	"
Maester Christopher	"	Belia Nightingale	"
Patty Carter	"	Ancilla Robinson	" + feeble
Charles Cooper	"	Samsey Saddle	" + crippled
John S. Dago + wife	"	Sam. Sturrit	" "
Saml. Delony	"	Wannah Sammis	Old
Cecilia Delion	Feeble	Petsy Sammis	"
Walter Dimmock	"	Matia Sanders	"
Chloe Fernandez	old	Steph Stafford	Sick
James <sup>found his wife</sup> Forrester + wife	"	Clarissa Tusknot	very feeble
Thomas Hill	one leg	Wannah Williams	Old
Louis Hart + wife	old + blind		
Philis Heat	Feeble	No. of adults	41
Richard Jervis	old + feeble		
Peggy Jeddow	" "		
Terrelia Johnson			
+ son, an idiot			
Esther Jenkins	Old		
Susan Jervis	"		

Names of colored children rationed Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Neely's children

- x Abram Johnson
- x George Meredith w.
- x Fred. Douglas
- x Simeon Johnson
- x Henry Musher w.
- x Marcus Musher w.
- x Sam. King w.
- x Willie Ross
- x Ellen Hayward
- x Coria Lake
- x Mary Meredith w.
- x " Johnson
- x Betsey "
- x Sam "

Charlotte Albert's

- x Engin Albert
- x Jane "

Betsy Braddock

- x Margaret B.
- x Maria "
- x Abram "
- x Phoebe "

Emma Beard

- x Nancy Beard
- x Nora Beard

Wester Braddock

- x Henrietta Braddock
- x Sally Braddock
- Sophy Davis
- x Jack Acker
- x Anson "
- x Charlotte "
- x Allen "
- x Miller "
- x Harriet "
- x Charis Jones
- x Harriet Jones
- x Maria Jones
- x Charlotte Jenkins
- x Mary Jenkins
- x Charlie "

Phoebe Taylor

- x Anna Taylor
- x Polly Lane
- x George King
- x Isado "
- x Nellie Wright
- x Elizabeth Wright
- x Louisa Wright
- Thomas Hill
- x Tyler Hill
- x Charlie "

Nancy Harrison

- x Swins Harrison
- x Ann "
- x Philip "
- x Wm "
- Sue Jacob
- x George Dublin
- x Louisa Adams
- Polly Corman
- x Mitchell Foreman
- x Joshua "
- x Ann "
- Sukie Jones
- x Daniel Jones
- x Toby "
- Jane Williams
- x William Williams
- x David "
- x Lucy "
- x Harry "
- Anna Young
- x Abram Young
- x Jessentou "
- x Susannah "
- Mary Ann Song
- x Anna Song
- x Nelson "

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Leticia Robinson

- x Thomas Robinson
- x Wyatt "
- x Stephen "
- x Miscilla "
- Hannah Perlite
- x Fanny Perlite
- x Hector "
- Oliver "
- x one child

Susan Crosier

- x Susan Crosier
- x Nora "
- x Toby "
- x David "
- x Daniel "
- x child "
- No. children 50
- Those marked "w" are white.

Ellen Robinson

- x Philip Robinson
- x Rose "
- x Sarah "
- x Lewis "
- x Lovina "
- x Daniel "

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Record of sutlers  
Trading at Fort Sumner  
Ala Dec. 20, 1864

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Office of Provost Marshal  
Fernandina Fla. December 20/64

Record of Suller's Trading at Fernandina Fla.

No	Name	By Whose Orders	Remarks
1	W. C. Morrill	Treasury Department	Citizen
2	S. J. Riddell	" " " "	Suller 21 U. S. C. T.
3	Gustave Stark	Agreeable to Dist. Atk. 26	Confessionary
4	John Bunt	" " " " "	Citizen
5	Albert Reynolds	" " " " "	"
6	J. H. Mooney	" " " " "	" City
7	J. A. Donnelly	" " " " "	"
8	George Latham	" " " " "	" Old Town
9	W. Phealan	" " " " "	"
10	Charles Martin	" " " " "	"
11	Robert Wilson	" " " " "	"
12	Joseph Einstein	" " " " "	"

John K. Brinker  
Capt. 107 Ohio Vols  
& Provost Marshal

Record of Letters at  
Fernandina Fla.

Dec 20, 1867

Office of Provost Marshal  
 Fernandina Fla Dec 20/64

Record of Suttlers trading at Fernandina Fla

No	Names	By whose order	Remarks
1	J. M. Merrill	Treasury Dept.	Citizen
2	St. J. Riddell	"	Sutler 21 U.S.C.T.
3	Gustave Starck	equable to Dist: H. 26	Confessioner
4	John Briet	"	Citizen
5	Albert Reynolds	"	"
6	J. H. Mooney	"	"
7	J. H. Donnelly	"	"
8	J. Latham	"	" Old Town
9	W. Phalan	"	"
10	Charles Warton	"	"
11	Robert Wilson	"	"
12	Joseph Einstein	"	"

John H. Painter  
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G. D. DeParge

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G. DeParge  
~~citizen~~  
Citizen

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the

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HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF.

New Orleans, December 1st, 1864.

SPECIAL ORDERS  
No. 325.

[ Extract. ]

It appears in this case from the testimony on file and written admissions of accused that Emile Aubert, agent for J. J. Albert, dealer in Hats and Caps, corner of Custom House and Chartres Streets, sold to one Defarge a large number of Military Confederate Caps to be transported without the lines; that said Defarge, either as such purchaser and on his own account, or as agent for Aubert, undertook to carry the same to the public enemy, and was arrested by the Police force in transit with the goods identified.

Smuggling is one of the offences charged, but the graver one is giving aid and comfort to the enemy. It is aggravated in this case by the parties engaged in it claiming Foreign birth and neutral position.

Principals are liable for the acts of their agents, and the firm of J. J. Albert must bear the delinquencies of their attorney, Emile Aubert. The entire stock in trade and business of Albert is tainted with this offence, the most serious of any known to the Military Code as against civilians.

It is ordered that the entire stock in trade of J. J. Albert, be confiscated to the use of the United States, and be disposed of by the Provost Marshal General, in accordance with existing orders.

That the papers and books of account, and other vouchers of indebtedness be delivered to the Consul of France, for the benefit of said Albert

That any license of trade heretofore given to said Albert, be recalled and made void.

That the said Emile Aubert, be confined for one year, at hard labor, at the Dry Tortugas.

That G. Defarge, be confined at hard labor, at the Dry Tortugas, during the war; and that neither the said Emile Aubert, or G. Defarge, shall be found within the limits of this Department, after expiration of sentence, under penalty of death.

The Provost Marshal is charged with the execution of this order.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL HUBBUT :

Captain and Assistant Adjutant General.

J. J. Albert  
Stone P.M.G.

Jacksonville Fla  
28th  
13742 E. C. J. Jr. 1864

Samuel J. J.  
L. R. B. 328 D. 9/18/64

As to Mat Morris  
Sancho and Gas Butler  
(Colored) men be allowed  
to use one boat for the  
purpose of fishing &  
oystering

Office P. M.  
Dir of Fla  
Jacksonville Fla  
Dec 31/64

Respectfully forwarded  
Approved

J. M. Johnson  
Capt U.S.G.  
P. M. Dir of Fla

HEAD QUARTERS, DIST. OF FLORIDA,  
4th Separate Brigade, D. S.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla Dec. 30 1864

Permission  
granted. E. J. [Signature]

Jacksonville Florida

Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Serib T. J. Robinson  
A. A. A. Genl

We have the honor to respectfully ask that Morris Sanchez and James Butler (Colored men) be allowed to have one small boat for the purpose of fishing to supply the market with fish and oysters, and if the permit is granted we feel confident that they will not violate any rule or order in regard to fishermen.

Most Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servts

John Sammis  
Joseph Remington

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Reports of Court  
Prisoners for 15  
days, commencing  
Dec 1<sup>st</sup> & ending Dec  
15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

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Office Provost Marshal Dist of Fla Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

Report of Prisoners in custody of the Dist. Pro. Mar at Jacksonville Fla at this date transferred and released during (55) fifteen days commencing Dec 1<sup>st</sup> & ending Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

No	Names	When Confined	By Whom	Charges	Remarks
1	John Wingard	Sept 20 <sup>th</sup> 1864	Pro. Mar	Violating oath of Allegiance	Awaiting action of Genl Comdg
2	Johnathan Prevatt	July 31 <sup>st</sup> 1864	"	Disloyalty	"
3	J. H. Ponz	Sept 26 <sup>th</sup> 1864	"	"	"
4	James Tarnu	" 26 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	"
5	Joseph Fitzpatrick	" 26 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	"
6	Alfred M Moore	" 26 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	"
7	John Brown	" 26 <sup>th</sup> "	"	Murder	"
8	Harbes Doggett	" 26 <sup>th</sup> "	"	Disloyalty	"
9	Henry Ricci	Oct 2 <sup>nd</sup> "	"	"	"
10	John Holmes	" 10 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	"
11	D. M. Sanders	" 17 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	Released on parole of honor by order of Brig Genl G. S. Scarborough Prisoner of War <sup>after permission of the officers of the town</sup> Awaiting trial
12	M. Sanchez	" 17 <sup>th</sup> "	"	"	"
13	Ora Coopers	" 16 <sup>th</sup> "	"	Violation of oath	Awaiting <sup>the</sup> action of Genl Comdg
14	Simon Brown	" 27 <sup>th</sup> "	"	Murder	"
15	Lee M. Cloud	" 30 <sup>th</sup> "	"	Disloyalty	"

6	Alfred M Moore	26 <sup>th</sup>	"		
7	John Brown	26 <sup>th</sup>	"	Murder	" " " " " "
8	Charles Daggitt	26 <sup>th</sup>	"	Disloyalty	" " " " " "
9	Henry Ricci	Oct 2 <sup>nd</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
10	John Holmes	10 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Released on parole of honor by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon Prisoner of War <sup>and permitted to visit his family of the town,</sup> Awaiting trial
11	D. M. Sanders	17 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
12	M. Sanchez	17 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
13	Ora Carpenter	16 <sup>th</sup>	"	Violation of oath	Awaiting <sup>the</sup> action of Genl Comdg
14	Simon Brown	27 <sup>th</sup>	"	Murder	" " " " " "
15	Geo M. Leland	30 <sup>th</sup>	"	Disloyalty	" " " " " "
16	Cornelius Drandy	Nov 15 <sup>th</sup>	Pro Man	Theft	Trial <sup>by</sup> M. Commission
17	Luke Drandy	15 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
18	Smith Drandy	15 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
19	J. H. Scott	22 <sup>nd</sup>	"	"	Order to be confined by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon
20	C. Nichols	25 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Awaiting trial by M. Commission
21	H. D. Leland	10 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Released by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon Dec 15 <sup>th</sup> 1864
22	Luke Johns	10 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Released also 15 <sup>th</sup> 1864 upon expiration of sentence of M. Co
23	H. B. Watson	10 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Prisoner of war <sup>transferred to Pro Man Genl Kellogg's Head &amp; Co by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon Dec 7, 1864</sup> Awaiting trial
24	Wm Hull	16 <sup>th</sup>	"	Violation of oath	Prisoner of war <sup>transferred to Pro Man Genl Kellogg's Head &amp; Co by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon</sup> Awaiting trial
25	H. C. Oster	16 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Transferred to Pro Man Genl G. P. Scammon's Head & Co by order of Brig Genl G. P. Scammon
26	John Sedgwick	Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	Pro Man	smuggling arms	Awaiting action of Genl Comdg
27	James Henderson	7 <sup>th</sup>	"	Breach of Peace	Temporary confinement
28	John Brady	7 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	Released by order of Pro Man
29	Mr. Mearns	7 <sup>th</sup>	"	"	" " " " " "
30	Peter Kenner	15 <sup>th</sup>	Genl G. P. Scammon	"	Awaiting action of Genl Comdg

J. M. Johnson  
 Capt & U. S. G. P.  
 & Pro Man Sect of Fla



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Report of Levee and Reservoir  
for 96 days commencing  
Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864 & ending  
Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Office of Provost Marshal Dept of Fla Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Report of Prisoners in Custody of the Dept Provost Marshal at Jacksonville Fla at this date transferred and released during (6) six days commencing Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864 and ending Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

No	Names	When confined	By Whom	Charges	Remarks
1	John Kingd	Sept 20/64	Pro. Mar. D.	Violating the duty of a Prisoner	Awaiting action of the Genl Comdg
2	Johnathan Priest	July 31 <sup>st</sup>	"	Disloyalty	"
3	J. W. Powell	Sept 26/64	"	"	"
4	James Turner	" 26/64	"	"	"
5	Joseph Fitzpatrick	" 26/64	"	"	"
6	Alfred M. Moore	" 26/64	"	"	"
7	John Brown	" 26/64	"	Murder	"
8	Charles Doggett	" 26/64	"	Disloyalty	"
9	Henry Price	Oct 2/64	"	"	Released
10	D. M. Sanders	" 17/64	"	"	Prisoner of War Awaiting trial
11	M. Sanchez	" 17/64	"	"	"
12	Ora Carpenter	" 16/64	"	Violation of duty	Awaiting the action of Brig Genl Comdg
13	Simon Brown	" 27/64	"	Murder	"
14	Geo M. Island	" 30/64	"	Disloyalty	"
15	Cornelius Drandy	Nov 15/64	Pro. Mar. D.	Theft	Trial by Mr. Commissioner
16	Lute Drandy	" 15/64	"	"	"

10	M Sanchez	" 17/64			
12	Ora Carpenter	" 16/64		Violation of Court	Awaiting the action of Brig Genl Comdg
13	Simon Brown	" 27/64		Murder	" " " " " "
14	Leo M. Island	" 30/64		Disobedience	" " " " " "
15	Comelius Drandy	Nov 15/64	Pro. Mar. 25	Theft	" Trial by M. Commissioner
16	Lute Drandy	" 15/64	" " "	"	" " " " " "
17	Smith Drandy	" 15/64	" " "	"	" " " " " "
18	J. W. Scott	" 22/64	Refused Scamman		Ordered to be confined by Brig Genl & P. Scamman
19	C. Nichols	" 25/64	Pro. Mar. 25	Alleged Traffick	Awaiting Trial by M. Commissioner
20	Joseph Bellefleur	Dec 15/64	Brig Genl Scamman	Smuggling	" Action of Brig Genl Comdg
21	Andrew Webb	" 16/64	" " "	Drugs	Awaiting Trial
22	John Holmes	Oct 10/64		Disobedience	Released in force of <sup>and permitted the limit of the town</sup> order of Brig Genl & P. Scamman
23	H. D. Delaney	Nov 10/64	Pro. Mar. 25	Board of Beau	" By order of Brig Genl Scamman Dec 15/64
24	Gas Steendean	Dec 7/64	" " "		Pro. Mar. 25 Dec 16 <sup>th</sup> 1864
25	Peter Herman	" 15/64		"	Brig Genl & P. Scamman Dec 17/64
26	John Sedgwick	" 11/64	" " "	Smuggling of Arms	Pro. Mar. 25 Dec 28/64
27	Gas Powers	" 25/64	Capt. J. Robinson	Drunkness	" Capt Thomas J. Robinson a a a 25 Dec 28/64
28	Leo Wilson	" 28/64	Office of the Guard	Insulting Language	Pro. Mar. 25 Dec 28/64
29	John Brady	" 28/64	" " "	"	" " " " " Dec 28/64
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See 8th Army Corps.

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O. P. M. G. No. 1 1864

Saint Louis Mo.

Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

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Donnellaid, J. P.  
Capt. & A. D. C.

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States that the following parties  
have applied to go South and  
the General has granted their  
requests and thinks a book  
should be kept to register  
their names: Mrs H. Shields,  
Miss Annie H. Shields, Mrs  
Ann D. Drigg, Mrs Susan Drigg,  
Miss Flora Drigg, Miss  
Anna Drigg, & Willie Drigg  
all of Fayette Co. Mo.

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O. P. M. G. Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

These files

I report these

people in power

book

J. J.

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col.

The following is a list of names of persons applying to go South - The General commanding informed the parties presenting them that the applicants could get ready, and thinks you had better keep a descriptive book in which to register their names -

Mrs. A. Shields - Miss Hattie W. Shields - Mrs. Anna Trigg - Mrs. Susan Trigg - Miss Flora Trigg - Miss Anna Trigg - Millie Trigg - All of Lafayette Co. Mo.

Col. Joseph Darr  
Act. R. M. S.

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obedt. Servt,  
J. P. Donnellan  
Capt. U.S.C.



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Kansas City Mo  
Dec 10<sup>th</sup>

Halb. Manson, S.  
No. 1. D.

Submit his report  
for the first ten days  
of December

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File 186 of

O.P.M., Dec 25<sup>th</sup>

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Report  
A. J. Hall

H.

Kansas City, Mo.  
December 10<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Sir.

I have the honor to state, that since my last report, dated November 30<sup>th</sup> 1864. I have arrested John Glen (Alias) while in the act of committing an assault with intent to kill. also Thomas Malus for theft and assault. Within the past ten days there has been eight horses stolen from this vicinity. I am well aware who the thieves are, but have not been able to apprehend them in this department. I have telegraphed to the Provost Mar- at Lawrence Wyandott and Lawrence Kansas for their arrests. Up to the present time only one has been arrested. a Wm. Logan who was tried and sentenced, and afterward escaped from confinement at St. Joseph Mo.

All of which I have the honor to submit as my report for the first ten days of December 1864.

Very Respectfully,

To Peter Fallon  
Chief of Police  
St. Louis Mo

Your Obedt Servt  
Mansour G. Hall  
K. C. Detective.

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St. Louis Mo  
Dec 23<sup>d</sup> 1864

Pub. Prt. Mtl. & Mib. Com.  
A. S. Clarke, J. C.

Asks that Wm. Hudd-  
leston and C. Hooper  
be ordered to appear  
before his court for  
trial.

File.

O. W. G. Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Military Commission Rooms  
Saint Louis Dec. 23<sup>d</sup> 1864.

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I have the honor to request that the  
following named Persons be ordered to appear  
at once for trial before the Military Commission  
in session in this City and of which Brig. Genl.  
D. A. Meredith U.S.A. is President.

William Riddleston

Emis Hooper.

I am, Col. with much respect  
Yours Obedt. Servt.

Albert C. Hanks

Ensign and Judge Advocate

Col. C. H. Davis  
P.M.G.

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Kansas City Dec 5/64

Hull Capt & A P M

I would do this of  
allegiance of A S.  
Hull & Samuel Gray  
employees at his Office

Employee  
file

Received on Dec 10 1864

Adams DC 9114

Manassasburg Dec 9. 1864

~~2/15/65~~

Respectfully <sup>forwarded</sup> referred to  
Col Joseph Barr Jr  
Postman Genl Dept 2nd

R L Darguam  
Capt & Dist Postman

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Office P Marshal  
Kansas City Mo, Dec 5, 64

Sir

In compliance with special Orders  
N<sup>o</sup> 303. Office P. M. General oaths of  
allegiance of AS Hall and Daniel Seay  
employees of this office, are herewith  
transmitted. One more employee (H. D.  
Hoodsworth) is absent on duty; his oath  
will be forwarded as soon as he returns.

Very respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt  
J. P. Marshall  
Asst P. M.

To  
Capt R. L. Ferguson  
P. M. Marshall  
Marionburg  
Mo.



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**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.**

*David Geary* of *Jackson* County,  
State of *Missouri* do hereby solemnly swear that I will  
bear true allegiance to the United States, and support and sustain  
the Constitution and laws thereof; that I will maintain the  
National Sovereignty paramount to that of all State, County or  
Confederate powers; that I will discountage, discountenance, and  
forever oppose secession, rebellion and the disintegration of the Fed-  
eral Union; that I disclaim and denounce all faith and fellowship  
with the so-called Confederate Armies, and pledge my honor, my  
property, and my life, to the sacred performance of this my solemn  
Oath of Allegiance to the Government of the United States of  
America.

*David Geary*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 186*5*

at *Kansas City Mo*

*J. M. Hall*

*Just Pro Marshal*

Oath of

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.**

I, Wm. Hall of Madison County,  
State of Missouri do hereby solemnly swear that I will  
bear true allegiance to the United States, and support and sustain  
the Constitution and laws thereof; that I will maintain the  
National Sovereignty paramount to that of all State, County or  
Confederate powers; that I will discourage, discountenance, and  
forever oppose secession, rebellion and the disintegration of the Fed-  
eral Union; that I disclaim and denounce all faith and fellowship  
with the so-called Confederate Armies, and pledge my honor, my  
property, and my life, to the sacred performance of this my solemn  
Oath of Allegiance to the Government of the United States of  
America.

Wm. Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

5th day of December 1864

at Kansas City Missouri

J. M. Call  
Notary Public

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Weston Mo  
Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Hilliard Maj. A.  
Cordig. Sub. Dist.

In relation to the pro-  
posed release upon bond,  
of the three Englemans,  
now confined at Alton.

*[Handwritten signature]*

file.

O. P. M. G. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Sub Dist Court Los  
Angeles Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

General Darr,

I have the honor to present  
to your attention the subjoined.

Bonds have been shown me in favor  
of S. Englemers now in Alton Prison.  
No sureties have as yet been obtained  
which I can approve. In talking with  
several prominent & influential loyal  
men they say that it is thought extremely  
hazardous to let those men out, with the  
exception of the Youngest who is probably  
not over 15 yrs old, if good sureties are  
obtained on his bond. I will approve & forward  
to your office at once, in regard to the others if  
they find good Bonds men I will approve  
& forward subject to your own discretion as  
to turning them loose again. I have the honor to be Sir  
Very Respectfully, W. H. Willard Maj Comdg Sub Dist  
Court.

Genl Darr,

Office of the U. S. M. & C. R.  
Nashville, Decr 24, 1864

Crilly S. J.  
Capt. & A. Q. M.

Encloses Statement of George  
W. Long in regard to the  
attempt of Waldman, a  
<sup>of long business</sup> Broker at No. 31 College St., to  
bribe him for the purpose of  
obtaining the payment of certain  
Vouchers.

Rec'd Off. P. M. S. (U. S. M. & C. R.) Janry 2<sup>d</sup> 1865

Military Division of the Mississippi,

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. M. R. R.,

Nashville Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1864,

Capt. S. A. Starkness

Asst Prov. Marshal

and Co. Prov.

Capt

Enclosed please

find the papers returned for  
by you in the case of the  
man Waldman arrested  
yesterday.

Very respectfully

Your order

J. M. C. C. C.

Capt. 2<sup>nd</sup>



Military Division of the Mississippi:

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE OF U. S. MILITARY RAILROADS.

1864.

you can come with him  
to gether so it will be all right  
at one clock

Military Division of the Mississippi,

QUARTERMASTERS OFFICE OF U. S. MILITARY RAILROADS.

Nashville, Tenn. Dec 29th 1864.

Capt J. A. Lovilly  
A. Q. M.

Captain;

I respectfully state, that I am cognizant, of a fraud committed in your office during the past week. The facts are as follows, On Tuesday the 27th inst, a broker named Waldman, (Office No 31 College St,) came into the cashiers office, and asked me when Starkweather vouchers would be paid; I replied I do not know, probably in a week or so. He then remarked, I have five or six thousand dollars invested in them. I wish you would pay me off, if you do I will make it all right with you, I laughingly answered, yes and you would have me in the old capitol before long, which probably is an index of my honesty, fear of the old capitol. Other conversation ensued

during which, Mr Crowley was present, the tenor of the broker's remarks led me to suspect him, and when Mr Crowley left the room, I assumed a sort of confidence with him, which brought him out, he told me he would pay me a percentage on all he made, and as he left the room, said, I will call again in about a week. Mr Crowley entered the room a few minutes after the broker had gone, and remarked; Capt Corlly has instructed me to pay off Starkweather vouchers, and such persons as dun us continually for their money. In the afternoon of the same day, ~~at~~ much to my surprise the broker returned, with a bundle of vouchers in his hand, which he left in Mr Crowley's hands, to be audited. On Wednesday the 28th inst, I went to the National Bank to draw a check, Mr Sanford the President of the Bank, paid with you. He then wrote on a little slip of paper to come with him to his office at one o'clock, which paper I took into you, and at the same time told you

told me today, that he had paid one of Col Corlly's old clerks, six per cent to pay off, his vouchers. I told him I was much obliged to him for the information, and that I had already some idea of it and was looking the matter up. He added that the same game had been played during the whole of Col Corlly's administration, and that he was aware of it. One day the broker returned for his money, and as I was paying him I said to him in a knowing manner, that was a mean game you played on me; he answered what do you mean; I replied I know all about it, you need not be afraid, you gave him six per cent, and I the one that pay you, you have not given a cent. He answered no I did not, I only gave him two & a half per cent, and told him to divide it to me himself, and as I was leaving called me back and said, this is in confidence, a broker a few doors below

Military Division of the Mississippi,

QUARTERMASTERS OFFICE OF U. S. MILITARY RAILROADS.

Nashville, Tenn.

1864.

of the proceedings. You ordered me to find out what I could about it, and report to you. I returned to my room, and found Mr Crowley there at his safe, I walked up to him and gave him the note, the broker had given me, and said, Crowley that is not fair, we ought to share profits. He seemed surprised, but replied that's all right, it don't come from the Govt; the rest I did not hear. I believe he said, we have a right to make all we can, to make up for the responsibility resting on us.

I have the honor to be  
Very Respy

Your Obedt Servt

George W. Long  
clerk.

Personally appeared before me Capt J.  
J. Cully 1.2. - M. S. Army, Geo W. Long  
The person who makes the within statement  
and he does further solemnly swear that  
it is true and accurate in every par-  
ticular.

Nashville Tenn  
Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

George W. Long  
J. J. Cully  
Capt 1.2. -  
M. S. Army

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M. 4380. P. M. 4. 9. 1. 1864.

Saint Louis, Mo.,

Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Huffman, Edward J.  
U. S. A.

Gives information of a  
number of dangerous rebels  
who need watching

J. B. Q.

Rec'd O. P. M. 4. Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1864.

St. Louis Mo.  
Dec. 28th 1864.

Sir:

I have the honor to  
communicate the following:

Wm. J. James general repair-  
ing agent on the "Western Tele-  
graph Line" (as far west as  
Nebraska) is a dangerous  
rebel. As a repairer it is in  
his power to put up subterra-  
neous wires for rebel operators  
to purloin military dispatch-  
es. Such has frequently been  
done. - He is now at California, Mo.

Mr. - Abbey formerly  
telegraph operator at California,  
Mo. and who has now received  
another appointment as such  
at some point on the Pacific R.R.  
is an inveterate rebel. - He

is a "Sound" operator and his method (as he told me) of stealing dispatches is to hang round telegraph offices and write them off from Sound. - He would give important information to the enemy. -

Mr. Day, formerly Secretary, Mo. Senate as well as Sheriff of Chariton Co. Mo. but now engaged in steam-boating on the Mo. R. is an active, skilful rebel. -

Judge Curwin, who was ousted from the Supreme Court of Mo. from refusing to take the oath of allegiance has removed from Jeff. City to St. Louis and opened an office at the cor. 3d and Pine Sts. - He is a man that needs watching.

So, also of a Mr. Bond of 290 Broadway, St. Louis.



I am, Sir,

Very Respectfully Yours,

Edward F. Hoffman.

Col. J. H. Baker,

Pro. Mar. Gen.

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Hannsburg Mo

Decr 30 1864

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Rev. Harriett C.  
Cross W. W.

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Affidavits in the case  
of A. J. Wallace et al.

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file in case  
Samuel

O. M. G. Jan 5 1865

Ad Mrs J C Wm  
Office of Prov Marsh  
H. H. Hannenburg Jan'y 3<sup>d</sup> 1865  
Respectfully referred to Col  
J P Baker, Provost Marshal  
Kent Dept. Wm, with the  
information that the parties  
whose affidavits are herein  
enclosed can be relied  
upon.

R L Derguson  
Capt & Prov Marshal

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Officers of Newmott  
to Gen Elyah Burt-  
hamer & W W Rose  
Against  
A J Wallace Voters

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Head Quarters Dept. of the Mo  
Office Pro. Mar. Genl.

St. Louis Feb. 9. 1865.

Respectfully forwarded to  
Col. Merrill, Camp Spring-  
field, Mo. who will please  
cause the arrest of Wallace  
if he can be apprehended.

J. M. Davis,

St. Col. and Asst. Pro Mar. Genl.

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Office and Post Marshal  
12th St. Pitt County Mo

Warrensburg Mo Dec 30 1864

Ms. O.P.M. 1/65

Mrs Harriet C. Keen of Johnson Co Mo States  
 that her husband Peter P. Keen was murdered  
 by a gang of Bushwhackers in Johnson Co Mo  
 on or about the 26th day of March 1862, the  
 following named men were the men that  
 killed my husband, to wit Jack Brescoe,  
 Joseph Cox, George Smith, John J. Smith,  
 and Andrew J. Wallace, I have good reason  
 to believe the said Andrew J. Wallace is now  
 at Frankfort Ill. Letters are mailed to his  
 care at Frankfort Illinois they are mailed  
 at Holden Mo. Said Wallace was considered a  
 notorious Bushwhacker before he left the State  
 I can furnish substantial evidence that he  
 was with the party that killed my husband

Harriet C. Keen

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Elijah Buchanan States I am a citizen of Johnson  
 Co Mo. I know Andrew J. Wallace formerly of  
 Johnson Co Mo. I saw him with a gang of  
 Bushwhackers on or about the 26th day of March 1862  
 on the same day that Peter P. Keen was killed. He  
 was with the party that killed Mr Keen. I heard  
 the gun fire that killed Mr Keen. Letters are now  
 addressed to him at Frankfort Illinois from Holden Mo

I have no doubt but Substantial Evidence can  
be brought forth that he participated in the murder  
of Mr. Keen and that he was a member of a gang  
Thieves and murderers.      Elijah Buchanan

Ex 557,

William W. Rose States I am Post Master at Golden  
Mo letters are sent through that Office to Andrew J  
Wallace Frankfort Illinois. I know him to be the  
same Andrew J. Wallace that participated in the  
murder of Rev P. Keen in March 1862 in Johnson  
Co Mo. Evidence can be brought to show that he  
was with the party that killed Mr Keen on the  
same day they killed Mr Keen the same party  
took me and threatened to kill me. My father in  
law succeeded in getting them to spare my life  
they said in my presence that they would kill  
every damned Union man in the County and every  
man that went among Federal Soldiers,  
Wallace was a School Teacher, I think he is now  
teaching near Frankfort Illinois.

B. E. = 44

W. W. Rose

Subscribed to before me

this 30th day of December 1864

W. H. Smith  
Asst. Prob. Marshal

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Respectfully forwarded to  
Capt. R. L. Ferguson Pro Mar  
Dist. Court. Mo. with a request  
that it be forwarded to the  
Pro Mar Genl. Dept. Mo.  
for the purpose of having  
Wallace arrested and brought  
to this place for trial

A. Smith  
S. Genl. Advt. Pro Mar  
1<sup>st</sup> Sub Dist. Court Mo.

Head Quarters Dept of the Mo.  
Office Provost Marshal General  
Saint-Louis, Mo. Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Clifford D. Holtzclaw, is supposed  
to be in Pike County Illinois, under the name of  
Andrew Johnson. Holtzclaw, is about 5 feet 11 inches,  
or 6 feet in height; weighs about 175, or 180 pounds;  
blue eyes; light hair and whiskers; light complexion  
and has broad, heavy shoulders, but is otherwise  
trimly built.



Quinn & P. M. J. 1/1

13755

Potosi Mo

Dec 30 1864

Sub. being Capt. B. J.  
Capt. Pas. Mo.

Transmits request of  
Mrs Rebecca and Miss  
Margaret Stetter bride  
sister and mother of the  
querrillas, for a pass to  
go beyond the line, and  
suggests that it be granted  
etc.

O.P.M. Dec 5 1864

6d. 200. Dept. of the Hon.  
Office Pro. Mar. Genl.  
St. Louis, Mo. Oct. 5, 1864.

Respectfully returned to Capt.  
Lubbering, Asst. Pro. Mar.,  
All applications of this  
kind must be made to the  
General Commanding,  
Joseph Darr  
Adj. Pro. Mar. Genl.

Petition to Col  
Joseph Darr  
and  
his Reply

Office Capt Prov<sup>d</sup> Marshal  
Potosi Mo Dec 3<sup>d</sup> 1864

Sir

I have the honor of laying before you a request made by Mrs Rebecka Hetterbrand and Miss Mary<sup>e</sup> Hetterbrand, (the former is the Mother, the latter is the sister of the notorious Gurilla Hetterbrand) these Parties have requested Franklin Murphy and James Craig, formerly Captains in the 32<sup>d</sup> E. M. M., to intercede for them and procure a pass from the Provost Marshal General of this department, to go into the rebel lines, and remain there during the present rebellion, if you should see fit, to grant the above request, you would most assuredly confer a great favor upon all good Union men in St. Francois County, who are very anxious to have these notorious characters removed from amongst them

To  
Joseph Darr Jr  
P. M. General  
St Louis Mo

Very truly your most  
Obedient Servant  
Fred J. Luebbering  
Capt<sup>d</sup> and A. P. M.

L253 O.P.M.G. 2/7/04

13756

Fulton Mo  
Dec 30 1864

Ludwig St. Chas. D.  
Sp. H. Pro. Marshes.

Forwards petition in  
behalf of James A.  
James and Joseph  
Criswell and James  
Whittington who claim  
to be conscripts.

White Case  
Rich  
Richardson

O.P.M.G. Dec 7 1864

L253 CPMG 8/1/04

Richardson  
LW

L. W. Richardson

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Head Quarters 8. Sub Dist. St. Mo.  
Office Apt. Leo. Mos.  
Fuller Mo. Decbr 3. 1864.

Col. Joseph Barr Jr  
Adj. Gen. Mo. Genl. Dept. of the Mo.  
St. Louis Mo.

Col. I have the honor herewith to forward a petition  
in favor of James A. Criswell, James Criswell, Joseph  
Criswell and James Williamson Citizens of Callaway  
Co. Mo. at present at Duarint St. Military prison at St.  
Louis Mo. all claiming to be Rebel transcripts. The pe-  
tition is signed by Wm. E. Lowell, F. A. Neal, Wm. S.  
Thomas all of whom are known to me personally as  
undoubted and uncompromising Union men. How-  
nevertheless by looking over the record book I find that  
the prisoners state themselves that they were Rebel  
sympathizers and not willing to do Military duty as  
Militia men and moreover, they had from 3. to 5 days  
time granted to them to make themselves ready in  
which time they could have saved themselves if they  
would have been willing to do so, as it was left  
to themselves to come to Stephensons shore, the rendezvous  
appointed by the rebel recruiting Officers, which is

from 15. to 20. miles from their homes, whereas  
as Fultard the nearest military post is only  
from 9 to 12 miles distant. In view of these  
facts and the known disloyalty of the relations  
of these men I would respectfully recommend  
that they should be held subjects for Exchange,  
as this country is full enough of men who are  
unwilling to do military duty in the Militia.

I have the honor to be Col

Very Respectfully

Yours obt. Servt  
Charles Loring  
Lieut. & Adj. Gen. Mass.

Statement of  
W. H. Thomas  
to Neal &  
Mrs Ponce in  
regard to Jack  
Criswell & other  
conscripts —

Case O. P. M. C. D. 8527  
10/21/51



To Charles D. Ludwick, Lieut and Provost  
Marshal for the 8<sup>th</sup> Sub District,

The undersigned would state that they  
are informed that the following persons  
Citizens ~~of~~ (Leavenworth County) are  
now in the Military Prison at Saint  
Louis Mo. that they claim to be conscripted  
& that they were forced into the rebel  
army. We advise you to forward  
the following statement to the  
Provost Marshal General at St. Louis  
Mo.

To wit James A. Corinneel, James  
Corinneel, Joseph Corinneel, and James  
S. Whittington. We have known these  
men for a number of years, that  
they have not to our knowledge been  
guilty of any disloyal act. They were  
quiet citizens - a part of us were their  
near neighbors - and if they had  
been guilty of any disloyal act  
we should have known it. We  
have no doubt but what they were  
frightened or forced <sup>or by improper influences</sup> to go with the  
rebels. About the time they were  
conscribed there were a number  
of armed rebels in the County, firing  
all into the rebels since they could.  
These men did not enrol as loyal  
They were Minors, <sup>except James Corinneel</sup> at the time of  
the enrolment. We would further  
say that we the undersigned are

and have ever been loyal union  
men. Given under our hands  
at Fulton Leake County Mo on  
this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec 1864

Wm. J. Powell  
J. H. Seal  
Wm. H. Thomas

13757

Pilot Knob Mo.  
Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

Maurice Col. W. M.  
Soudy. Post.

States that P R Beasley  
and others who claimed  
to be conscripts, are noted  
rebels

file.

C. P. M. G. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

No 1413 OPM 1/24

Get this  
record  
from them

L. P. J.

Sibbald -

make copy - Spahr

Lieut. Richardson  
Where are these prisoners?  
①

Alton  
Rich

File

Head, 2<sup>d</sup>. 3<sup>d</sup>. Sub Dist  
Pilot Knot no Decr 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col

Sir I

See in the Mo Democrat  
of 1<sup>st</sup> Inst the names of a number of Rebel  
Conscripts from Franklin County Mo  
To wit

P. R. Beasley. A. J. Coleman. Samuel W  
Coleman. Robert Cheatham. Robert  
H. Daniels. George J. Jones. L. T. Jones  
Sam. G. Landrum. Robert M Lewis. John  
W. Nappier. Isaac Stoner & Langston, T.  
Good

They are the most infamous Rebels  
that lived in that County and the plea  
of Conscript is only set up after they found that  
Price could not hold the State

Col Joe. Warr

P. M. Carl St Louis Mo

your Obedt Servt

A. W. Mansun

Col Comdg Post

13758

873. A. M. S. P. M. No.  
St. Louis Missouri 5. 64.

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Sargt. Joseph  
A. M. S. P. M. No.

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Directs that receipted vouchers  
of Michael Swilling be pro-  
cured and forwarded to his  
office.

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W. T. S.

Dec. 1864

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A. M. S. P. M. Dec. 5th 1864

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF PROVOST MARCHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, Dec 5<sup>th</sup>. 1864.

Capt. C. J. Hills  
Pro. Mar. St. Louis, Dis.

Sir,

You will procure and forward to this Office without delay the receipted voucher of Michael Gailling so I can pay over the money and close the transaction.

Respectfully

your obt servt

Joseph Warr  
Act P.M.G.

L 277 (P.M. 84) 104

13759

Pilot Knob, Mo.  
Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Louisa P.F.  
Capt <sup>and</sup> A.P.M.

Asks to be allowed  
to collect the <sup>amount of</sup> bonds of  
Hughy Johnson, William  
Newman, <sup>(and)</sup> Newton Green  
now in the Rebel Army.

file

Sp. Miss. Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1864



Received Dec 16

A. G.

John

H'd Q'rs Pro. Mar. 2d Sub-Dist. of St. Louis.

Pilot Knob, Mo., Decr 10th, 1864.

Col

I have the honor to ask that I be allowed to collect the amount of Bonds, the persons being now in the rebel army, the Bonds are in St Louis

Heughey Johnson Madison Co Mo \$1000  
William Newsum " " "  
Newton Herrel " " "

The two last named is under bond but I do not know the amount as the Bonds are lost I would like to have copies of all these bonds sent me

I am Col very respectfully  
your Obedient servant

P. F. Loringham,  
Capt & Aft Pro Mar.

Col

Joseph Darr  
A. P. M. Genl.

M 1427 CP M 4 2/3

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St Louis Mo  
Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Wm. Dept. of the  
Frank. Co. A. A. C.

S. O. 341 #15.

The sentences of imprisonment  
in the cases of Mrs. Eliza  
J. Kaynie & Miss Rachel  
E. Kaynie, are commuted  
to six months imprisonment  
at the military Prison  
Alton Ills.

file



Wm. J. Deane

Headquarters Department of the Mo.  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully

returned to the General  
Commanding Dept. of the Mo.  
to be informed from what date  
the sentence of imprisonment, as  
pronounced, is to commence.

The order was received this  
P. M. -

W. M. Dawes

Lt. Col. and Actg. Pro. Mar. Gen.

O. No. 321 Dec. 14/64.

St. Louis.

L. C. v. l. Jan 6 1865.

St. Louis.

No 1427 CPMG 7/24

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

SPECIAL ORDERS,

No. 240

(EXTRACT.)

15. The sentences of imprisonment in the cases of Messrs. Elija J. Karpis and Meis. Rachel E. Karpis, published in G. O. No. 155 and No. 157. C. S. from these Head Quarters, are hereby committed to imprisonment for six months in the Military Prison at Alton, Ill.

The sentences, as committed, will be carried into effect under the direction of the Arrest Marshal General.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL ROSECRANS,

*Wm. M. Wood*

Assistant Adjutant General.

J. A. O.

13761

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Stamensburg Dec 20/64  
E# 5-20

Respectfully referred to Col  
O W Davis. For Marshal Genl  
Adept Mr. with the information  
that David W Reed Esqr. is holding  
the Post Office at this place for  
the benefit of Oliver S Heath  
who is acting in the capacity  
of Clerk in said Office his  
son Joshua R Heath is Deputy  
Post Master, and conducts  
the affairs of the Office. Heath  
& his son are both disipated  
& frequently unfit to attend  
to the duties of the Office.

I can testify to the facts in rela-  
tion to the retention of the  
Communications sent from  
this Office Heath & his son  
are both under bonds to  
appear when called for

R L Ferguson

Capt & Dist Post Mstr

R 49 C B 224 2/2



P 49 C + 114 2/10

E # 528

Head Quarters Dist. Cent Mo.  
Office Provost Marshal  
Hannenburg Mo Dec 10th-64

Oliver S Heath makes oath and says I am clerk in the Post office at Hannenburg Mo in the employ of David H Reed Post Master I have been acting as clerk in the post office since the 1st of August 1864

Question

Do you know of any official mail matter having been placed in the Post Office at Hannenburg which the Post Master refused to forward

Ans

I do not

Qs

Do you recollect of Capt Ferguson Dist Pro Marshal mailing a communication to Col Josph Darn Pro Marshal Gen on or about the 6th Inst which was detained in the Post Office

Ans

The communication referred to was not sent by the first mail

Qs

At what time was this communication placed in the Post Office

Ans

About dark

Qs

How long after this communication was placed in the post Office was it until the mail went out for St Louis

Ans  
Qs

About fourteen hours  
Do you know of Capt. Ferguson  
mailing any other official commu-  
nication which was detained in  
the Post-office

Ans  
Qs

I do not

Why was the communication re-  
ferred to detained fourteen hours

Ans

In consideration of having no scales  
to weigh it; it being of unusual  
weight I could not weigh it that  
night.

Qs

Why could you not weigh this  
communication that night?

Ans

I was attending to other duties  
(Signed) Oliver S. Heath

Sworn to and Subscribed  
before me this 10th day of Dec 64  
By J. Ferguson  
Capt & Dist. Post Marshal

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Head Qrs Dist Cent Mo  
Office Provost Marshal  
Hannsburg Mo Dec 10th 64

Joshua K Heath being duly sworn  
says I am Deputy Post Master at  
Hannsburg Mo under David Reed  
Post Master I have acted in that ca-  
pacity since August 1864

Qs

Do you know of any official  
mail matter having having been de-  
tained in your office and not for-  
warded

Ans

I do not remember one commu-  
nication

Qs

By whom was the communication  
sent and to whom addressed

Ans

I suppose it was sent by Capt  
Ferguson it bore his office marks it  
was addressed to Col Carr - St Louis

Qs

At what time was the communi-  
cation placed in the Post Office

Ans

On the evening of Dec 6th about dark

Qs

Do you remember of having detained  
other communications and send them  
back days after with the remark that  
you could not pass them through the  
office because full postage had not  
been paid

Ans

I do not

Q's<sup>14</sup>

How long did the communication above referred to remain in the Post-Office before it was sent off

Ans

About forty eight hours

Q's

What length of time <sup>intervened</sup> ~~elapsed~~ between the time this communication was placed in the Post-Office and the time of departure of the first-mail for St Louis

Ans

About fourteen hours

Q's

For what cause was this communication retained

Ans

Because we had no scales to weigh the letter the postage was not fully prepaid (Signed) Joshua R. Heath  
Dept Post Master

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 10th of Dec 1864

R J Ferguson  
Capt & J.P.M.

Hd. Qrs Dist. Court

Office Pro Marshal

Warrensburg Mo December 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Samuel St. McGuire being duty sworn states I am  
a private in Co<sup>18</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Cav (Morm<sup>o</sup>) acting orderly for  
Captain R. L. Ferguson Dist Pro Marshal, that  
it is my duty to carry all the mail<sup>matter</sup> to the Post  
Office & received the mail for the Pro Marshal  
Office that on the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst I carried the mail  
from this Office to the Post Office one Official Commu-  
-nication. address to Genl Darr Pro Marshal Genl  
which I directed the Postmaster to weigh, to as-  
ertain if full Postage had been paid - he said to  
me that he could not weigh the communication  
but that it had stamps enough on it to send  
it to the dead letter office

I called for & received Capt Ferguson  
mail on the 5<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Inst was not notified  
at any time by the Postmaster that there was  
Official Communications in his office for Capt  
Ferguson on which full Postage had not been  
paid (Signed) Samuel St McGuire

Sworn to & subscribed  
before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1864

R. L. Ferguson  
Capt & Dist Pro Marshal

Ad 2ms Dist. Cent No  
Office of Post Marshal  
Manurebas Dec 10-1864

Wm C Kellogg being duly sworn states  
that I am a clerk in the Dist Post Mars  
Office that I usually prepare all communica-  
tion for the mail, and that on or about the  
12<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1864 I sent an Official  
Communication to the Post Office address to  
Leob J P Sundersen Post Mar. Seal Sept  
No. One or two days afterwards the communica-  
tion was returned to Capt Hergerson with the  
remark that full Postage had not been paid  
on it; my recollection is that it was a single  
Letter in an Official envelope, marked  
Official Business, and a 3<sup>d</sup> Stamp  
placed upon it. I heard the Post Master  
say that he detained and other communica-  
tions address to Leob Dan, because full  
postage had not been paid.

W. C. Kellogg

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 10th Dec 1864

R. J. Hergerson

Capt Hergerson

Post Marshal

Simon Greenbaum a Private in Company  
"D" 7<sup>th</sup> Iowa Regt. being duly sworn states that  
I am acting orderly at Headquarters 7<sup>th</sup>  
Iowa Regt. that it is my duty to attend  
to the mailing, and receiving the mail from  
the Post Office for the Regiment; that some  
time about the 10<sup>th</sup> of August 1864, Lieut  
J. N. Perreault Adjutant 7<sup>th</sup> Iowa Regt  
placed in my hands the Muster Rolls  
for said Regiment with directions directed  
to the Adjutant General, and marked  
Official Business, I was instructed to  
mail said Rolls. I took them to the Post-  
Master at Hannsberg Ia. Telling him  
that I wished to have them sent off, he  
refused to mail them without unless I would  
pay Sixty cents, double the amount that  
I had been accustomed to pay on the same  
number of Rolls, he still refused to receive them  
with the prepayment of thirty cents, I sent  
the Rolls the same day to Sedalia & had them  
mailed at that place, Heath was in charge  
of the Post Office at the time.

Simon Greenbaum

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 17<sup>th</sup> Decr 1864

R. L. Bergeson

Capt & Dist Post Marshal



Post Office Warrensburg  
County of Johnson

State of Missouri

On the Seventh day of December 1864  
I stepped out of the Post Office on my  
way to the County Clerk's Office on bus-  
iness - In front of the Post Office in  
the Street I was accosted by Capt R. D.  
Ferguson - who pre-emptorily ordered me to  
his Headquarters - I said to the Captain  
that I was on business and could not go  
the Capt grew blue with rage - and demanded  
to know of me if I had sent any of his  
mail to the Dead Letter Office - I in-  
formed him that there had been none of  
his mail matter sent to the Dead Letter  
Office to my knowledge - He then asked  
me if the large <sup>package</sup> he had sent to the P. O. the  
evening before had been sent - I informed  
him that the P. O. Balances would not weigh  
the package - that the small package was  
mailed unpaid eighteen cents - the large  
package I had to go across the Square to a  
store to weigh - The Captain demanded to  
know how much the package weighed - I  
informed him that the package weighed  
Twenty one Ounces - he also demanded to  
know how much was prepaid on it (the pack-  
age) I informed him that there was Forty  
Two cents paid which left eighty four cents  
unpaid, and whoever received it would have  
to pay One dollar and sixty ~~four~~ Eight  
Cents - I also informed the Captain that he

R. D. Ferguson 7/15

had been notified through his order of  
of the delinquency in prepayment of mail  
matter - The captain swore that I was  
a damned lying son of a Bitch - I  
informed the capt. there was mail matter  
in the P.O. for him at that time, and that  
there was postage due thereon - he swore  
that that was a lie - The capt. then ordered  
me into the P.O. to give him his mail I de-  
clined and informed him there was some  
one in the office to wait on him - The  
capt grew furious and swore by God he  
would arrest me - and screamed at the  
top of his voice for a sergeant of the guard  
receiving no response to his calls he became  
more furious still and swore his was U.S.  
business and his mail matter should go

I informed the capt. that it was no part  
of the business of any employee in the Post  
Office to go around town and hunt up  
scales to weigh packages of unusual  
weight - especially after night - I did how-  
ever the next day take the package to a store  
weighed it and billed it to its destination  
with one dollar and sixty eight cents due  
thereon (on the evening of the seventh Dec, 64)

The captain could not get a sergeant  
immediately to take charge of me and I de-  
clined to go with him - we parleyed some  
time - I finally suggested to the capt. that  
as I was a civil officer of the Government  
and he a Belligerent Officer of the Gov-

~~Officer~~ environment, that I would consider myself under arrest and report to him.

The Capt. Concluded that would do and ordered me to report the next morning. I did so. The Capt. informed me that he had referred the matter to Department Headquarters and to report in the evening. I did so. The Capt. informed me that he had received instructions from Department Headquarters to investigate the case and to report the next morning (The 9<sup>th</sup> Dec) I did so. When the Capt. informed me that he was so busy that he really could not attend to it but to report in the evening. I did so when the Capt. ordered me to report morning and evening, consequently I am still under arrest.

O. Smith

State of Missouri

County of Johnson } of Chi

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1861, personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Court within and for the County of Johnson aforesaid, Oliver S. Smith, whom I certify to be a truly sober man and entitled to full credit as a man of un doubted veracity and being by me just duly sworn deposes and says that the foregoing statements to which his name is subscribed are true in every part.

Veritas in Vinculis Regnat

W. S. Heath

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set  
my hand and affixed the seal of  
said Court at my office in War-  
rensburg this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1864

Wm. S. Foster  
Clerk

1849 OPM 2/10

Post Office Warrensburgh  
County of Johnson

State of Missouri

On or about the 6<sup>th</sup> of August 1864 Capt R. L. Ferguson did through his clerk Mr. Stephen L. Higley try to negotiate a credit at the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo for Stamps which was refused

On or about the 10<sup>th</sup> of August 1864 Capt. R. L. Ferguson appeared in person at the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo and made a demand for postage Stamps on a credit and insisted on having a credit for a short time, that he was short of money. He was informed that the Stamps could not be sold on a credit - it was suggested to him at that time the better way would be to negotiate a loan, with some Officers of his acquaintance and buy the Stamps. The Capt. became enraged and damned the Post Office - we were contrary and had no accommodation

On or about the 12<sup>th</sup> of November 1864 Capt R. L. Ferguson did through some one who cannot now be identified apply at the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo to rent a box - Box No: 195, was selected, the rent was demanded in advance, but not paid in default of which - the Captains Mail has been regularly delivered at the General Delivery with the exception of the Unpaid, which would lay in the Office from two to three days from and since about the first of No-

November 1864 Capt R. D. Ferguson has, through his orderly habitually and persistently and daily deposited in the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo. Mail Matter to be mailed, short prepaid varying from Three cents to One dollar and Eighty Six cents in violation of the Postal laws and regulations governing prepaid Mail Matter

On the Sixth day of December 1864 Capt. R. D. Ferguson was notified through his Orderly that he was delinquent in prepaying his Mail Matter - the notice being disregarded

On the Eighth of December 1864 Capt R. D. Ferguson did deposit in the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo through his Orderly Mail Matter short prepaid

On or about the 20<sup>th</sup> of August 1864 Capt. R. D. Ferguson did in person call at the Post Office at Warrensburgh Mo and demanded to know why a newspaper was not forwarded which he had deposited in the P. O. He was informed that it was necessary to affix a Two cent Stamp on the paper or it would be excluded from the Mail - The Capt. became frantic and said that he had paid the postage on the paper from St Louis to Warrensburgh and he had a right to send it anywhere in the United States as he understood the law

The mail matter deposited in the Post Office at Warrensburg Mo on the 6<sup>th</sup> of December by Capt. R. S. Ferguson (weight 21 ounces) was not detained wilfully but from the fact that it being dark at the time of the deposit and the time of the employees in the Post office being officially employed by the arriving of the Northern and Western Mail in opening and assorting the same as also making up mails for dispatch until 10 o'clock P.M. The places where the package could have been weighed at that time were closed.

The package was weighed the next morning not in time for the mail, but was dispatched in the next mail properly billed - unpaid One Dollar and Sixty eight cents.

Joshua R. Heath Asst. P.M.  
O. S. Heath P.O. Clerk

State of Missouri  
County of Johnson I Jct

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December A.D. 1864, personally appeared before me Emory S. Foster Clerk of the County Court within and for the County of Johnson aforesaid - Joshua R. Heath and Oliver S. Heath and men who are personally well known to me, and who I certify to be persons of undoubted veracity - and unblemished character



And being by me first duly sworn, de-  
clare and say that the foregoing state-  
ments to which their names are  
~~attached~~ subscribed are true in every  
particular as there in set forth.

D. R. Heath

W. S. Heath

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set  
my hand and affixed my official  
seal at my office in Coarrens-  
burg this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1864

Erasmus S. Foster  
Clerk.



R49 CP 914 7/15  
Warrington Mo.  
Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864.

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Reed,  
D. W.  
Postmaster

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States that he has  
been placed under arrest  
by Capt R. I. Ferguson  
1st Mo. Inf.  
incloses affidavits  
of Joshua K. Heath  
and O. S. Heath

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Some enclosures

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Warrensburg Johnson Mo. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1844  
To Genl Darr

Provost Marshall General

sir I would Respectfully Call your attention  
to the accompanying affidavits of Joshua  
R. Heath assistant Post Master and Oliver  
S. Heath Sr in Relation to the difficulties  
between my self and Captain R. L. Ferguson  
Provost Marshal of this district which  
caused my arrest I suppose he has prepared  
charges a gainst me w<sup>h</sup>out a certain  
Package put in this office on the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst  
the facts in the case is a bout this  
this ~~package~~ was deposited in the  
post office a bout dusk and at a time  
too when the attaches of the office have  
a bout as much as they can attend to and  
it is not their place to leave the office  
to hunt up scales to weigh mail matter  
if the package can not be weighed in  
the office it was Captain Fergusons  
duty to have had this package weighed  
and the postage prepaid before it come  
to the post office he has been notified  
of his delinquencies in putting mail  
matter in the post office without being  
prepaid according to law this package  
should have been detained and sent  
to the dead letter office and if he

pursists in mailing packages here  
after I will tract the law if you will  
take the trouble to Examin the Postal Law  
you will see that I am Right and he is  
wrong he has persistantly and wilfully tried  
to mail News papers with out prepaying  
the pastag he has tried to buy postage  
stamp on a credit which he could not do  
you have I suppose you have Recived the  
package that you ordered my ass for which  
you can see that the pastage was not fully  
propayed I have Refused my ass to the  
post office department together with Captains  
Ferguson of conduct towards this office he  
Captain Ferguson said the document was  
a very important document if it was why  
did he not have it weighed and propayed  
to insure it being mailed speedly the Post  
Master Cant tell important documents from  
unimportant ones neither is it his place to  
leave his office to weigh Packages that is  
two heavy to be weighed in the office  
with great Respect I Remain your abject  
servant

Dr. Reid  
Post Master

Wernersburg  
Johnson County  
Mo.

St Louis Mo

July 13<sup>th</sup> 1865,  
8 20 PM 7/15

Foster

Henry S.

States the arrest of the  
Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster  
and clerk, by Capt R. A.  
Benjamin with Mr  
W. M. Mendenhall,  
also several Capt R. A.  
Benjamin of improper  
conduct

Spencer  
Lille

St Louis Mo.

January, 13<sup>th</sup> / 1864.

Col Baker.

Provost Marshal Genl.

of the Department of the Mo.

I have the honor to submit for your consideration the following statements.

On or about the 15<sup>th</sup> of December 1864. Capt R L Turgeon District Provost Marshal of the Central District of Mo. arrest Mr O'Neath a clerk of the Post Office in Warrensburg Mo. stating that he did so by your orders. a few days afterwards he arrested J R Neath Deputy Post Master - and D. W. Reed Post Master. at the same place - giving the same reason - Your Order - or at least orders from your office.

He required the putteman named to report to him daily. - and finally required Mr O'Neath and Mr J R Neath to give bond in the sum of \$1000 each for their appearance whenever ordered to appear by him. as he said by your order. I myself am on their bonds.

Capt Ferguson makes a practice of taking whiskey from citizens - and using it himself - When I left War-rensburg on or about the 9th of this month he had never turned over any such property to any officer - although he had taken a great deal and "Confiscated" it.

Capt Shaw. Post Qu. M. at War-rensburg told me that Ferguson has taken several barrels of Rum and that it had been used up at Head

Quarters. I have the honor to ask Colonel that you will cause <sup>the Major</sup> Heath to be released from the said bonds. The papers in the case are I suppose in your office.

I am Col very Respectfully,  
Your Obedient Servant  
Emory S. Foster

P 13 of West 1/2

Statements of Mr. Daniel B. Kellogg  
viz:

George W. Booth  
Jesse Brooks  
Robert Adams

States that he knows them to  
have been bushwhacking all  
the summer

Dec. 4, 1864

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Daniel B. Kellogg being duly sworn says. "I am thirty seven years of age - Occupation - a Painter - Residence - Keytesville Mo. Am acquainted with a number of persons who went off with Price during his late raid into this state. I have seen Geo. W. Booth with the Bushwhackers in this section of country. Saw him sometime in September in Keytesville. He was with a band led by one Tippett. I also have seen one Robt. J. Adams and Jesse Brooks with the same band. I am well satisfied that the two last mentioned persons robbed different individuals, during the summer. They were in the habit of riding through the country alone. I have seen them in Keytesville at different times with no other persons with them. Said Geo. W. Booth belonged to Berry Owens' company of Militia

D B Kellogg

Sworn & subscribed to  
before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec. 1864.

Louis Benedict

Capt. 49<sup>th</sup> Infy Mo. Vols. Comdg. Post No. 1, P. M.

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IRVING PRISON.

Memphis, Tenn. Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1864

Received for Confinement:

Bernard Myers  
J. M. Kinney  
Geo Witt  
Wm Witt  
A J Shelton

Also prisoners Thos Grady

B. H. H. H. H. H.  
Capt. Commanding Prison.

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O B # 30 DEPT Treas 1865

Memphis Tenn. Dec. 28. 1864.

W<sup>m</sup> W. Ornd

Sup. Spec. Agt. 1<sup>st</sup> Agency Treas. Dept

Transmits applications from  
Edwin S. Key, and John A. Elliot  
to obtain permits to open feed & grain  
stores at Vicksburg Miss. Wrapper

Two Enclosures.

*lit*

*Wm W. Ornd*

Recd. Hd. Br. 11. pt. Miss. Jan 2 1865

Memphis  
Dec. 23

I respectfully refer  
the enclosed papers to  
Genl. Dana for his  
information. They show  
to me the necessity of  
increasing the Supplies  
at that point. But as I  
am restricted by the agree-  
ment heretofore made of  
\$75,000 per month, I cannot  
increase the stores without the  
sanction of the department  
Commander Wm. W. Orme  
Sup. Spec. Agt  
(over)

Please return the  
enclosures -  
W. W. O

Return these  
enclosures to  
Genl. Dana  
New York  
Honor - Hon  
Wm. W. Orme  
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Respectfully referred to Maj Genl  
Hachburn Commanding Dist of Vicksburg  
for his opinion.

(Signed) J. C. Ballicot  
Asst. Sp. Aq. Sr. Dept

Head Quarter Dist of Vicksburg  
Vicksburg Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

I recommend that Genl Ballicot be  
allowed to establish such a store as he  
desires with the distinct understanding  
that he shall exhibit monthly a sworn  
statement of the cost of the goods brought  
by him to this market, and that he shall  
not demand a profit of more than 20  
and 25 per cent allowed for comm

(Signed) G. C. Hachburn

Major General

Officer Asst Sp Aq Sr Dept  
Vicksburg Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully referred to Hon. W. C. Orms  
Sag. Supervising Special Agent 2<sup>d</sup> Agency  
with the request that he will read the  
within application and the endorsement  
of Genl Hachburn, and return the same  
to me with instructions

(Signed) J. C. Ballicot

Asst Sp Aq Sr Dept

O B # 30 Dept Miss 1865

Recd. Hd. Qrs Dept Miss Jan 6. 1865

Vicksburg Mississippi  
December 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

W. D. T. Balliett  
Act. Sp. Agt. Treas. Dept.  
Sir

To meet the pressing wants of the citizens of this Post, I solicit permission to open a store for the sale of flour and corn meal. Since the removal of the restrictions upon the price of these articles, exorbitant rates have been charged, which have chiefly upon the many poor families in our midst, and the Government has been forced to feed or transport both many persons who might have maintained themselves here, could they have procured staple articles of consumption, at reasonable rates.

And even when the restrictions above alluded to were in force, there was not flour enough in the market to supply the demand. The Trade Store, being limited in their purchases to specified amounts, felt that they could not afford to bring flour here at \$16<sup>00</sup> per bbl. when other articles, at the same cost, would afford them a much greater profit. The alternative has therefore been an exorbitant price or an insufficient supply. If permitted to supply this market I would agree that sixteen dollars per bbl. (the rate fixed by General Dana) should be the maximum price for Extra flour, or I would furnish a full and sufficient supply of both articles specified at such

joined as a board of Administration. appointed by the commanding General might approve: my object would be to sell at the lowest possible rates, and make my profit on the amount of sales. It is believed that this permit would not be considered as an encroachment upon the privilege of the Trade Store already established, but on the contrary, that should the amount of their purchases remain limited they would prefer to invest in articles affording more profit.

I came from California to enter the government service in December 1862.

I served as volunteer Aid De Camp to General A. W. Collet until Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 1863, when I was appointed Lieut Col. by the President of the U.S. and assigned to the command of the Mississippi River Row Boat Det. My boats were among the first to pass the rebel batteries then at this place, and rendered my fields assistance to Admiral Farragut in maintaining the blockade of the Mouth of Red River, and preventing reinforcements and supplies reaching the rebels at Vicksburg and Port Hudson, until the capture of those places.

Upon the consolidation of the Marine Brigade into one regiment, I was assigned to the command of that regiment, but tendered my resignation, and was honorably discharged the same on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1864.

The best of references as to character, loyalty, and ability to carry out my proposals can be given if required.

Hoping that you may find it consistent with your



duty to grant the favor I ask.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

(Signed) John A. Elliot.

Head Quarters Dist. Vicksburg,

Vicksburg Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully refer to Mr Callcott,  
with the request, that, this application  
be granted, as I have no doubt, it  
will prove a public benefit.

C. C. Washburn.

Major,

Office Asst. Spl. Asst. To Dept.

Vicksburg Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully refered to W. M. Crane  
Esq. Supervising Special Agent, 2<sup>d</sup> Army  
with the request that he will send  
the within application, and the en-  
dorsement of Genl. Washburn, and  
return the same to me with  
instructions.

J. C. Callcott

Asst. Spl. Asst. To Dept.

O B # 30 Dept Miss 1865

Pres. Hd. Qrs. Dept. Miss Janry. 6. 1865

Vicksburg Miss  
Dec 11th. 1864.

Maj. Genl. C. C. Washburn  
Comdy Dist. of Vicksburg.  
General.

I respectfully request permission to open a Feed Store, at this Post, for the sale of Hay, Oats, Corn, Cornmeal, Barley, Bran, and Shorts, there is no such store in this city dealing exclusively, or to any considerable extent, in these articles, while the wants of many citizens would be met by establishing such a store. I am prepared to enter into bonds to the U.S. in such sum as the Treasury Dept, or other authorities may deem advisable, that in case a Supply Store permit is issued to me it shall be used wholly in this business and not divided into other channels of trade.

As the articles above named are quite high now North, whence they must all be procured, I think it would be necessary to meet the requirements of the public, that my permit, if granted be for the shipment of Three-Thousand Dollars worth of the above named articles per

month,

I entered the U. S. service as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut, in the 16<sup>th</sup>, Wisconsin  
Infantry, was afterwards promoted Capt, and remained in the  
Service until the consolidation of the Regt, into five Cos, when  
my Co, was consolidated with another, and I was honorably dis-  
charged, I have been during the past Spring and Summer with  
Genl, Sherman's Army, until the 1<sup>st</sup> of Nov last, when I was cap-  
tured by the Enemy near Rome Geo and detained until exchanged  
a few days since, at this place. I have but few acquaintances here  
to whom I can refer, but would respectfully refer to Lieut, Sabine  
Judge Advocate, of the same Regt, with whom I served until  
discharged

I am Genl,

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt,

Edwin S. Hoys,

No 2<sup>nd</sup> Dist V. burg

V. burg Miss

Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.

I take pleasure in recommending Mrs. Roys for the above  
requested permit, I have known him for more than three  
years, know that we had no braver officer in the Regt, than  
he, while in the service & that it was a matter of regret to him  
leaving it. The Store asked for I think is much needed here  
and that the establishing such an one here will be a sav-  
ing to the Govt.

Geo. M. Fabian

Lieut and Judge Advocate  
Dist. Vicksburg.

J. J. D.

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John Williams,

vs

Leilus Hedges,

Summons issued returnable  
Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Jan 30 Judgment for Pet<sup>r</sup>  
A60.

Original

Recorded.

Deft Drapp.

Williams & Rodges

U. S. District Court

Norfolk, Hon W. P. Webster,  
Judge

John Williams, complainant of Charles  
Hedges, the said defendant be summoned  
to answer plaintiffs plea viz: to wit, that  
said defendant by virtue of a contract with  
plaintiff at his own request, rented and  
occupied plaintiffs house from April 1<sup>st</sup>  
1863 to Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1864 a monthly rent of three dollars  
making sixty dollars which said defendant  
owes to and refuses to pay to said plaintiff  
although often requested by plaintiff to  
pay the same, in consequence thereof  
plaintiff avers that he has sustained  
damage in the sum of sixty dol-  
lars and therefore being due

J. S. Stables, Jr.



Dec. 17, 1864

Served upon the within  
named by leaving a copy  
of this summons at the  
residence of the Dfd. with  
his wife

Edw. L. D. P. M.

Dec 16 to July 1864

# PROVOST COURT.

Department of Virginia and North Carolina.

*Norfolk, Va.*

*Dec 17*

1864.

To

*Celins Hedges (Capt 'S)* *Sen. of Middle St.*  
*Portsmouth Va* *near South*

You are hereby notified to appear before this Court at

*Norfolk*

on

*Monday*

the

*26*

day of

*December*

1864, at *10* o'clock, A. M., to answer to a complaint filed against you

by

*John Williams*

wherein he claims from you the sum of

*50*

Dollars.

BY ORDER OF

*E. P. Beldin*

CLERK OF PROVOST COURT.

*M. P. Webster*

Major and Provost Judge.

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Dec 64

2 or more names

Outings  
O

Box 20 - Pak

For information of Genl Ingalls & Mr  
 Names of Parties who have received Luther's Stores from Wash.  
 ington, D.C. during the month of December 1864. - said stores  
 being entered on Bills of Lading:

Anderson, A.	Lacey James
Cassett, D.	Lovring C. T.
Pensinger, E.	Marshall Wm
Broderick, E.	McHafferty R.
Chamberlain C. B.	McSaffey A. A.
Cohen, Mark	McKelvey A. G.
Cole, Jno. A.	McNamee C.
Currier J. W.	Murdheim S. B.
Doerr, A. B.	Officer's Mess.
Evans, Addison	Penhennion W.
Evans, C.	Putnam J. D.
Florence, O.	Seitz George
Gibbons, E.	Stratton A.
Graw, A.	Towar A. H.
Gregory, J. H.	Wilbur C. Remuda Hundred
Hern, A.	

Names of Parties who have received Sutter Stores  
 from Fort Moultrie No. on Mail Steamers; during the  
 month of December, 1864. said stores entered on Manifests.

Chapin R.O.	Paid	
Clagstone	do	
Crittenden S.	Free	
Dawson A.B.	do	
Edwards Est.	Paid	
Florence Oscar	Free	
Gallagher	Paid	
Hepburn	Free	
Jackson W.D.	Paid	
Lacey J.	do	
Marston Chas L.	Free	
McGuffey	do	
Smith G.J.	Paid	

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IRVING PRISON.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec 29 1864

Received for Confinement:

Henry D Day  
Charged Larceny

H  
B. S. [Signature]

Capt. Commanding Prison.

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Dec 15 - 1904.

Roll of Artisan Prisoners  
received and remaining  
on hand at Hd Qrs 17 A.C.

W. W. M. C.



Half month ending Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Citizen Prisoners.

ROLL OF PRISONERS OF WAR

NO.	NAMES (BY REGIMENTS AND COMPANIES.)	RANK OR TOWN.	REGIMENT OR COUNTY AND STATE.	CO.	WHERE CAPTURED.
1	Barnes E. J.	Citizen			Gordon, Va.
2	Brown Saml.	"			Washington
3	Conner A. H.	"			"
4	Collins Charles R.	"			Near Savanah
5	Hancock J. H.	"			Willen Va.
6	Conroy J. J.	"			Henry, Va.
7	Conroy James.	"			Near Savanah
8	Fairchilding Lewis	"			"
9	Garrett G. S.	"			Gordon Va.
10	Hambrook J. M.	"			Near Va.
11	Howard James J.	"			Gordon Va.
12	<del>King R. B.</del>				
13	King R. B.	Citizen			Station 9 <sup>th</sup> 9 <sup>th</sup>
14	King Charles	"			Miller Va.
15	Keller S. F.	"			Near Savanah
16	Lewis A. J.	"			On the coast
17	Luffburn H. M.	"			Station 11 <sup>th</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup>
18	McCarthy T. A.	"			" 15 <sup>th</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup> Va.
19	McDonald James.	"			Near Savanah
20	McGott Edward.	"			"
21	Roan James B.	"			"
22	Russ John F.	"			"
23	Shannon J. E.	"			"
24	Stanton J. M.	"			"
25	<del>Shannon J. B.</del>				Station 2 <sup>nd</sup> 9 <sup>th</sup>
26	Shannon W. E.	"			"
27	Thompson S. J.	"			Near Savanah
28	Nichols James B.	"			"

Prisoner.

LOS ANGELES AT Board of and summary on label at HQ. Dues 17<sup>th</sup> A.C. during the

WHERE CAPTURED.	WHEN CAPTURED.	(REMARKS, CHARGES, &c., &c.)
Gardner, Va.	Nov 23 <sup>rd</sup> 1864.	
Washington Va	" 28 <sup>th</sup> "	
" "	" 22 <sup>nd</sup> "	
Near Savannah Ga	Dec 17 <sup>th</sup> "	R.R. Conductor
Willow Va	" 29 <sup>th</sup> "	
Henry, Va Va	Nov 17 <sup>th</sup> "	
Near Savannah Ga	Dec 15 <sup>th</sup> "	
" "	" 18 <sup>th</sup> "	
Gardner Va	Nov 21 <sup>st</sup> "	
Henry, Va Va	" 17 <sup>th</sup> "	
Gardner Va	" 22 <sup>nd</sup> "	
Gardner Va	Nov 19 <sup>th</sup> 1864.	
Station 9 <sup>th</sup> G.C.R.R.	" 20 <sup>th</sup> "	
Miller Va	Dec 2 <sup>nd</sup> "	
Near Savannah Ga	" 12 <sup>th</sup> "	
On the ground	Nov 21 <sup>st</sup> "	
Station 4 <sup>th</sup> G.C.R.R.	Dec 5 <sup>th</sup> "	
" 15 <sup>th</sup> G.C.R.R.	Nov 21 <sup>st</sup> "	
Near Savannah Ga	Dec 18 <sup>th</sup> "	R.R. conductor
" "	" "	
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" "	" "	
Station 2 G.C.R.R.	Dec 8 <sup>th</sup> 64.	
" "	" "	
Near Savannah Ga	" 12 <sup>th</sup> "	
" "	" "	
" "	" "	

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Head Quarters 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. Brig. 8<sup>th</sup> Mi.  
Relay House. No. Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Special Orders  
No. 169.

Ordering the release of  
William Rochester & George  
Gladden.

Wm. H. Hunt

Adj. Gen.  
U. S. Army

Head Quarters, First Separate Brigade,

8th ARMY CORPS.

Relay House Md December 6<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Special Orders, }

No. 169 }

I . . . Capt. W. Ferguson 1st Regt. Marshall's Regt.  
Brig. S. A. B. is hereby ordered to release from arrest the following  
named persons.

William Rochester  
George Gladden

now in confinement at the Grand House of the 1st Regt. Brig  
S. A. B.

*Ready*

By command of Brig. Gen'l ~~E. B. Tyler~~ U. S. V.

*J. H. Hildesheim*  
Major A. A. Gen'l.

L-a-16 DEPT. MISS) 1864

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Memphis Tenn. Dec. 16 1864.

A. Lewis.

*A. Lewis*

Submits bills for plantations  
supplies and requests that they be ap-  
proved in accordance with orders of  
Maj. Genl. Canby dated Nov. 26. 1864.

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✓ Bills approved Dec. 16. 1864.

Recd. Hd. Qrs. Dept. Miss. - Dec 16. 1864.

granted Dec 16.

Memphis Tenn. Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Maj Genl. Gann

The enclosed bills for plantation Supplies are respectfully submitted with the request that you approve them in accordance with ~~our~~ orders of Maj Genl. Canby dated Nov- 26<sup>th</sup> 1864. they being for the following named persons to wit =

Mrs. P. W. Gregory Washington Co. Miss

Nathan Hurd " " "

M. W. Richardson " " "

Thos Hinds " " "

Dr G. Gibson " " "

Doctor Stykes (Cold) " " "

Mrs Martha Nicholson " " "

Miss Anna F. Dunn " " "

Berry Beatty Gann obt. Servt.  
A. Lewis

No. 2 <sup>13771</sup> ~~13771~~ ~~13771~~  
Salem, Dec. 1864

Whybark, Capt 5<sup>th</sup> M. S. M.,  
572<sup>1</sup> Comdg. Post

List of Persons residing  
in the District, who  
joined Price's Army during  
the recent Raid.

Head 2<sup>d</sup> Dist Rolla  
Rolla Jan 22<sup>nd</sup> 1865  
Respectfully referred to  
Maj G. W. James. Asst  
Adj Gen for the information  
of the Major Gen  
Commanding.

E. B. Brown  
Buyer for the  
Council

File  
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Recd. Dec 12/64



List of Persons residing in this District  
 who joined Trece during his recent invasion  
 of the State.

No.	Name.	Age.	Residence.	Wife.	Children.	Where they now living.
1.	Marion Warner.	25.	Kent Co.	1.	2.	Current River.
✓	Personal property & real Estate owned by him Wife & Children 1 yoke of Oxen. 1 Cow & Calf. 60 Bushels of Corn. 2 head of young Cattle.					
2.	David Holliver.	37.	Kent Co.	1.	3.	Current River.
✓	2 head of Cattle.					
3.	Thompson Hodges.	36.	Kent Co.	1.	5.	Pig Cements.
	30 Acres Land. 1 horse. 1 yoke Oxen. 9 head Cattle. 14 head Sheep. 100 B. Corn.					
4.	James Hodges.	24.	Shannon Co.	1.	4.	Current River.
	1 Horse. 3 head Cattle. 6 head Hogs. 5 head Sheep. 60 B Corn.					
5.	W. W. Hitter	47.	Shannon Co.	1.	3.	Current River
	Good Farm. 300 lbs Corn. 4 horses. 1 yoke Oxen 7 head Cattle. 20 head Hogs. 1 Wagon.					
6.	John A. Summers.	60	Shannon Co.	1.	4.	Garden Valley
	Good Farm. 300 lbs Corn. 3 horses. 1 yoke Oxen. 7 head Cattle. 18 head Hogs 20 head Sheep. 1 Set Blacksmith tools & 1 Cart.					
7.	Samuel Summers.	24	Shannon Co.	1.	4.	"
	Good Farm. 400 lbs Corn. 1 yoke Oxen. 6 head Cattle. 10 head Sheep. 15 head Hogs. 1 Horse & one Cart.					

List of Persons residing in this District  
 who joined Price during his recent invasion  
 of the State.

No.	Name	Age	Residence	Wife	Children	Where they now living
8.	Joseph Summers. Has a good farm. 5 head Hogs. 100 B. Corn 1 Cart	30.	Dent Co.	1.	5.	Glendon Valley. 4 head Cattle. 8 head Sheep. Was taken the Oath of Allegiance
9.	Amos Summers. good farm 60 B Corn 1500 1 yoke Oxen. 6 head young Cattle. 12 head Sheep. 8 H Hogs. 10 B Wheat. 1 Cart	38.	Dent Co.	1.	7.	Glendon Valley. 1 Cattle. 3 Cows. Taken Oath of Allegiance
10	John Summers. Has a good farm 14 head sheep 1 mule	26	Shannon Co	1	3	Glendon Valley 150 B corn 1 yoke of oxen 6 H cattle 5 H Hogs Taken Oath of Allegiance.
11	Simon Summers Has a good farm 9 H cattle 13 H Sheep 5 H pork	28.	Shannon County	1	4	Glendon Valley 1 yoke Oxen 1 cart - 11 H our Hogs Taken Oath Allegiance
12	Bird Camel Has a good farm 5 H cattle 5 H Hogs 5 H Sheep	50	Dent County	1	3	Glendon Valley 1 yoke of Oxen 1 cart - Taken the Oath Allegiance
13.	Joseph Lewis Has a good farm 80. B Corn	25	Dent County	1	2	Glendon Valley 6 H Cattle 15 H Sheep Taken Oath Allegiance
14	Nelakini Gadwin Has well improved farm 8 H cattle 15 H Sheep 7 H P Hogs 20 H S Hogs 1 wagon belonged to Militia. left during the Raid out Stealing Horses	40	Dent Co.	1	7	Glendon Valley 2 Horses 1 yoke Oxen Taken Oath Allegiance

List of Persons residing in this District  
 who joined Price during his recent invasion  
 of the State

No.	Names	Age	Residence	Wife	Children	When they now living
15.	Caral Jadin	44	Dent Co	1	7	Gladden Valley Has good farm 500 B corn 1 yoke Oxen 12 H cattle 12 H sheep 8 H P Hags 10 S Hags 1 Wagon. Taken Oath Allegiance
16	A F Smith	37	Dent Co	1	5	Gladden Valley Has 120 acm Land 100 B corn 1 yoke Oxen 4 Hags 1 Wagon 4 H cattle 8 H sheep 5 H P Hags 11 sheep Taken Oath Allegiance
17	John Pruett	26	Dent Co	1	1	Inman Hollow Has 1 Horse 1 yoke cattle 1 cow 100 B corn. Taken Oath Allegiance
18	Elsay Gray	30	Dent Co	1	4	Dry fork Has 1 yoke Oxen 4 H cattle 60 B corn Taken Oath Allegiance
19	Wm J Adams	28	Dent Co	1	4	Norman Has 40 Acres Land 100 B corn 1 Horse 7 H cattle Taken Oath Allegiance
20	Elas Parks	29	<del>Dent Co</del> Dent Co	1	2	Crooked Creek Has 1 Horse 2 H cattle 100 Bushel corn Taken Oath Allegiance
21	Ferry Gray	25	Dent Co	1	1	Dry fork Has 100 Bushel corn 2 cows and calf Taken Oath Allegiance

List of Persons residing in this District  
who joined Price during his recent invasion  
of the State

No	Names	Age	Residence	Wife	Children	Where they now living
22.	John Barker	38.	Texas Co.	1	9	Piney Has a farm 300 B born Plenty Stock. Joined the Rebel Army 1862 Came back taken the Oath remained until the late Raid
23.	A J Troutz	34	Texas Co	1	4	Piney Has a farm & plenty property joined the Rebel Army 1861 taken Oath remained until the late Raid
24.	William R. Shiles	24	-	-	-	Joined Price during the late Raid Taken Oath Allegiance

I Certify that the above is a correct  
Statement of all Person I get this honest Inq  
the Present Price of Price Army  
as every one of them have been in  
the Rebel Army before our returnance  
took the oath of allegiance and some  
of their families Confess that they have  
gone South some of them have been  
back since and are among bushwhacking

Accepted  
J. H. [Signature]  
Capt. Post  
H. A. [Signature]

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W. C. C. C.

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Head Quarters, 3rd Div. 2<sup>nd</sup> A.C.  
 Office Post Marshal  
 Dec. 28, 1864.

Captain

In compliance with instructions from Superior  
 H<sup>q</sup>. 2<sup>nd</sup> Div. I have the honor to submit the following  
 List of Inhabitants within the limits of this Div-  
 ision:

Heads of Families	Sex	Age	Remarks.
Ann E. Lewis	Female	35	This family lives on the Halifax Road. Have taken the Oath of Allegiance. Are not able to purchase provisions and at present draw from 6th Corps H <sup>q</sup> . 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div. Have no negroes. Do not desire to go north.
Jemie A Lewis	"	20	
Nonie Lewis	"	18	
John H. C. Lewis	Male	16	
Howell H Lewis	"	14	
Timothy Lewis	"	12	
Geo B Lewis	"	8	
Peter Lewis	"	2	
Edward A. Hyatt	Male	56	This family is able to purchase provisions <sup>not</sup> Has taken the oath of Allegiance,
Mary A Hyatt	Female	53	Does not desire to go north.
Emma C. Hyatt	"	14	(over)

Mary L. Wyatt	Female	12	
Anne S. Morgan	"	35	
Edward L. R. Wyatt	Male	1 yr. 4 months	
Four Colored Serv'ts	"	Age & names unknown	
Seven " "	Female	" " " "	
Seven " children	-	" " " "	

Very Respectfully  
 Your Obedt Serv't  
 W. W. Braman  
 Capt. and Pas. Quar.  
 For Div. 2<sup>d</sup> A.C.

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Dec. 5. 1864

Rev. J. Payne

B. H. Sappington



P 648 O P No. 5

State of Missouri

County of Franklin &c. On this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1864. personally appeared before me Mr Jeffries  
a Notary Public within and for said County &  
State of one said James C. McDonald and Richard  
Barron Citizens of the County and State of one said -  
and makes Oath and says they are personally acquainted  
with Thomas J. Payne of the County and State of one said  
and have known him for at least ten or twelve years -  
and know that on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October the said  
Thos. J. Payne was taken a Prisoner by the Rebels under  
Pier in his march through the County - and that we  
have every reason to know he was forced into the  
service under Pier - that we were present both  
present & prisoners at the time the said Thos J Payne  
was taken a Prisoner and know he was forced  
to go off with Pier's Army against his will -

And further that we all now - and always have been  
true & loyal Citizens of the Government of the U.S.  
and have never given Aid or Comfort to the Enemy  
of the U.S. Government of the U.S. -

And that the said Thos. J. Payne was forced to ride  
of a Bay ~~horse~~ <sup>mare</sup> aged about 8 or 9 years old -  
about 15 1/2 hands high -

Also that we have known Rebecca H. Sappington  
- for fifteen or twenty years - and also know she  
was likewise taken a Prisoner at the same time  
and place and was forced to join the Army under  
Pier - and that he rode off a Bay Horse  
4 years about 14 1/2 hands high - that we have  
good Reason to know the said Thos J. Payne  
& Rebecca H. Sappington are loyal Citizens  
of the Government of the U.S. and were  
both taken off into the Army of Genl

Price agreement this with the day and year  
of one said.

James C. McDonald  
Richard Barron

Doorn and subscribed before me Tuesday  
years ago said & further certify that I have  
known the said James C. McDonald and the  
said Richard Barron for the last 30 years and  
they are regarded as men of integrity and  
veracity and know of no act of disloyalty  
on their part and further none know their  
signatures to be genuine - they having expressed  
they success in my projects -

A. J. Jeffries & Co.

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Promotion Office  
Fernandina Fla.

Dec 14/64

Pricker John W.  
Captain & Pres.

Forwarded statements and  
Description of Deserters -  
Refugees & Contrabands  
who came onto beach  
Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Conf. Ref. & Contrabands

2 or more

Rec'd Dec. 23/64. O. P. S. J.

Office of Provost Marshal  
 Fernandina Fla December 14/64

St. Col. James F. Hall

Provost Marshal Genl Dept of the South

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit to you Statement & Description of the following named Deserters Refugees & Contubandis, which came in through our lines December 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

No	Names	Age	Eyes	Complex	Height	Remarks
					Feet Inches	
1	James David	20	gray	Fair	5 9	Deserter from 2 <sup>d</sup> Fla. Co. 1st
2	Eley David	25	"	Dark	5 7	" " " " " "
3	William F. Bowen	50	hazel	Fair	5 6	Refugees from Rebel lines
4	Sam'l Quincy	27	blue	Dark	5 8	
5	John P. Poucher	54	"	Fair	5 9 1/2	
6	Lewis Cooper	28	blk	blk	5 9	Contubandis from Geo belonging to Dr. Williams
7	Isaac Williams	32	"	"	5 7	
8	Sam'l Williams	33	"	"	5 6	

The deserters left their Regts in June & July 1864; they report that there are about 400 troops at Camp Finnigan near Baldwin Fla taking up the R.R. Iron between Baldwin & Jacksonville

No other information of any consequence could be obtained.

The refugees left Hamilton Co Fla Decemb: 7/64 no important information could be obtained.

The Contubandis left Geo in December 1864 no information what ever could be obtained.

The deserters, Refugees & Contubandis were duly examined by the Post Surgeon, after which the oath of Allegiance was  
 (over)

Administered to the Deserters & Refugees & they being  
in very destitute circumstances were entered on the destitute  
Civilians List for Stations

The Contrabands were put in charge of Mrs C. Kinne  
Supt of Freedmen at this Post

All of the Deserters, Refugees & Contrabands are now  
employed in the Engineer & L. M. Dept

I have the honor to be

Col: very Respectfully Your Obedt Servt

John H. Dinkens

Capt: 107<sup>th</sup> Ohio Vols  
& Provost Marshal

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Off Pro Mars  
Horton Head St.  
S. P. 26. N. H. 1864

Hibbard N. H.  
Let + Asst. Pro Mars

Reports statement  
of refugees from  
the State of Ga.

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

No information  
F. H. Clay  
Dec. 29 1864

Pro Marshal's Office  
Alton Ga  
Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully forwarded  
to the Comdg General  
James S. Hall

L. Col. 1<sup>st</sup> NY Vol Regt  
Pro Marshal's Office

HEADQUARTERS, Dept. of the South

Alton Ga  
Jan 26 1865

Respectfully referred to  
the Chief Engineer, Dept.  
South, for file in his  
office, with similar  
papers

Wm. B. Combs  
Major Genl. J. S. Foster

Wm. B. Combs  
Capt. Adj. Genl.





Office of Provost Marshal  
Wilton Cross St.

Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Lieut. Col. Jas F Hall  
Pro. Mar. Gen. D.S.

Colonel

I have the honor to forward statements of L. H. Clay refugee from the State of Ga. who was received from the 12<sup>th</sup> Ill. Regt or a detachment of that regt who are now guarding rebel prisoners near the camp of the 144<sup>th</sup> Regt. L. H. Clay says. I came into Gen Sherman's Army about three weeks since. I have been engineer on the railroads for about eight years. This has cleared me from all conscription but since Sherman had destroyed nearly all the railroads in the interior I thought they might want me to take a musket so I concluded to leave them. My sympathies are with the union and desire to see it restored.

Wish to remain in this department & get employment if possible

Very respectfully

Your Obedt servant

W. H. Hubbard

Lieut. & A. Pro. Mar.

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Camp Gettysburg 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry  
Decr. 18. 1864

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Capt. Louis R. Stille,  
Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry

Forwards Report of Visit to  
Citizens Houses.

Head Quarters Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry  
December 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded.

J. H. Walsh  
Lieut. Col. Com<sup>dg</sup> Bat.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry

Box 6 - Pat

Camp Bat. 3<sup>rd</sup> Penna. Cav.  
Dec 11, 1864,

Sir: In obedience to an order received from you, I visited the following named Citizens Houses, and found no change, in the number of members in the families living in said houses. J. Jones, Enoch Edwards, M. J. McCann, Mrs. McCann, Mr. Daniels, Richard Pinner, Mrs. Potts, Denny Sater, A. S. Bishop, Wm. S. Sater, Mrs. Ryant, Reuben Linn, Mrs. Pally, J. Waymack, Wm. Ryant, John Singly, Wm. Shookheld, Wm. Pinner, C. Robinson, L. S. Lubut, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Burchart.

Very Respectfully  
Your obedient servant

Louis P. Hill,  
Capt. 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cav.

Lieut. Col. S. W. Walsh,  
Comd'g. 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cav.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

1864  
Worshipful 3778

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

December 16<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Captain  
Worship, Provost Marshal, 2<sup>d</sup> Cavalry  
Division, for ~~any~~ ~~any~~ further in-  
formation concerning this man  
"Spain". Attention is called to  
the preceding endorsements.

By Command of  
Brig. Gen. Patrick.  
W. H. Whipple  
Capt. U. S. A.

Head Quarters Army Potomac.  
Office Prov. Mar. General.

December 17<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Captain  
Worship, Prov. Mar. 2<sup>d</sup> Cavalry Division  
whose attention is called to the fact  
that the Comd. General desires to

know by whom this man "Spain",  
was arrested and turned over to  
the 3<sup>d</sup> Corps. If not by the Court  
Guard, 2<sup>d</sup> Cav. Div. by what Brigade  
or regimental commander of the  
Division, and what is the evidence  
against him as a Guerrilla or a  
Backslider.

By Command of  
Brig Genl. Patrick.

W. Schuyler  
Capt. U.S.A.

New York 2<sup>d</sup> Cav. Division  
Office Court Guard  
December 17<sup>th</sup> 64

Respectfully submitted,  
To Lt. General W.M.  
2<sup>d</sup> Division for a reply.  
Attn: Clerk to the  
above enclosure from  
A.H. G. W. Harper  
Capt. U.S.A.

W. Harper

Re: W. Harper

Head Quarters 2<sup>d</sup> Cav Div.  
Office Prov. Marshal  
December 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned.  
The within named  
men were not turned  
over to the Prov. Marshal  
by Capt. [unclear] My Guard.  
All the men turned  
over to the Prov. Marshal  
by my Capt. while on the  
march by my guard were  
Parasols of War.

They may have been  
turned over by some of  
the Regimental Companies,  
without my knowledge  
W. H. [unclear]  
Capt. & [unclear]

Head Qrs 2<sup>d</sup> Cav Div.  
Office Prov. Marshal  
December 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned.  
To Capt. [unclear]  
advt. I find that  
the within named  
Citizens were not  
arrested en route  
over to the Prov.

Head Qrs 2<sup>d</sup> Cav Div.  
Office of Pro. Marshal  
14<sup>th</sup> December 64

Respectfully returned  
with the information  
desired

J. C. [unclear] Citizen  
Greenville Co. Va. was  
arrested on the road to  
prevent his giving any  
information to the Enemy.

John Spain. Captain  
Bross Co. was handed  
over by our Prov. Guard  
on the march on suspicion  
of being a "Guerrilla".  
No papers were received  
with him.

Paul A. [unclear]  
Capt. & Actg. for Prov.

H. 3<sup>rd</sup> A. of P.  
Off: Prov. M. Genl.  
Dec: 14<sup>th</sup> /64.

Respectfully returned - The  
Comd: Genl. desires to  
know by whom ~~the~~ the  
citizen John Spain - was handed  
over to the Provost Guard of  
the 5<sup>th</sup> Corps - and what  
evidence that Officer has that  
this man was a Guerrilla -  
What is the evidence which  
gives rise to the suspicion  
that Spain is a Guerrilla?

By command of  
Brig. Genl. Patrick  
[unclear]  
Capt. U. S. A.

Marshal's Cup  
Regiment of the  
British

W. Harper  
Capt. & Adjutant



Head Quarters of the  
Office of the Marshal  
15th December 1814  
Respectfully returned

The return named as being  
"John Harris" was handed  
over to my guard, on the  
road, near ~~some of~~ <sup>near</sup> the  
~~some of~~ <sup>near</sup> the  
by some of General  
Gregg's ~~Guard~~ <sup>regiment</sup> with the  
remark "take good care of  
them, he is one of the  
suspects." They all  
the evidence we have on  
his case.

Paul W. H. W.  
Captain & Adjutant



Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac,

Office of the Provost Marshal General,

December 13<sup>th</sup> 1864

Captain:-

Please make an investigation, (and report to this Office, as early as possible, in writing, the cause of arrest of the two Citizens, J. C. Madgins of Greenville Co, Va, and John Spain, of Sussex Co, Va, who were received from your Office, last evening. (Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.)

Nothing is known of these men, (and we have no means of ascertaining why they were arrested, or what charges are made against them

Very respectfully, your

Obt. Servt.

N. C. Munns

Lieut. and Act. Prov. Mar.

Capt P. A. Clover  
Act. Prov. Mar  
5<sup>th</sup> U. C.

Head Quarters 2<sup>nd</sup> Brig 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Dec 17/64

Respectfully returned

This man "Span" was  
not arrested by 3<sup>rd</sup> Brig 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Div.

By Command  
Capt. Brig Gen. Gregg

Mrs. Howard

Lieut. & a Priv Man.

Head Quarters 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Office Provost Marshal  
December 19/64

Respectfully referred to Lt.  
Johnson at 1<sup>st</sup> Regt  
2<sup>nd</sup> Div for a report.  
Attention called to the within  
enclosure per A. H. G. J.  
W. H. G. J.  
Capt. & Provost Marshal

Head Quarters 1<sup>st</sup> Brig 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Office Provost Marshal  
Dec 18/64

Respectfully returned  
The within names

above were not received  
nor transmitted by any

person  
G. Johnson  
Provost Marshal

Head Quarters 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Office Provost Marshal  
December 18/64

Respectfully referred to  
Lieut. Cook at 1<sup>st</sup> Regt  
3<sup>rd</sup> Div for a report.  
Attention called to the within enclosure  
per A. H. G. J.

W. H. G. J.  
Capt. & Provost Marshal

Head Quarters 3<sup>rd</sup> Brig 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
Dec 18/64

Respectfully returned.  
The within named citizens  
were not arrested by  
this Brigade.

By Command of  
Capt. Brig Gen. Smith  
H. P. Blewett  
Lieut. & Priv Man

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Head Quarters ~~13779~~ Corps  
Off: Provost Mar: -

December 24: 1864.

Major D. P. Wilson  
Prov: Mar:.

Reports names of Destitute  
citizens drawing rations at  
1st Reg: 6: Corps.

Case 6 - Pat

Received December 26: 1864.

Headquarters Sixth Army Corps,

OFFICE OF PROVOST MARSHAL.

November 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt. P. Schuyler  
A. A. A. Genl.

Captain

I have the honor to forward  
you the following list of destitute citizens  
drawing rations at these Head Quarters, and  
residing within the limits of the 6th Army Corps

(viz.)  
Mrs Ann E. Lewis, 3, Adults + 5 Children  
Brij. W. White 3, Adults  
Harry Duncan (Col) 1.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

H. A. M. M.

Major<sup>440</sup> Provost Marshal  
6th A. Corps

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1st Lt. 9th Army Corps.  
Office Ennet Marshal  
December 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt. H. S. Heffron.  
Ennet Marshal

Reports visiting citizens houses  
within his lines.

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Box 6 - Pat

Headquarters, 9th Army Corps,

Provost Marshal's Office.

December 12th. 1864.

P. Schuyler,

Captain, 11th Infantry,

U. S. A. General.

Captain,

In compliance with Circular from your Office, I have the honor to state, that I have visited the following named persons in the District assigned to me, and have learned all I could regarding them:

II. Mrs. Margaret M. Cann, and deformed Sow, living near M. Cann Station. Mrs. M. C. has one Son living near her, Matthew D. M. Cann, and one Son, the husband of Therina Jane M. Cann, now a prisoner in our hands. He belongs to the State Militia & understands

III. Enoch S. Edwards, son in law of Mrs. M. M. C., wife and four small children, living with Mrs. M. Cann. Mr. Edwards says none of his family are in either Army. A little daughter of Matthew D. M. Cann, aged nine years, is residing at Mr. Edwards,

and assisting his wife in taking charge of a very young child.

III. Matthew D. McCann, Wife, and nine children. All at home except the little daughter on a visit to Enoch G. Edwards.

IV. Therina J. McCann, Daughter of eighteen, and seven small children. All at home. Husband a prisoner in our hands.

V. Elijah Clark. Husband conscripted in Rebel service since last May. He was previously in the Militia. She is very poor.

VI. John Lucas, Wife and two small children.

VII. Thomas Norris, old man, living with Mr. Lucas.

VIII. Mrs. Martha B. Oland, daughter of nineteen, and one child.

These families all appear to have been in good circumstances before the war, but are now almost entirely destitute.

At the time I visited them they stated that they were not allowed to visit each other at all, but did not care much, as they meet and visit at these Headquarters twice every five (5) days. We have no rear picket line North of the Petersburg and Norfolk R.R., and for several days past there

have been no Cavalry pickets, so that there was nothing what-  
ever, except the Safe Guards and Rebel pickets to prevent any  
one passing over from Petersburg to these Headquarters, and  
returning at pleasure.

I have the honor to be,

Captain

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

M. G. McJefferson

Capt. and Provost Marshal



Box or more 13781

City  
Camp Porter Dec 64

~~I have~~

Please administer

the oath of allegiance to  
J. B. Pickens & Jno G Hawkins  
and permit them to go with  
Mr White on Wash<sup>n</sup> duty

Yours &c

J M Entw  
Lt Col &c

Dec 20/64

Prof H. P.

Dec 20/64

Pro Mr Gen. G. B. Davis  
I have  
J. B. Pickens  
Jno G. Hawkins

Proclama Gen Aty 2000  
2 <sup>Forward</sup> Rebel Refugees  
Dec 2/64.

Not at all

Are not at

Yours  
John C. ...  
of ...

and permit them to go north  
the while in Washn D.C.

the Bank of Mississippi  
Mississippi

Please announce  
I am not

Call from Dec 64

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Office of the Provost Marshal General,  
ARMIES OPERATING AGAINST RICHMOND.

City Point, Va. Dec 20/64

Lt Col J. M. Cutler  
20<sup>th</sup> N.Y. S.M.

Col.

I have the honor to forward to you under guard two citizens (Rebel Refugees) who have been here about 3 months, and wish to be released and have employment. I think the men have been before you and also Col Sharpe, and were returned with instructions to have them retained for a time. If there is no reason for keeping them please send an order to have them released and employed by Capt C. S. White of the Wash<sup>g</sup> living.

Very Respectfully

Your obed<sup>t</sup> servant  
H. M. Patton  
Capt & Pro. Mar.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

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See 6th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

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H<sup>d</sup> Dr Batt: 3<sup>d</sup> P. Cav.  
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December 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Ordn: Col: Walsh  
Comd: Ryk: -

In regard to application of  
Mrs Birmingham about a  
change of safe-guards - Also  
concerning Mrs John Mc  
Broom - Also the wish of Mrs  
Birmingham to impart some  
information -

Continued

By: - Pat.

Received Dec: 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

11<sup>th</sup> d. 9<sup>th</sup> Mo. Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cav.

December 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Captain,

In answer to your endorsement I would state that Mrs. Cunningham resides out-side of the lines. The Safe Guard, Moran, whom she desires to have returned, was relieved yesterday by one of the Detachment at City Point, where Moran now is in confinement. Mrs. Cunninghams letter I received yesterday from the Point.

Mrs. John M<sup>c</sup> Broom refused to take the oath of allegiance and has been sent outside of the lines. The accompanying letter addressed to her, was brought by Corporal ~~Cummins~~, ~~in~~ from Mr. Daniels (who is within our lines and has a Safe Guard). Major Hess is not here to answer for him self. I can state however that since last Summer all the letters sent to Mr. Daniels house, came through your Office addressed to Major Hess.

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant

J. H. Wells

A. Col. com'd'g

Cap<sup>t</sup> Schuyler

A. A. Gail,

(over)

J.S.

Corp<sup>t</sup> Cameron who has just returned from  
Mrs. Cunningham's (posting a safe guard), tells me  
that Mrs. Cunningham is very anxious to come up,  
as she has important information to impart. I  
think the matter worth trying.

Resp<sup>t</sup> &c &c.



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Head Quarters. 2<sup>d</sup>. Corps.

Office Prov: Mar:

December 31<sup>st</sup>. 1864.

Capt: Munson

Asst: Prov: Mar:

Report in the case of  
The Boswell family and  
house -

Citizens

Bark - Pot

Recd. December 31<sup>st</sup>. 1864.

Head Quarters. 2<sup>d</sup> of  
officer. Coon man  
Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Captain.

I have the honor to submit the following  
report.

I have this day visited the Beemell family & he (Mr Beemell) states that he is willing to take the oath of Allegiance.

The left of the G. C. line joins the right of an line, about (500) five hundred yards to the right of the Beemell House.

I would also state that Mr Wyatt states he is willing to take the oath, he is afflicted with a severe attack of the Dyptheria.

To

Capt. P. H. Schuyler

a a a g

Coon man  
and

I remain

Very Respectfully

A. S. Murray

Capt. and act. Coon man  
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Camp 3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry  
December 13<sup>th</sup> 1864

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2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Thomas Gregg,  
3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry.

Forwards Report of visit to  
Citizens' Houses

Head Quarters, 3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry  
December 13<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully forwarded.

J. M. Mallon  
Lieut. Col. Com<sup>d</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry.

Box 6 - Pat

Camp Battalion 3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry,

December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Lieut. Col. Walsh;

Colonel:

I have the honor to report that, in pursuance to an order received from you, I visited the following named citizens, and published your order in reference to visiting;

Thomas Jones; Enoch Edwards; Matthew J. McGinnis;

Therand McGinnis; Safeguard's horse stolen on the night of 9<sup>th</sup> about 12 o'clock; tracked 4 horses and 1 dismounted man was shot, both square toe.

Mr. Daniels; Richard Brewer;

William E. Cameron, - No Safeguard; Grey Horse, - No Safeguard;

Mrs. Jettis; A. J. Bishop; William J. Sutton; Mrs. Bryant;

Reuben Diney, son absent from home, says he has gone to visit Mrs. Bishop at the Culbourn House;

Mrs. Talley, Jesse Waymoch; William Ingent; John Dentley;

William L. Shackelford; William Spriner; Caroline Robinson;

John S. Lucas; Mrs. Clark;

Mrs. Furchette; Safeguard's Horse stolen on the night of the 9<sup>th</sup>; they came to the house in two parties, and they say they were five in number; colored man says four of them had gray clothes.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

Thomas Gray

Lieut. Bat. 3<sup>d</sup> Penn<sup>a</sup> Cavalry

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City Point Dec. 2-1864

Capt. Potter--

3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cav.

Transmit names of  
Citizens living between  
Surry Stage Road and  
City Point.

Box 6 - Pat

List of Residents between Surry Stage Road and City Point, Va.

1. Mrs. J. Burchett  
Sarah J. Burchett  
7 small children  
5 servants (Colored)  
no safe-guard } Residence on Cabin and  
City Point Roads
2. John P. Mason  
3 servants (Colored)  
Safe-guard - John Day  
Co. M. Batt<sup>n</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cavalry } Residence on Prince George  
Court House and City  
Point Road.
3. N. J. Relph  
Mrs. H. Relph  
Miss L. Relph  
one small child  
Safe-guard - Chas. Siskin  
Co. M. Batt<sup>n</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cavalry } Residence on Prince  
George Court House and  
City Point Road.
4. Mrs. Mary E. Hommaek  
Miss A. J. Burchett  
3 small children  
2 servants  
Safe-guard - Robert McCullough  
Co. A. Batt<sup>n</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cavalry. } Residence on  
Prince George  
Court House and  
City Point Road.

5.     Reuben Sherman  
        David Sherman  
        Nancy Sherman  
        Cynthia Sherman  
        1 servant
- } Residence on Prince George  
         } Court House and City  
         } Point Roads.
6.     Mrs. E. A. Harrison  
        Mrs. S. L. Edwards  
        1 Boy, Wm Edwards  
        4 servants (colored)  
        Safeguard - James Hancock  
        Co. C. Batt. 3<sup>rd</sup> Pa. Cav<sup>y</sup>
- } Resided on Prince  
         } George Court House  
         } and City Point Roads
7.     Mrs. Sarah Mason  
        " M. P. Russell  
        4 children 3 servants  
        Safeguard Murray  
        61<sup>st</sup> New York
- } Residence on Loggins  
         } Point Roads
8.     Mrs. S. Myers  
        Miss S. Myers  
        6 children, no servants  
        Safeguard Wm Shaly by  
        Capt Hazard.
- } Residence near  
         } Cedar Level
9.     Mary J. Owens  
        4 children  
        Safeguard, Wm Culp  
        3<sup>rd</sup> Penn Art.
- } Residence near  
         } Cedar Level

10. Chas. Gillam (Colored)  
Susan Gillam "  
Margaret Lewis "  
Henry Gillam "  
Mary Ann Gillam "  
Maria Gillam "

} Residence near  
Cedar Level

11. John H. Munt  
Dougherty Munt } Residence near Broadway  
Mary Munt } Landing  
3 children

12. Samuel Cook } Residence near Broadway  
Jane Cook } Landing

13. Richard Brien } Residence near  
Hannah Brien } Broadway Landing  
Henry Brien }  
4 children  
1 servant

14. Mrs. C. Lopez } Residence near  
Miss Richards } City Point  
3 servants, Lapques }  
Bony, Geo. F. Batt & P. Coy.

15. Margaret Baylor } Residence near  
3 children } Cedar Level  
6 servants }



16. Mrs Taylor, 5 servants } Residence <sup>between</sup> Stage  
S. guard. Mitchell } & Loggans Point Roads  
Co. M. Bat. 3<sup>d</sup> Pa. heavy }

17. Mrs. Lettwinne Richards } Residence near  
Mrs. Nancy Cameron } Broadway Landing  
4 small children }

18. Mrs. Susan Miller } Residence near  
Miss Mary Richards } Broadway Landing  
Miss M. Richards }  
Miss Sarah Richards }

19. Reuben Gillam (Colonel) } Residence near  
Hevethy Gillam " } Broadway Landing  
Reuben Gillam Jr " }  
Mrs Gillam " }  
Maria Gillam " }  
Susan Gillam " }  
Patience Gillam " }  
Mary Lounge " }  
James Lounge " }  
3 small children }

20. C. S. Swoary } Residence near  
Christie Swoary } Broadway Landing  
3 small children }  
4 servants (colored) }  
S. guard. Thos. Barrington }  
188 Penn Infantry }

21. Mrs. Sarah Hancock  
 Miss Henrietta Hancock } Residence near  
 Mrs. Mary Arnold } Broadway Landing  
 1 small child.
22. Pleasant C. Anderson  
 Susan Anderson } Residence near  
 1 servant (colored) } Broadway Landing
23. Edward Finny  
 Phebe Finny } Residence near  
 Sally Frazer } Broadway Landing
24. Mrs. Lucy Richards  
 Miss Harriet Richards } Residence near  
 Mrs. Elizabeth Smith } B. way Landing  
 Miss Anna Smith  
 1 small child
25. Mr. Knox.  
 Mrs. Knox.  
 Mr. Batte.  
 Mrs. Batte.  
 Miss Smith.  
 Safeguard Thomas Hyles C.T. & Co. Cars

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Notes from

Reading Williams

Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

C. A.



U. S. Christian Commission

sends this as the Soldier's messenger to his Home. Let it hasten to those who wait for tidings.

"Behold! now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation."

CENTRAL OFFICE:

11 Bank Street, Philadelphia.

BRANCH OFFICE:

10th and H Streets, Washington.

City Point Va  
December the 22 1864

Capt Bulon

Sir i was arrested near  
City point on suspicion of being  
a deserter about five months ago  
and i should to get my Case  
investigated as i have never had  
any hearing since i was arrested

John Niles

Sir i sent my statement into  
once but have not had my  
hearing as yet i am in hear  
now over ten weeks i was arre  
sted on the point for being drunk  
and making noise and i would  
like to have my Case investigated now

William Reading

247. Camp Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn Cavalry  
December 26, 1864

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2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Charles W. Wilson,  
Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn. Cavalry.

Forwards Report of Visit to British  
Yns Houses.

Head Quarters Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn. Cavalry  
December 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded.

J. M. Walsh

Lieut. Col. Com<sup>d</sup> Bat.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Penn. Cavalry.

H<sup>d</sup> Qu<sup>rs</sup> of Potomac

Off. Prov. M. Houli.

Dec: 27: 1864.

Respectfully returned - It is hoped  
that Lieut. Wilson warned  
the members of Mrs. Spain's family  
and Mrs. Cameron - that visiting  
was not allowed within the  
lines - ~~and~~ under the very near  
neighbors - and that upon  
repetition of the offence they  
would be brought to this Office  
over

Recd to - Pat

for examination and perhaps  
for punishment - This paper to  
be returned -

W. Schuyler  
Capt: 14: Regt:  
In Charge of Office

Headquarters 3<sup>d</sup> Penn. Cavalry  
December 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned.  
Lieut. Wilson informed both  
Mrs. Spains family and Mrs.  
Cameron, that existing orders  
prohibited them from visiting  
the neighbors. The Safeguard  
was also instructed not to  
permit it.

L. H. Baker  
Lieut. Col. Com. Det.  
3<sup>d</sup> Penn. Cavalry

Copy.

Camp, Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn. Cavalry,  
December 26<sup>th</sup>, 1864.

Capt. Schuyler, 14<sup>th</sup> U. S. Infy,  
A. A. G.;—  
Captain:—

I have the honor to report that, in pursuance to orders received from you, I visited the following named Citizens' houses; viz:— Mrs. Clark; Mrs. Shackelford's; Mrs. (Potts); Mr. M. McCann; Mrs. M. Cann; Mrs. Salem; John and Crook Edwards; Mrs. Daniels; Mrs. Spain; Mrs. Nugent; Mr. Bishop; Mr. Brewer; and Mr. Lucas; Mrs. Puley; Mrs. Duell; Mrs. Robinson; Mrs. (Richard); Mrs. Cameron; Mr. Doney (Hem); Mrs. John Tinsley; and Mr. Cameron's.

I have, also, the honor to report that two of Mrs. Spain's family were absent visiting at the house of Mrs. Puley. Mrs. Julia Cameron was absent from home at Head Quarters. Neither Mr. or Mrs. Cameron, have Safeguards. Mr. John Edwards has no Safeguard.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant,

Chas. W. Wilson,

(Signed)

2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. 3<sup>rd</sup> Penn Cavalry

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Headqs Batt 9<sup>th</sup> Pa Cav

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December 6, 1864

Capt - Wm Brooks

Batt. 9<sup>th</sup> Penna Cavalry

Forward report - of visits  
to Citizens Houses.

Headqs. Bat. 9<sup>th</sup> Penna Cavry  
December 7<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded to  
Capt. Schuyler, A. S. A. C.  
for information

J. M. Kellum  
Lieut Col. Comd'g  
3<sup>rd</sup> Penna Cavry

Box 6 - Pat



Camp, Batt<sup>n</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> Palcar<sup>t</sup>

Dec 6. 1864.

Lieut Col J. W. Wallis

Comdy Batt<sup>n</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> Palcar

Colonel

I have the honor to report that, in accordance with orders received from you, I visited all the houses which have safeguards, from this Battalion from the Quaker Road to beyond the Pt. George Inago Road, near the Court House.

The following is a list of the families which I visited

	Adults	Children	Negros
Enoch Edwards			
Mrs -			
Margaret McLann			
John McLann	4	4	1
Mrs Boss	1	4	1
Albert Bishop			
Mary -	2	4	1

	Adults	Children	Infants		Adults	Children	Infants
Wm & G Latam				Wm Nugent			
Mrs -	2			Mrs -		7	
Mrs Bryant				Eloza Snow	3	1	
Miss Bryant				John Tindley			
Mrs Jackson				Mrs -			
Miss Russell				Cornelius & Tindley			
Miss Harriet Williams	5	6	9	John T -			
Reuben Liney				Mrs -	5	5	2
Pepton Liney				Wm L. Shackelford			
John Padgett				Mrs -			
Mrs -	4	1	1	Miss -	3	7	
Mrs Pully				Mrs Robinson			
Sarah Clanton	2	2	2	Miss Williams			
Jesse Wraymace				Miss Williams			
Mrs -				Mrs Dill		1	
Susan -				Miss William			
Henry -				Mrs Diles	6	9	
George -				Wm Bonner			
Robert -				Mrs -			
Mrs Spain	7	4		Two Misses Bonner	4		1

	Admission	Check	Regiment		Admission	Check	Regiment
John D. Lucas				Mr Daniels			
Mrs -		2		Mrs -		1	
Thos Morris	3			Mr Daniels Jr			
				Mrs Wm Broom			
Mrs Burchett		4		Mr Wm P Burchett		3	
Miss Eppes	2			Mrs -	6		28
				Mathew & Williams			
Mrs Clark	1			Mrs -		8	
				Leonas Williams	3		
Therina J Williams		6					
Miss Emma Williams	2			Thos W Jones			
				Mrs -	2		

Miss Williams, at present residing at Mrs Bryan's, has come there since the last inspection of Safeguards, from beyond the lines. No rebel scout had been seen by the Safeguards, and there had been no trouble among them, with the exception of the man stationed at Mr Robinson's near Pittsboro C. St. A man of the 1<sup>st</sup> N. J. Cav<sup>y</sup> had endeavored to force him, and threatened him. The Cavalry picket line extends outside of all the above houses.

Very Respectfully  
 Wm Charles Brooks  
 Captain, 9<sup>th</sup> Regt

Camp Barr 3rd Regt  
Dec 7. 1864.

Lieut Col J W Walsh  
Comdg Barr 3rd Regt  
Colonel

I have the honor to report, that, according to instructions, I proceeded this morning to the house of Mrs Bryant, near Mount Sinai Church to inquire into the case of Miss Williams. It appears that this lady was staying at her father's about a mile and a half beyond Mrs Bryant's, and beyond the picket line. When the pickets were withdrawn a few days since she came to Mrs Bryant's to live. She says that she has never taken the oath of allegiance to the United States, and it is her intention to live at Mrs Bryant's.

Very Respectfully

Your obedient servant

Wm J. Brooke

Captain 3rd Regt.

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Head Quarter Army Chm. Mac.  
Office Com. Mar. General.  
December 14<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt. Ph. Schuyler <sup>14<sup>th</sup> Infy.</sup>  
In charge.

Citizens

Report in relation to Madkin<sup>2<sup>d</sup></sup>  
Spain, 2 citizens arrested by 5<sup>th</sup>  
Cops, of Jones<sup>2<sup>d</sup></sup> & Alley, Refugees  
who came in through 5<sup>th</sup> Corp lines  
and of the capture of Safe Guards  
horses at McCann<sup>2<sup>d</sup></sup> & Bochette.

H. O. A. P.

Dec. 16 / 64

The prisoners Madkin  
& Spain, in case no  
evidence can be proved  
against them - will in  
next article be given  
in the Universal place  
will be permitted to  
return to their homes

The reports Messrs Alley  
on taking the vote of  
alliance, will be required  
to come within the lives  
& remain as the Letters  
from above the Pres.  
Mar. 9<sup>th</sup> cups will  
be instructed to keep  
Special Circulation  
see them to see they  
do not abuse the  
privileges now granted.

Chas. G. Meade  
May. 9<sup>th</sup>

Headquarters Army of the Potomac,  
OFFICE OF PROVOST MARCHAL GENERAL,

December 14<sup>th</sup> 1864.

General:

I have the honor to report that John C. Madkins, citizen living in Greeneville County Va., near Janette Station, aged 15 years, and John Spain, citizen living in Sussex County, 4 miles from the Court House, and about 12 miles from Janette Station, aged 53 years, were sent here from the 5<sup>th</sup> Corps Head Quarters, under guard, on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst., but with no information as to why they were arrested. Since that time the Provost Marshal of the 5<sup>th</sup> Corps informs me that Madkins was arrested during the movement of the Corps and to prevent his giving information to the enemy, and Spain upon suspicion of being a Guerrilla.

From personal examination I find that neither of these men have been in service during this war. Spain is willing to take the Oath of Allegiance, but Madkins is not willing to take it.

I would also further respectfully state that 2 Refugees were received this A.M. from the 5<sup>th</sup> Corps, who came in through the 3<sup>rd</sup> Division lines. viz: A. H. Jones who states that he came in via Mr. Rains house,

below Lee's Mills and about a mile off the Jerusalem  
Plant Road. He had in his possession a pass from  
General A. E. Lee, besides other papers (appended).

Previous to coming into the lines he had been  
stopping about a week at Mr. Raines house, and came  
yesterday to the house of W. E. Alley, living just out-  
side the lines <sup>and</sup> who as will be seen below, came in  
with him. The safe guard at Alley's had brought  
information from Jones brother that he might come in <sup>and</sup>  
it would be all right.

W. E. Alley came into the lines with Jones.  
He was formerly a Captain in the 5<sup>th</sup> Va. Battalion (Com-  
mander's Brig. of Pickett's Division) which was disbanded in  
1862 <sup>and</sup> since then he has been enrolling officer for  
Prince George County. He brought no papers in with  
him but states that he has at home a certificate  
from James E. Heath, enrolling officer of the county,  
proving his statement. He is well acquainted with  
Dr. Geo. E. Reeves, and in Reeves gang is a man by the  
name of Fletcher Alley, a distant relative of W. E. Alley.

Both Jones <sup>and</sup> Alley are willing to take the Oath  
of Allegiance.

I would further report that on the night  
of the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. 5 men, four of them in gray clothes,



came to the houses of Mr. S. McCann & Mr. Birchett,  
in the vicinity of our old Head Quarter Camp and stole  
the horses of the Safe Guards stationed at those houses.

I remain, Very Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant,  
W. D. Schuyler  
Capt. 14<sup>th</sup> Infantry.  
In charge of Office.

Major General Meade.  
Comdg. Army of Virginia

No 7<sup>th</sup> P<sup>o</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> West  
29<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1844

Per request to Col  
W. H. Ingham asq. app<sup>r</sup>  
R. J. Ingham Esq.  
Major General

Petersburg Nov. 29 1864

Major

I have the honor most respectfully to ask permission to visit my brother-in-law's house Col F. A. Rains in the County of Prince George near the Sussex line - I am a "paroled prisoner" Co "K" Archer's Batt. Va Reserves. Since my arrival I have not been able to hear from my family now in the Manassas Camp, and by writing Col Rains I will be able to find out something about them. Hoping that it will be your pleasure to grant my request.

*[Handwritten scribbles and signatures, possibly including 'Major' and 'Saml H Jones']*

Major  
D. B. Bridgeford  
P. M. A. No 3  
Petersburg

Major  
Young of the Law  
Saml H Jones

I do hereby certify that I am well acquainted with the above named Saml H. Jones and know him to be a loyal citizen

John D. Mackay Clerk  
of Prince Geo. Co. Va.

H. Am: A. P.

Dec. 17/64

Capt. Schuyler

It appearing that Capt  
Ally & family desire to  
go North, you will on  
his taking the oath of  
allegiance so that you  
allowing a reasonable time  
for him to dispose of his  
~~personal property~~  
New York.

Geo. G. Mudd  
Maj. Genl. Am<sup>r</sup>

Head Quarters,

District of Georgia and Sub-District No. 5 South Carolina,

Savannah Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Private Saml H. Jones Company K  
Archus Patton Virginia Militia  
Regiment, Brigade Division,  
Army,

Paroled Prisoner, is hereby

~~permitted to discharge of~~ ~~his~~ ~~service~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~Army~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~United~~ ~~States~~ ~~of~~ ~~America~~ ~~and~~ ~~is~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~discharged~~ ~~at~~ ~~once~~ ~~and~~ ~~is~~ ~~to~~ ~~report~~ ~~without~~ ~~delay~~ ~~at~~ ~~Camp~~ ~~Lee~~ ~~Richmond~~

By order - Major Gen'l B. McCraw.

R. W. Smith  
Asst. Adjt. Gen'l.

Head Quarters Savannah  
Nov 17. 1864.

The Guard at R.R. will allow  
Prisoners to pass, as he belongs to  
the 1st Military Regt Col. May Gen Mearns

R. B. Elliott

A. A.

#2087 Transportation in kind from  
Savannah to Petersburg

J. M. Neely

capt & a 2nd

Regt. Cavalry

Very Respectfully  
Wm. L. G. Mearns  
Genl. of Regt  
in Charge

Head Quarters

Apr 17 1864

The Bureau at Wash will allow  
the Purchase of horses as he belongs to  
the 1st Military Reg Cavalry

R. W. White

W. A. G.

#2087 Transportation in kind from  
Savannah to Petersburg J. M. Neely

capt 1st 2m

R. A. Rose

Mag Hospital No 8  
Greensboro NC  
Dun of Sleep  
in kind

Glynn Barker

AD 13792

Dec 20th 1914

1914

Dear Mother

Got your letter of the 15th and was  
glad to hear from you. I am  
well and hope these few lines  
will find you the same. I  
am not at home at the moment  
but I will write again when I  
am home.

I am not at home at the moment  
but I will write again when I  
am home. I am not at home  
at the moment but I will write  
again when I am home. I am  
not at home at the moment but  
I will write again when I am  
home.

Box 1174



City, British (1864)

Dec 1864

Capit Ruler

i was arrested  
at Troy N.Y. on suspicion of being  
a deserter and have been hear now  
about four months and i would like  
you to invest my case to no  
what i am to do

Yours  
Charles Kimble

i was arrested in pine valley  
N. York on suspicion of being a  
Deserter i was arrested in the first  
of oct last and have been hear  
since and i want to get  
a hearring

Michael Glynn

1853

get it for me he  
so on the 19<sup>th</sup> of  
to report up to the  
the capt called the  
he told him to saddle  
on his saps and not quest  
standing so he came down  
us over to the wagon  
d us if we were going to  
him that was not he  
port to the office  
office and superintendent  
are papers and sent  
since that time  
taken out of his  
very thankfull  
into our case

a very faithfully  
Yours  
James  
Birmingham  
Alabama

City Point Va Dec 24<sup>th</sup>

Dear Sir

1864

Capt. Keelson

I take the pleasure of stating my case to you & come out here as a citizen tender for the period of 6 months or if I did not like or desiring to give 10 days <sup>notice</sup> and I could not get my discharge I drove team in the artillery brigade of the 5 corps I came out here on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of february and my time havent expired the 10<sup>th</sup> of august I come down to Capt Lambert and ask his clerk for my discharge and he told I get as soon as he got money he would pay us of and give me my discharge so on the 12<sup>th</sup> day october he paid me three months wages I ask him for my discharge and he told me that he had not money enough to pay off about the 15<sup>th</sup> day of november the brigade wagon master came to me and asked me if I wanted my discharge and I told him that I wish he

1863

he said he would get it for me he  
went away then so on the 19<sup>th</sup> of  
November and told me to report up to the  
Capt headquarters the capt called the  
mully he came and he told him to saddle  
his horse and put on his saps and guard  
us down to capt Strong so he came down  
with 4 of us he sent us over to the wagon  
master and he asked us if we were going to  
work and we told him that was not he  
then told us to report to the office  
we reported to the office and superintended  
allen said out some papers and sent  
us down hear and since that time  
Jacob Ashi was taken out of hear  
we were led be very thankfull  
to you to look into our case

Yours very faithfully  
Clements

J. Connor  
H. Cunningham  
L. Peeters

Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1863  
Garrison & Co  
Boston

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6<sup>th</sup> Corps

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Atkins

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Box 5 - Pot.

~~Head Quarters 6th Army Corps~~  
Office Provost Marshal  
December 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Capt. W. H. Beckwith  
A. D. C.  
Provost Marshal General  
Captain

I have the honor to inform  
you that Charles A. Eccleston is registered at  
this office as Sable of the 139th Penna. Vols. also  
the following assistants.

W. H. B.

George Pleyer  
John Rutherford

Chief

"

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obedt Servt  
D. J. Miles

Major & Provost Marshal  
6<sup>th</sup> Army Corps

Dec. 23, 1884

Let more names

W. J. ...

Rev. ...

**Head-Quarters, Second Cavalry Division,**

OFFICE, PROVOST MARSHAL.

*December 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864*

*Genl.*

I have the honor to forward to you, under guard, the following named prisoners, viz:

No.	NAME	REGIMENT.	REMARKS.
1	<i>John Holman</i>	<i>Attyer</i>	<i>These men were taken up near the picket line of the 1<sup>st</sup> N.Y. Cav. they belong to Captain Strong's Coy. 1<sup>st</sup> Termists.</i>
2	<i>Gronard Jackson</i>	"	
3	<i>Frank Rigby</i>	"	

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

*W. Harper*

Capt. & Acting Provost Marshal.

To

*Genl. H. C. Merriss*

*A. Provost Marshal*



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U.S. Army of Potomac

December 3/64.

Letter of Transmittal for  
the family of  
Mr. Charles M. Candlish.

(Refugees.)

C. T.

Box 23 Pak.

Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac,

Office of the Provost Marshal General,

December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864.

Captain

By direction of the Prov. Mar. Gen, I have the honor to forward to you the family of Mr. Charles McBandlish. - Refugee, who came into our lines this P. M. The oath of Allegiance has been administered.

Very Respectfully, your

Off. Servt

P. H. Whigler,

Capt. 4<sup>th</sup> Reg. P. A. A. C.

Capt. G. R. Leslie

Prov. Mar.

City Point

13797

Head Quarters of the  
Office of the Marshal  
29th Decr. 1864

Respectfully forwarded

Requested this day

A. May <sup>ms</sup>

was d.

J. J. Tamm <sup>ms</sup>

Wm. Spottiswood

Chas. for Wm. Kidd

sub for 7th. W. Vale

Paul A. Oliver  
Capt. & Acty. pro War.

2 or more names

certificates

Rev. O. Park

Office Prov. Mar. Genl  
City Point Va

Decr 28 1864

Respectfully referred  
to Capt. Paul A. Oliver  
Prov. Mar

for Registry <sup>and</sup> Erasure

By command of  
Brig Genl Patrick  
J. Pr. Mar Genl

C. C. Conille  
Capt. and adjt

5<sup>th</sup> Corps  
7<sup>th</sup> Md Vols

Kidd Man. Dutler 7<sup>th</sup> Md. Vols  
asks that A. Alley be  
Registered as his clerk

OK 78 (V2) 1864

No 978. 7<sup>th</sup> Md. Vols  
Dec 23 1864

Respectfully forwarded  
Approved  
S. C. Comdr 7<sup>th</sup> Md

No. 2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Brig 2<sup>nd</sup> Div 5<sup>th</sup> Vols.  
Dec 24 1864

Reply forwarded  
app  
A. D. DeWitt

383 Brant Brig Kent County

Head 2<sup>nd</sup> Div 1<sup>st</sup> Corp.  
Dec 26, 1864

Reply forwarded  
app

James H. King  
Brant Brig Kent  
Kent Division

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Head Gms 5 Army Corps  
Dec 27, 1864

Respectfully forwarded  
for action of Provost  
Marshal General

G. H. Warren  
Maj Gen

Head Quarters  
Army of the Potomac  
Dec 27, 1864

Respectfully referred  
to the Provost  
Marshal General

By Command of  
Maj. Gen. Meade  
S. F. Blunt  
a. a. g.

Received Gms 5 Army Corps Dec 26/64

Camp 7<sup>th</sup> Md vols Artillery  
Near Wilson R. Road

December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864.

Sir,

I have the honor to request  
that the names of, Wilson Spollenwood & J. J.  
Tammam formerly my clerks, be erased from your  
register, and the name of A. Alby be substituted  
in their place, as my clerk.

Very Respectfully

Your obedt Servant

Wm Kidd

Section 7<sup>th</sup> Md vols Artillery

2<sup>nd</sup> Reg 2<sup>d</sup> Div 5<sup>th</sup> A. C.

To  
Genl Patrick  
Prov Marshall Genl

Arrived operating against Richmond

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Head Quarters, Ninth Army Corps,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

December 29<sup>th</sup>, 1864.

Duly registered at this Office, J. F. Winnick,  
R. L. Wood, as clerks and W. Braxton (cook),  
cook for O. D. Whitney. Letter for the 21<sup>st</sup> Regt  
9<sup>th</sup> Me.

W. G. Nelson  
Captain Marshal

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Heath Quarter, J. A. B.  
No. 100 Office  
Journals of Citizens  
Lantern

Dec 6/64

Citizen

Box 1 - Dept

Head Quarters 9<sup>th</sup> A.C.  
Provost Marshal's Office  
December 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

Provost Marshal  
Army of the Potomac

I have the honor to forward herewith  
Nine (9) citizen teamsters belonging to Capt. Rapelge's (of  
M. 3<sup>d</sup> Div. 9<sup>th</sup> A.C.) train. The 3<sup>d</sup> Division is with Genl  
Butler's command. The teamsters were sent by him to City  
Point Va for punishment for refusing to do duty, were returned  
to me to be forwarded to Capt. Rapelge.

The following is a list of their names:

Chas. Charities	John Koll
Henry Jones	Winger Buck
Henry Goffrath	John Krucies
John Winnifinger	Peter Doyle
John Gyzelle	

~~Also one man belonging to the 2<sup>d</sup> A.C. Sgt. Henry Martin~~  
Deserter

W. G. Cheffron  
Capt. Provost Marshal

Murray James 13800

Reinhardt Henry

Murray James

Chicago

1864

July 11 P. 2

James Murdoch Citizen - I belong in Canada  
but for the last 10 years have lived in Oswego N.Y.  
I was arrested on the 18<sup>th</sup> Oct in Baltimore, on  
Suspicion of being Deserter - I went there to get work  
I was sent to City Point

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R Henry Reinhardt - Citizen - I am a German  
been in Virginia 4 years - I worked for Mr Myers  
near Smithfield - I worked for him 2 1/2 years - I came  
in the Federal lines at Suffolk, was sent to Norfolk  
I then went to Fort Monroe and was sent by  
Pro Mar to Bermuda Hundred and from thence  
to City Point - I came here 8<sup>th</sup> of August - was  
arrested 24<sup>th</sup> of July -

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R James Murray Citizen - I belong in Wexburg Va  
I went from there to Baltimore and was arrested  
there the 20<sup>th</sup> of July, on suspicion of being Deserter  
John Bell Storekeeper Cor Water & Market <sup>knows me</sup> St  
I was sent here by Pro Mar of Baltimore, I arrived  
here about 15<sup>th</sup> Nov.

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Frankfort Ky Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

Lindsay D. W. Sues and  
Adj't Gen Ky Vols.

States that in accordance  
with instructions he sent  
Capt Lockerville's Company  
down the Rail Road  
Makes report of operations  
on Christmas day.

States that the troops are  
energetic and vigilant.  
Has been called on to furnish  
pistol Cartridges but has none  
on hand. Requests that he  
be furnished the required  
ammunition.

Respect War Genl

D. W. Sues

S. R. B. S. H. Co - 1 - 10 - 11 - 10 - 1864

St. Jefferson was no more  
union -

Call on Lt. S. J. Babbitt  
Comd of Co. D. 1st  
Louisville

Moore

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Head Quarters Ky Volunteers  
Adjutant General's Office  
Frankfort Ky  
December 26<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Brig Genl N. C. McLean  
Lexington Ky.

General.

In accordance with instructions contained in your letter of the 12<sup>th</sup> ult, I have sent Cap<sup>t</sup> Cockerills Company down the Rail Road with the permission granted to press horses, and have the honor to report the following prisoners (which I send to you under guard) as the results of his operations on Christmas day, in conjunction with our State troops. The prisoners are no doubt regular guerrillas, and members of Genl's band that have been troubling the Rail Road for some time past. Their names are as follows: viz

St Columbus Finley  
George S. Owen  
William E. Waller  
George. Graves  
Jackson Banks  
Levi Payne  
Wm H. Morgan  
Monroe Wellman  
Franklin Johnson.



They were captured near Bethlehem or Farmersburg in Henry County, one rebel being killed in the charge. In several small engagements which our troops have had with the Guerrillas, citizens report some six or eight wounded and concealed in different places.

Our troops are energetic and vigilant and report they will capture the whole gang or compel them to leave the country. I will report their progress from time to time.

We are called on by Capt Cokerill to furnish his command with 250 rounds of Colts Army pistol Cartridges, and 250 rounds for Beals pistol. Having no pistol Cartridges on hand, I have the honor to request that you furnish the required ammunition and I will send the requisitions by return mail.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt  
S. D. Lindsay  
Majr & Ady Genl.

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New Quarter N.Y.C.  
Receipt for 2 Prisoners  
Dec 26/64.

two or more

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Head Quarters 15<sup>th</sup> W. Regts  
Ct; Point No. Dec. 26/64.

Received from  
Capt. W. J. Patten, Prov Marshal.

Prisoners

Robert Isaac, &  
Michael Neil, }

S. Hansen,

Registered - }

For W. A. Ketchum  
Lt. Col. Condit.

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Balt. Nov 9 1864

Worley John Holt  
Forwards Report in the  
Cases of Est

Mr + Mrs W. Kline

Miss O. Brauman

(3 Enclosures)  
With request that they be  
forwarded to C. C. Dana  
Asst. Sec. War

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Head-Qu. M. Dept.  
Baltimore Md

Respectfully forwarded to  
C. C. Dana, Asst. Sec. War  
as requested

M. 2279, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> 1864.

2 Rept. Gen. Hall  
Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1864  
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Wm Gen. Condit

Recd (Alto.) Nov. 19. 64.  
Co. H. 12th M. Dept. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

Adj. Genl. for Maj. Genl.  
Wallace.  
~~General~~ Entertain the good

Respectfully referred to  
Major General Wallace  
Comd'g Middle Dept.

W. A. Nichols  
Asst. Adj. General

A. G. Ogden

Nov. 21, 1864

Head-Quarters, Middle Department.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1864.

Respectfully referred to Major W. L. Marshal  
Judge Advocate 8<sup>th</sup> Army Corps, who  
will prepare charges, and bring  
these parties to trial, in accordance  
with orders of the Hon. C. D. Dana,  
Act. Secty of War.

By command of  
Major Genl Wallace

Wm. S. Lawrence

A. A. Genl.

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, *Aug 11* 1864.

Major Genl Lew Wallace  
Comdg  
General

I have the honor  
to forward my report in the  
case of Mrs & Dr Klein and Miss  
O. Barron, with request that it be  
forwarded to Hon C. H. Dana apt  
Sec of War.

Respectly

Your most obedt Servt  
John Woodley  
1st Col & Prov Marshal.

To: Jno. Wood Mill, Ind.

Pro. Marshal. Office

Aug<sup>24</sup> 30-11

By Authority of ~~Major Gen~~  
Sheridan. Comdg. Wood Mill  
Division.

A safe guard is granted Lt.  
J. A. Klein residing below  
Trickersville.

All officers and Soldiers  
belonging to the Army of  
the United States are therefore  
Commanded to respect  
this safe guard, and to afford  
if necessary, protection to  
Lt. J. A. Klein and property.

By Order of  
Major Gen. Sheridan  
Col. Ross Smith  
Adj. & Pro. Marshal  
Wood Mill, Ind.

1864  
6<sup>th</sup> 1864

B. B.

File with other  
papers in this  
case. of the Collins  
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1864

To: Capt L Wallace commanding Dep<sup>t</sup> Batt Mad No 26  
 We then understood having learned of the arrest of Miss  
 Harriet O'Bannon in the City of Baltimore on or about the  
 2<sup>d</sup> of November inst & since detained in said City by the auth-  
 orities thereof - Respectfully beg leave to say that we are  
 not advised of any charges having been preferred against  
 her the said O'Bannon of a nature to render her case such  
 as to preclude a statement of facts with great differe-  
 in regard to <sup>her</sup> presence in the said City - The said <sup>Harriet</sup> daughter  
 of Mrs. Harriet O'Bannon a widow Lady of the County of  
 Jeff Va in the Vicinity of Charles Town - Who has a son  
 living at Fort Delaware & <sup>brother</sup> of said Harriet and  
 receiving a letter by mail from her said brother stating  
 that he was much in want of clothing & was referred by  
 him to the authorities in Washing City who would give  
 all the information desired in manner & form of lending  
 said supplies to the said brother a forerand & being very short  
 of funds & indeed poor, she borrowed of a friend some money  
 to supply the wants of herself & two daughters one of whom  
 is deaf and dependent on her & on about the 29<sup>th</sup> Oct  
 last Mrs. Mary Miller & her son Dr John Miller both  
 of Loudon County came to this County on their way to Balt<sup>e</sup>  
 & prevailed upon said Harriet O'Bannon to accompany her  
 & her son to the City of Baltimore & she the said Mrs Miller would  
 from her acquaintance in the City procure her a pass or permit  
 to send said supplies of clothing granted to her brother &  
 having acquaintances in the family of Dr C. H. Stephens

who resides in Baltimore embraced the opportunity of the packet  
to said City of the Kleins & back she being a lone female  
upon on board the Car & on her arrival in Baltimore went  
directly to Dr: Stephens a Gentleman above respect-  
he having resided in the County of Jeff for many years  
and married the daughter of L. P. W. Welch of this  
County near Lee Town and further that the only cause  
of her detention appears to be that of her traveling  
been in company of S. Kleins - who we learn are  
under charges & held detained in prison - We are  
well acquainted with Mrs O'Harmons family & think them  
to be respectable though scant of means & no income  
except from their own exertions since their misfortune  
in losing their house furniture & other clothes within  
the last two years part by this accidental and destruc-  
tive element of fire

We do therefore in consideration of the circumstances  
stated above hope that a speedy investigation may  
be the means of restoring her <sup>to her</sup> helpless Mother and Affected  
Sister & further as far as we can learn she the O'Harmon  
is in no wise concerned in the matter touching the case of  
the Kleins, all of which is respectfully submitted in the  
behalf of the O'Harmon O'Harmon & we ask in the  
name & behalf of the unprotected family that she  
be heard & if not implicated of a violation of the  
Laws of this Land be saved the torturing of the prison or  
bounds and sent home to aid & comfort as well as she  
may her affected Mother & Sister & we will ever pray.  
43 - - - Joseph Brand

Saml W. Wassong  
S. F. Abel

Chas Aglionby

W. P. M. 1838

St. Kitts

James V. Moore

L. Q. W. Balch

Andrew M. Antine

Charges against

Mr. Mary A. Klein

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Charges and specifications against Mrs Mary A Klein a citizen -

Charge 1<sup>st</sup>

Violation of the 56<sup>th</sup> article of War by relieving the enemies of the United States with victuals and knowing, harboring and protecting them.

Specification 1<sup>st</sup> In this that the said Mary A Klein a citizen of the United States and owing allegiance thereto did on or about the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1864 at or near Tuckersville Virginia receive with victuals the enemies of the United States to wit a number of soldiers belonging to the army of the so called Confederate States known as Monby's Guerrillas -

Specification 2 In this that Mary A Klein a citizen of the United States and owing allegiance thereto did on or about the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1864 at or near Tuckersville Virginia knowingly harbor and protect enemies of the United States to wit a number of soldiers of the army of the so called Confederate States known as Monby's Guerrillas.

Charge 2<sup>d</sup>

Knowingly participating in the proceeds of the murdering of United States officers by Rebel Bands or Guerrilla bands.

Specification - In this that Mary A Klein a citizen of the United States and owing allegiance thereto did on or about the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1864 at or near Tuckersville Virginia receive and appropriate to her

own use large sums of money from rebels against the  
authority of the United States belonging to Hovey's Guer-  
rilla band well knowing that the said money was  
money of the United States taken on or about the 14 of  
October 1864 by the said rebels from a pay master or  
paymasters in the military service of the United States

to charge &c

Violating the oath of allegiance

Specification - In this that Henry A. Klein a citizen  
of the United States having taken the oath of allegiance  
and to support the laws and Constitution of the same  
did, on or about the 22<sup>d</sup> day of October 1864 at Snick-  
sville Virginia knowingly receive with vitals and  
harbor and protect the enemies of the United States  
and did receive from the said enemies large sums  
of money plundered by the same from the officers  
and peaceful and loyal citizens of the United States

W. L. News Hall

Judge Advocate

& Army Corps

W. 2379, e. 200/64  
Headquarters Mil. Dept. Md.  
Provost Marshal's Office  
Baltimore Md. Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> 1864

Wolley Lieut. Colonel John  
Provost Marshal.

Statement in the cases of Dr. Klein,  
Mrs. Klein and Miss O'Rannon,  
charged with disloyalty, and having  
in their possession property belonging  
to the Government, the same having  
been stolen by Morby's gang.

F. B. Page 2/6 P.M. Office 8<sup>th</sup> C. ?

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Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore,

1862

In the case of Dr. Klein it is not clear, that he is not an Officer of the Rebel Army, he was in August '61. an enlisted man of the 6<sup>th</sup> Va. Cav., in October of that year he was made a Surgeon in the Rebel Army, says he ran into our lines about 25<sup>th</sup> May 1862. but it was during an engagement and he was trying to find his command, hence he was captured, he was paroled & finally sent in his resignation to the Rebel War Department by a man named Thompson (called old man Thompson) probably a Hockade runner, spy, or rebel mail carrier.

Klein has not taken the oath, because he has never been requested to do so, nor has he ever been exchanged, Orders have been issued declaring all Officers & soldiers captured previous to certain dates as exchanged, but Klein has paid no attention to these orders, on the contrary he has avoided it, and has kept himself in that peculiar geographical position to enable him to know much of both armies, reference to his statements show him to be quite familiar with Mosely's men, & their operations & movements.

He has a safe guard from Gen. Sheridan's Provost Marshal, and also an order from Gen. Sigel for a guard to be placed at his house. Mrs. Klein has been in the habit of coming and going at will, she visited Baltimore a number of times the past year, and has taken out Medicines to her son, she has three cousins in Mosely's Gang, & as before stated borrowed \$175. from two of Mosely's men, when she ~~was sent~~ to Washington on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> inst. she procured from President Lincoln permission for her son to purchase material for Photographing, she got that permission on the strength of the



safeguard & pass referred to above.

Mrs O'Bannon is an out & out rebel, has a brother in Mosby's command, & one now a prisoner at Fort Delaware, she lives near Puffields station, and knows all about Mosby's men, has never taken the oath and would rather not take it, in impudence she excels and I judge from her manner that she has enough of daring in her composition to make her valuable as a spy or carrier of dispatches.

The depositions of Lieut. Norman and Mr. Benedict do not favor the purity of Mrs Klein's professed principles, and in Mr. Benedict's evidence some light is thrown on Mrs Klein's real character, which is in my opinion that of a Rebel at heart.

The case with this imperfect report is respectfully submitted to the Commanding

General awaiting orders as to disposition of prisoners & money

I have the honor to be, Very respectfully

Your obedient Servant

John Woolley

Lieut. Col. & Prov. Marshal

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, December 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major General Geo. Wallace  
Camp Mid. Dept. 8<sup>th</sup> Army Corps.

Sir

I have the honor to report the arrest on the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. of Mrs. Mary Ann Holm, her son Doctor John H. Holm, and her niece Miss Hannie M. O'Bannon, the two former residents of Loudon Co. Va., near Snickersville, & the latter residing near Puffield Station on the O. & O. R. R. I have the honor to submit the statements made by the parties & also the evidence of Lieut. Norman 8<sup>th</sup> Maryland Infantry, S. I. Co. - 1<sup>st</sup> Regt. and James Shannon. Mrs. Holm & her son were arrested on the charge of having in their possession a portion of the money captured with Major Ruggles Paymaster U. S. A., by Morley's command about the 14<sup>th</sup> ult., at which time their train on the O. & O. R. R. was also captured & burned at Puffield Station.

Miss O'Bannon being in company with, and a relative of the Holm's, and having come from Virginia with them, I deemed it proper to arrest and hold her also. Immediately after arresting the parties and getting possession of the money, I received permission from the Hon. Secretary of War & proceeded to Washington for the purpose of having the money identified if possible, at the City Dept. I found Mr. Philip G. Hoim (Major Ruggles clerk) and he identified the Federal currency amounting to Three hundred & forty four dollars (\$344) as being part of Major Ruggles funds. I then proceeded

Cashiers Office of the Treasury Department, where I obtained sufficient evidence to convince me that certain notes of the "First National Bank of Woodstown N. J." amounting to three hundred & thirty dollars (\$330) were also a part of Major Ruggles funds.

It having been a long time in circulation.

The balance of the money it is impossible to identify

I do not however, think it necessary to identify

any of the money. Dr. Klein acknowledges he borrowed eight hundred dollars (\$800) from two of Mosby's men & that this a part of the money.

Mr. Klein claims that two hundred & sixty dollars (\$260) of the amount belongs to her, but she acknowledges she received one hundred & sixty five (\$165) from two of Mosby's men.

My conclusion is that with the exception of perhaps a few dollars, the whole amount is of the funds taken from the Quartermasters by Mosby's & his band on or about the 14<sup>th</sup> October last. The total amount of money taken from the Kleins & now in my possession is sixteen hundred & sixty two dollars & sixty cents (\$1662<sup>60</sup>/<sub>100</sub>) which is all the money they had.

Had Dr. Klein claim to be loyal, the attention of the General Commanding is called to their own statement where in they acknowledge the visits of Mosby's men at their house.

It is possible that Klein & his mother cannot prevent these visits, admit they cannot, it does not excuse them from borrowing or in any way receiving the plunder or property obtained by Mosby's gang from Officers of the U. S. Government, & the fact that Klein and his mother are found with a portion of that plunder in their possession, & that three of their own relations are of Mosby's gang, certainly looks suspicious and makes their pretended hostility to Mosby and his men appear questionable. Truly loyal people do not borrow from Rebel & traitors money or other property stolen from the U. S. Government.

115. 1864.

S. S. W.

Commissioner  
20 June 4th 1865

Respectfully returned  
to Dept Head Quarters  
with the information that  
the within named parties  
Mrs Mary A. Kline & Dr Kline  
has been tried by this  
Commission and the proce-  
-dings in the case forwarded  
to Dept Head Quarters  
Balto Md

Wm P. Lord

Major & Judge Advocate  
S. S. W. 115. 1864.

Ms. A. 9. 2. 1. 1. 1. 1.

The evidence, and a condensed  
statement of the same by Lt. Col. Geo.  
Woolley P.M. & A.C., in the case of  
Mrs. & Dr. Klein and Miss Cannon  
charged with Disloyalty, and having  
money in their possession which had  
been stolen from the U.S. Government  
by Morley's gang.

that she received the visits of  
rebel soldiers or guerrillas, as  
above mentioned, no substantive  
offence is brought home to her  
by the testimony.

R. G. 495. Holt.  
8-1 Judge Adair Genl

Returned to Major General  
Wallace, to bring the parties  
to trial.

By order of the  
Secretary of War.  
C. A. Dana  
Asst. Secretary of War.

War Dept: }  
Nov: 17. 1864 }

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War Department, W. 1879, No. 111.  
Bureau of Military Justice,  
Washington, Nov. 14. 1864.

Respectfully returned to the Secretary of War. It appears from the within papers in the cases of Mrs. Mary Ann Klein & her son Dr. John A. Klein of Richersville, Va. that the former is chargeable with having harbored men of Mosby's command at her house on various occasions and with recently borrowing <sup>or receiving</sup> from men of the same band a considerable sum of money, which she was fully aware had been taken by them from a U. S. Paymaster, Captured in a raid upon the Balt. & Ohio R. R., on Oct. 4th. last.

She admits that prior to the Commission of these Offences she had taken the Oath of allegiance, and she is therefore also chargeable with a violation of this Oath.

Her son, Dr. Klein also admits that he borrowed a considerable amount of the Captured money from individuals of the company engaged in the raid, and furthermore, that he has heretofore furnished medicines and medical attendance to Mosby's men. He has never taken the Oath of allegiance. He claims indeed

that he is still a Surgeon in the rebel  
army; - that he tendered his re-  
signation in April 1863 but was  
never notified of its acceptance. He  
admits, however, that he has been  
allowed since that date to practice  
in Loudon Co., as a Citizen physician,  
and that he was meanwhile conscripted  
(and furnished a substitute).  
He would therefore probably be quite  
unable to establish by satisfactory  
evidence that he is entitled to be  
treated as a prisoner of war. A  
fact which renders the conduct  
of these parties the more criminal  
is that Mrs. Klein, (with whom her  
son lodges,) held at the time of her  
arrest a safeguard from Major  
Sheridan and a recommendation  
for loyalty received from Major  
Wright. Their sympathy and  
close acquaintance with many  
of Moreby's men is apparent from  
their own admissions; and though  
it is claimed by Mrs. Klein that she  
has been forced to harbor them against  
her will, yet she shows that during  
the recent stay at her house of her  
cousin Miss O'Bannon, (the brother  
of the latter a private of Moreby's bat-  
talion with other privates and an  
officer of the same command were  
allowed, and as it would seem, encour-  
aged to visit at the house.

It is concluded that Mrs.  
Klein may be tried by Court  
Martial for a violation of the 5th  
Article of War in harboring en-  
emies; and by a Military Com-  
mission for a violation of the 8th  
of allegiance and for receiving and  
using U. S. money, knowing that  
it was captured or stolen, further  
that J. A. Klein is triable by Mili-  
tary Commission for the offense  
last named, as well as for giving  
aid and comfort to the enemy in  
his capacity as a surgeon.

The trial of these parties is  
recommended not only on account  
of the criminality involved in their  
individual cases, but because their  
punishment, in the event of their conviction,  
will serve as a most wholesome  
warning to the numerous rebel  
partisans of Loudon County, who  
while constantly feeding and harbor-  
ing the men of Moreby's band, assume  
to claim the protection of our mili-  
tary forces, on the ground of their  
loyalty.

In regard to Miss O'Bannon,  
it merely appears that she is a rebel  
sympathizer and that she has  
brother and two cousins in  
Moreby's command. She states that  
she "would rather not take the  
oath of allegiance." Besides the fact



that she received the visits of  
rebel soldiers or guerrillas, as  
above mentioned, no substantial  
offence is brought home to her  
by the testimony.

R. 6. 495. Holt.  
Judge & General

Returned to Major General  
Wallace, to bring the parties  
to trial.

By order of the

Secretary of War.

C. A. Dana,

Asst. Secretary of War.

War Dept.

Nov. 17, 1864.

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Charges against

John Alexander Klein

Charges and Specifications against John Alexander Klein -

Charge 1<sup>st</sup>

Violation of the 58<sup>th</sup> article of war by relieving with victuals and otherwise and by ~~the~~ harboring and protecting the enemies of the United States. Specification - In this that John Alexander Klein a citizen of the United States did on or about the 22<sup>d</sup> day of October 1864 and at various times preceding said date during the year 1864 at or near Snicker'sville Virginia aid and relieve with victuals and medicines and otherwise and did knowingly protect and harbor enemies of the United States to wit, various ~~part~~ of the army of the so called Confederate States known as Mosby's Guerrillas -

Charge 2

Knowingly participating in the proceeds of the plundering of United States officers by Rebel Raiders or Guerrilla bands -

Specification - In this that John Alexander Klein a citizen on or about the 22<sup>d</sup> day of October 1864 at or near Snicker'sville Virginia did receive and appropriate to his own use large sums of money from rebels against the authority of the United States belonging to Mosby's Guerrilla band and knowing that the said money was money of the United States taken on or about the 14<sup>th</sup> of October 1864 by the said rebels from a pay master or pay masters in the military service of the United States -

Specification 2 In this that John Alexander Klein  
a citizen of the United States died, on or about the 22<sup>d</sup>  
day of October 1864 at or near Puckersville Virginia  
receiv<sup>g</sup> from soldiers of the army of the so-called Confederate  
States members of Mosby's Guerrilla Band to wit from one  
——— Arick and others large sums of money to pur-  
chase in Baltimore supplies for said persons, which money  
he and Arick had been plundered by said men from  
officers ~~and loyal citizens~~ of the United States army

W. L. Marshall

Judge Advocate

of Army Corps

of the 1st specification &  
of the charge -

of 1st Specification  
of 2nd Specification  
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Office of the Depot Quartermaster U. S. A.

Baltimore, Md. Jan'y 3 1864

Major

Please make within  
orders official ~~return~~ by  
the bearer ~~obliged~~

J. H. Housick  
Mroway

Doc. Bates. James H. George Somerset Co  
Md.

Col. Woolley.

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Wm H. Clegg  
Supt. of Patents

! Bureau (Mrs. H. Clegg)

(Mrs. H. Clegg)

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Baltimore Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

Honorable John W.  
Judge, 10<sup>th</sup> Circuit Ct. U.S.

Encloses a petition  
requesting the release of  
Miss Annie O. Barron now  
a prisoner in Baltimore.

One Enclosure.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Major W. L. Marshall, Judge-  
Advocate & 8<sup>th</sup> Army Corps, in connection  
with other papers in this case.

By Command of  
Maj. Genl. Wallace

M.  
James R. Raf  
Maj. and U. S. C.

Recd. Med. Dept. Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

13 south Howard st

Balt<sup>e</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 8. 1864.

Dear Sir,

I beg leave to lay before you, for such action as you may deem advisable, the accompanying petition signed by gentlemen known to me to be of the most respectable character in the County of Jefferson in the State of West Virginia. Two of the signers I know to be leading & influential Union men in that County - the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Balch and W<sup>m</sup> McPheg.

All of them are large land holders. Sir Charles Aylmer is a British gentleman of wealth & standing. He was born & raised, however, in America, and came to his present title & property by the death of his father, John Yates.

I believe that all they say about Miss O'Donnor is true &, therefore, commend

This petition to your favor.

Yours General, with great respect  
of your servant.

Major Genl Lewis Wallace

Colto.

John W. Stewart

Judge 10<sup>th</sup> Circuit

West Virginia

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1996. No. A. G. O. 1864

Office Provost Marshal  
Baltimore - Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1864.

United States

vs.

Dr J. A. Kline }

Lieut Jm B. Norman 8<sup>th</sup> Md Col.  
says on the evening of - Nov 1/64 I  
went into the Bar Room of the Antaw  
House. I was approached by Dr  
Kline he said to me, - You have a  
good eye it looks like a Southern  
eye - he then asked me to take a  
drink. I said to him. I don't drink  
with people I do not know. he then  
said he was from London Co Va &  
had plenty of money which he pulled  
out & let me see. - He then asked me  
if I did not belong to his Army -  
I took him one side, and told him not  
to talk to Loud. - & if he meant the  
Southern Army I belonged to it. I  
then took him up to the bar so the bar-  
keeper could hear what he had to say.  
I then asked him how he got here. He  
said by permission of Genl Sheridan.  
I then told him I belonged to the Fede-  
ral Army and asked him to show  
me his papers from Genl Sheridan. he  
hesitated & then pulled out a safe guard

and told me he was a loyal man, I then asked him where he got so much money in Greenbacks. he said he borrowed it from 2 of Moseby's men & gave his note for it. I then asked him for what amt he gave his notes - he said Twelve hundred (\$1,200) Dollars, I then asked him for what purpose he came inside our lines. he said for the purpose of buying a Photographic Establishment to take the pictures of Moseby's men & send them to the U.S. Govt. he also said he would like to see Genl Wallace to give information of their whereabouts. I took him to Genl Wallace and the Genl ordered me to bring him to this office. which I did.

Wm J. Forman  
1st Lieut & Adjt P<sup>th</sup> Regt Col

COLEMAN'S CUTAW HOUSE,

Baltimore,

Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1864

Spencer L. Benedict of the City of Baltimore  
being duly sworn says I was in the Parlor  
of the Cutaw House on the night of the first  
inst & saw S. J. H. Klein of Virginia. Klein  
said he had money that was taken on the  
train that was captured on the Paet & Shield,  
I understood him to refer to the train that was  
captured about the 13<sup>th</sup> or 14<sup>th</sup> of Oct last. He  
said that he received three hundred dollars  
in Greenbacks that were taken by Morley King  
for which he gave his note. I asked Klein  
when that note was payable, he said first  
at the end of the war, afterward I questioned  
him more closely & he said the note was pay-

able on demand. I then remarked to him, why  
should they take your note in preference to Greenback's?  
Is your note better than Greenback's? he remarked  
"they know best." I asked Klein, "Are you a Union  
Man?" he replied "Nothing else?" I then asked  
is your mother a Union Woman? he said she  
was. I then asked if she did not harbor Morely's  
men she replied that she did, & his mother had  
said to Morely "You will ruin us all, the course  
you are pursuing." Klein's whole manner was  
that of a disloyal man & I so consider him  
from the general tone of his remarks. Klein  
stated that he had come to Baltimore for the  
purpose of getting Photograph apparatus &  
he had got the consent of President Lincoln. I  
also saw Mrs Klein the Dr's Mother had a conversation  
with her she said he was drunk (meaning the Dr)  
and acted like a damned fool & that he would



Expose them all. She said that she had  
said to Moreby & his party that they would  
be the sum of her & warned them not to come  
to her house again. She said that she had received  
the money from Moreby's gang & she had it  
but did not know how much it was, did  
not recollect.

James J. Benedict

John K. Suberle  
before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1864  
John Woolley  
Robert Brown  
J. A. C.

Affidavit of  
G. John R. Klein  
of Buckersville  
London Co. Va

Dr. John Alexander Kline (from Smithersville Va.)

Sworn, testified as follows, to wit:—

In August (about the first) 1861, I entered the Rebel service as a private. The Militia was drafted, and I either had to go in the Militia or volunteer. I went in Dulany's Company of Cavalry, (Co "A" 6<sup>th</sup> Va. Cav.) from Loudoun County Virginia - went to Ashland to drill - remained there two (2) months then went to Manassas below Centerville, where I was made Hospital Steward of the Regiment.

I then sent on my petition to the Sec. of War, (Benjamin) for an appointment, as surgeon.

About Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> 1861, I received my Commission.

I was with the 6<sup>th</sup> Va. Cavalry about 3 months

then I was transferred to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Virginia Cavalry, where I remained till

About April 1<sup>st</sup> 1862. I was then transferred

to Buchanan's Battery of Artillery. The

Battery was with General Stonewall Jackson

in the Valley. We then marched down to

Front Royal. This was when the First ~~Virginia~~

Regiment, under Colonel Kenly, was so badly

beaten by superior numbers, and so many

of them captured. I ran into the Federal

lines near Newtown and was captured. This

was, or, about the 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1862. I was

looking for my Battery when I went into

the lines.

I was taken <sup>to</sup> Winchester Va. then to Williamsport Prude, the next day, under the charge of a Sergeant of the 5<sup>th</sup> Conn. Infantry. Lieut Col Bachelor 5<sup>th</sup> Conn. Infy, or 3<sup>d</sup> Mass Infy was then Prov. Marshal on Genl Banks' Staff. I was paroled in the town of Williamsport for 6 days, then I received a parole, from Lieut Col Clark, A.D. Camp to Genl Banks, to return to my home in Loudon Co Va, about three (3) miles below Smiths River.

My parole read, "that I was not to give aid and comfort to the enemies of the United States, and that I was to report either by letter, or in person, to the Provost-Marshal at Washington City", and I reported by letter about a month after I got home (about 1<sup>st</sup> of July 1862). I told the provost-Marshal, in my letter, that I was practicing Medicine at my home, and that I would prefer to remain in that capacity, but I never heard from the letter, and have practiced Medicine from that time up to the present. After that I read an order, or proclamation, that every body was exchanged, I then put a substitute in the Rebel Army. The Consulting Officer came to me and I had to do it or go into the army again - I could not help myself. His man's name was Edward.

Henry, (the substitute) he was in the same company with me. I believe that Henry has been with Maryland's (Men's) since, but I just delivered him to the Conscription Officer. I put him up about the middle or 25<sup>th</sup> of April 1863. Henry is an artist, and has been to my house and done some painting since.

I sent my resignation, as Surgeon, to the Sec of War, (Benjamin) at Richmond, about the 1<sup>st</sup> or middle of April 1863, but I never heard from it afterward. I sent it by a man named Thompson (Called old man Thompson). I have not held any other communication with Richmond, since I was paroled. I booked last year about \$1400<sup>00</sup> from my practice as a Physician - I sold some Corn from my farm, to the Citizens, and some was pressed by the Rebels, for which I received \$5<sup>00</sup> a Bbl in Confederate Money. I received about \$1000<sup>00</sup> (Cash in Greenbacks) as my income during the year 1863.

I have a farm of 132 acres, about 15 acres of which is wood land - and raise Corn and wheat. I have bought wheat in Loudon County and put it across the river into Maryland. I have sent 3 or 400 bushels since I began this, about Feb 27<sup>th</sup> 1864. I went to New York City from Loudon Co Va about Feb 27<sup>th</sup> 1863 - stopped at the Union place

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Hotel about 3 or 4 weeks. I graduated  
March 4<sup>th</sup> 1861 at New York. I registered my  
name, <sup>(as well)</sup> as "from West Virginia". I concluded  
that it was best to register my name "from  
West Va.", as I believed that Loudon County  
was in Western Virginia. I went from New  
York to Waynesville Ohio, where my Brother  
lives, and gave him papers relating to lands  
owned by my father in Iowa. That was  
my principal business. I returned to Berlin  
Md. on the Balt & Ohio R Road. Berlin  
was my stopping place. I then went back to  
Harper's Ferry, on a Canal Boat, because I did  
not wish to wait till next day, as the train  
had passed up. That was about April 1<sup>st</sup> 1863.

My income, since Jan'y 1<sup>st</sup> 1864,  
has been \$600<sup>00</sup> or \$700<sup>00</sup>, in Cash. I made  
some money from distilling whiskey, a part  
of which I used for Medical purposes.

I got the Medicines that I used in  
my practice, from Berlin Md. I got about  
\$120<sup>00</sup> worth from Davis and Miller No 12 N  
Howard St Balt Md. Mrs Samuel Jarmey  
brought the Medicines to me, and Samuel Jarmey  
and C, at Goose Creek Meeting House, Loudon Co  
Va. prepared the Medicines. I got a small  
stock of Medicines since that time but I don't  
recalled the date - My Mother got them for me.

Mother was here, about a month ago, and got me 1/2 lb of Blue Soap. My Mother carried \$300 or \$400 worth of goods across the line about July 1864. She brought over Castor Oil, Turpentine, Vaseline, a piece of goods for a best, some linen, one hat & some other things.

My practice, as a Physician, extends 4 or 5 miles around my home.

Mosely has an assistant Surgeon named Dumas. I have attended 3 or 4 of Mosely's men in cases of emergency - have given several of them Ich Medicines. Mosely's men rendezvous near Bloomfield, about 3 miles from my house. I have some third Cousins, in Mosely's Cavalry, that came to my house at the time that Prof. O'Brianon (who is now under arrest) was staying at my house, on a boat. They were named James Wiltshire, (Priv) John Gibson, (Priv) Captain Sherrillson, Kuntz & Gus Hutchinson and a man named Ware (I don't think that man belongs to Mosely now). They came once or twice a week. I never saw Mosely, but once which was about 3 weeks ago. I know the following named men belonging to his Cavalry, to wit:-

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|----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| - Spear (Priv) | John Beale (Priv) | - Adams (Priv) |
| Jo Chambliss " | Yander Johnson "  | P Darnell "    |
| Saml Moore "   | - Pearce "        | - Moore "      |
| Joe Beale "    | - Foster jr "     | Capt Richards  |

Lieut. Nelson      Captain Chapman  
 "    Glasper      "    Chapman No 2  
 Capt. Joy      Priv - Carick

Beside the ones before named,

I never was interrupted by them, except that they threatened to arrest me & Mother, and that they took some of my grain. One of Mosely's men told me that I had given the Federal soldiers whiskey in order to make them drunk & tear up the property of the Citizens, and that Mosely was going to arrest me for it.

I was at home at the time of the raid, on the Balt & Ches Rail-Road, was made by Mosely, about 3 or 4 weeks ago. The first I heard of it was, Charles Wittshire, whose brother belongs to Mosely's Command came to my house and told me that they had captured a train, on the Rail-Road, with about \$168,000<sup>00</sup> in Greenbacks.

Privates James Wittshire, John Gibson, Kurty & Gus Hutcherson, - Spear, - Adams, - Carick and Captain Joy were on the Raid with Mosely when the train was captured. They told me so. I saw a part of them at various times. Once at Bloomfield I saw Adams, and one of the Hutchersons. I understood, from the news, that 84 of them were on the raid and that they got \$2,000<sup>00</sup> each.



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I met Private Carriek, and asked him to lend me the money, and he loaned me \$1000<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>. Priv John Gibson loaned me \$800<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> at H. Frazer's house. That was about a week after the raid. I gave each of them a due bill for the money. About a week ago I sold Priv James Wittshaw a citizens coat for \$45<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> in Greenbacks. I bought the coat from Brooks & Bro New York in 1863.

I got one Bundle of "Fractional Currency" from Carriek containing about \$150<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> in 50 notes, and \$195<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> of the same from Gibson. I got \$300 from Gibson in \$50 & \$100 notes with Coupons attached. The balance of the money was in 5, 10, & 20 notes. I told the men that I wanted the money to buy clothes, Medicines, Furniture, for my house, and a Piano. I came to this city on last Saturday evening, in the Cars - got on the Cars at Duffield Station - Brought with me my Mother and Miss O. Brannon from Loudon Co. Va. Mother and I went to Washington on Monday, and returned on Tuesday. I went for the purpose of seeing Secretary Stanton about giving him information about affairs, but principally to accompany my mother. I reported to the Provost-Marshal's Office at Washington. I asked Maj Gen Wallace if it was necessary to get a pass to go to N York.

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and he told me "No". I intended going to New York to attend the lectures for 6 weeks or two (2) months and to get an apparatus to take Photographs in London Co. Pa. I told Gen. Wallace that I could get Photographs of Mosby's Men and send them on to him. I subscribed to a paper "not to give any information to the Rebels, but I did not take the oath of allegiance, at Berlin Ind.". I never took the oath of allegiance to the U.S. Government.

I took about \$250.00 worth of clothes, a set of surgical instruments (worth \$100.) a Guitar (worth \$40.) and a Music Box (worth \$400.00) from Berlin Ind. to my home.

These articles were passed at Berlin and Harpers Ferry, by the proper Officials, before I took them across into London Co. Pa.

About \$250.00 was taken from me in the Provost-Marshal's Office at this place on last Tuesday evening, also a very valuable watch that I bought at Smiths Mills about September 1863 from Stephen R. Mount. I paid my Mother (now under arrest) \$150.00 before I came here - she and I had over \$1800.00, between us, at the time that we were arrested, at the Emory House. I gave Mother about \$1400.00 when I left home, to keep for me.

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and she must have had it when she was arrested - she had \$13,000<sup>00</sup> of her own money beside the \$4000<sup>00</sup>. This was the same money that I got from Mosby's men. Mother had \$3500<sup>00</sup> in Fractional Currency. A lot of the money was from a National Bank in New Jersey.

I never have been requested to take the Oath of Allegiance to the U.S. Gov. I have no objection to taking it. I took the Oath of Allegiance to the Confederate States when I received my Commission.

Mosby's Men have been headquartered near Bloomfield for about 3 weeks. I learned this from rumor. I have seen quite a number of Mosby's Men in the neighborhood within the last few weeks. They mostly dress in gray clothes, some uniforms & some citizens. Mother was to return to Loudon in 10 or 12 days.

These Men, Arrick, and Gibson, loaned me the money because I had property and that would be bound for it. I went to Gibson and asked him to lend me the money.

I heard one or two of the men say that they had taken several watches and other articles from the people on the Cars - Arrick, and Williams told me so. This was about 3 or 4 days after the raid - within a week at any rate because I saw them several times afterward.

I bought about \$2000 (in Greenbacks) from Private P Darnell, of Mosby's gang, and gave him Confederate Money for it at the rate of \$1000 to \$1100. I never took Confederate Money only when I was Compelled. I am well acquainted within 4 or 5 Miles of my house, within the Circuit of my practice.

This man P Darnell was at my house to see Miss Abramson. It is the custom of the Citizens in the neighborhood to harbor & feed the Rebel soldiers. I do so less than <sup>any</sup> others in the neighborhood. I took care of and attended a Union soldier belonging to the 1<sup>st</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> N.Y. Cav. that was shot on a raid made by Maj. Cole. I got him well enough to go to Harper's Ferry, one night, to prevent his being taken off by Mosby's Men. I had a Passbook from Gen. Sheridan, when I was arrested, also a communication from Maj. Gen. Wright to Gen. Ripell, asking him to furnish me a Guard, as I was a Union Man - also other papers from Army Officers.

Sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1864, at Balt. Md.

A. G. Harrison

Capt. C. H. 1<sup>st</sup> C. A. Md. Vol. Regt.

Affidavit of  
James Shannon  
Butcher at Carter's House  
Baltimore

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Miss Mary A. Klein, (residence near Swickersville Va.) being duly sworn, testified as follows, to wit: -

My son, Dr. Klein, came north to procure an instrument to take Photographs. He left home on the 27<sup>th</sup> of October and came with Miss Abramson, and myself. Miss Abramson came on a visit to Mrs. Stevens'.

My son intended going to New York City and was to remain till about Christmas.

We arrived in Baltimore on Saturday, Oct 29<sup>th</sup>, and stopped at the Cataract House. My son and I went to Washington, on Monday, the 31<sup>st</sup> of Oct, to get a permit from the President, or Sec of War, to open a Photographing establishment in Loudon Co Va. I succeeded in getting the permission from the President, which permission is now in the possession of Col. Woolley, Provost-Marshal.

My son, Dr. Klein, went into the Rebel service, as a private, with Capt Dalaney, a few days after the first battle of Bull Run. He was either compelled to go in the Militia, or volunteer. If he could get in as a Surgeon, Capt Dalaney was to give him up. His father was a Union Man, and was always opposed to my son's going into service. He (the Dr.) remained in the service of the Rebel about 11 months.

1 James Shannon, Barkeeper at Cutler  
House Balt Md, being duly sworn testified  
as follows, to wit:—

I saw Dr J A Klien at  
his house (Cutler House) on last Tuesday  
night about 12 O'clock. I heard him say  
to Mr Benedict that he was a surgeon in the  
Rebel Army and that he had given his notes  
to two (2) of Mosby's Men for money  
captured on the train. That two (2) of  
Mosby's Men were at his house in Loudoun  
County Virginia - said that he was a  
union man. Lieut Norman 8<sup>th</sup> Ind Infy  
and Mr Benedict took him (the Dr) to Genl  
Wallace's Room from the Bar Room about 12½  
O'clock on Tuesday night. I went down to  
the Provost-Marshal's office with them and  
saw Lieut Smith. The Dr said that he left  
the Rebel service in 1862, and that he came  
to Baltimore to procure a Photography instrument.

He appeared a little tight at the time

I sworn to, before me, this  
5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1864, at Balt Md

A J Ferris

Capt Co "46" 1<sup>st</sup> C S Ind Vol 2<sup>nd</sup> Reg

*O. Affidavit of*

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*Nannie O'Brammow*

*Residing*

*Near Duffield Station*

*Jefferson Co. Va., on*

*Ball & Ohio R-Roads*

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Nannie O'Brannon (Residing near Duffield Station on Balt & O.R. Road, Jefferson Co. Va.) being duly sworn, testified as follows, to wit: -  
I have lived <sup>near Duffield</sup> at Duffield, <sup>all my life</sup> left there on Saturday last and came to Baltimore - am stopping at Dr. Stevens', on Fayette Street, Corner of Poppleton - have been at that house all the time since I came - I have visited no one, except my Cousins at the Cutaw House, Mrs. Klien, and Dr. Klien - I called to see them on Friday evening, Nov 2<sup>d</sup>. I did not go to Washington with the Klien's - was not at Duffield Station where Mosely captured the train, a few weeks since, but was visiting my Cousin, Mrs. Klien, in Loudon County. I went to Loudon County about Sep 1<sup>st</sup> 64, and returned to Duffield Station, last Thursday (Nov 27). During my stay at Mrs. Klien's the Doctor, her son, was at home all the time, every day, and every night - don't think that he was away any night.

I have some relations who belong to Mosely's Command - my brother Geo. O'Brannon - James Wiltshire, and John Gibson my Cousins belong to Mosely's Command. I saw all of these persons during my stay in Loudon County.

I saw them at Mrs. Klien's house, at Church, & at singing school - saw my brother at Mr. Shander's one evening. I did not hear my brother, or Cousins, say anything about capturing and firing

the train on the Balt & Ohio R-Road, a few weeks since - heard them speak of Mossey that was captured on that train. My brother was not with the party who captured the train. I know that he was not, for I heard him state that he was not. I dont know where he was at that time - in his Camp I suppose.

I heard them say that Mossey did not take all of his Command. Mossey met at Bloomfield once while I was in London and he started at that time on a raid. Bloomfield is 3 or 4 miles from my Cousins, Mrs Klein's. I think that I have seen other of Mossey's Men beside my brother & Cousins, at Mrs Klein's house.

Mrs Klein is a woman of property, that is, her property consist of Money. she does not own any real estate. Dr Klein owns a farm - dont know how large a farm - dont know that Dr Klein has much ready money. I dont know that the Dr had any money when he came to this city. I never heard the Dr or his mother say why they came to Baltimore. I have no idea how much money Mrs Klein had when she came to this city. I dont know what she came to Baltimore for. She (Mrs K) went to Washington to see Mr Lincoln - saw Mr Lincoln and I believe he granted her request.

Dr Klein is a physician with

a large practice. The Country around is thickly settled and the people are wealthy & good pay. I came to Baltimore on a visit. I did not get a pass from any one - none being required. Mrs. Klein is a Union woman, and has been, all her life. Dr. Klein is a loyal man - He was once in the Rebel army but I dont know how long. He was a surgeon.

He (Dr. K) was captured once, dont know by whom - think it was by Gen. Banks. I dont know whether the Dr. was ever exchanged or not.

I never have taken the oath - was never asked to, and had rather not take it.

I am certain that Dr. Klein was at his home on the night of the Raid because I was at his house. I expected to return home with Mrs. Klein on next Thursday (the 12<sup>th</sup> inst.) Dr. Klein was home frequently when the young men would come to the house. - He did not associate with them when they did come. I never was in Baltimore before, and have no relatives here. I came to see my friends.

It is generally reported in Gordon County, that Dr. Klein is a Union man.

Sworn to before me, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1864, at Baltimore Md

O. H. Hermisee

Capt. Co "H" 1<sup>st</sup> C.S. Md. Vol. Infy

1. Mrs. Mary A. Klien, (residence near Snickersville Va) being duly sworn, testified as follows, to wit: -

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My son intended going to New York City and was to remain till about Christmas.

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Hee (the Dr) has been living at home since June 1862, and has not been absent but a day or two at a time since, and then only on professional business. His practice extends 5 or 6 miles around home. I dont know that he has ever attended any of Prosser's men. I was at Harpers Ferry when the Raid, on the Balt & Ohio R-Road, was made, about 3 weeks ago. I believe that my son, Dr Klien, was at home at that time.

I have some relatives in Prosser's Cavalry, James Wiltshire, John Gibson and Geo D Brammon (Private). They are the only ones that come to my house regularly.

Brammon came to see his sister, while she was staying at my house, on a visit.

I heard that there was about \$180,000<sup>00</sup> captured on the train. I know that the money is very plentiful in Loudon County. Everybody was talking about the raid. I asked young Wiltshire if they killed any person on the raid, and he said "No".

I have received \$175<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> for the purposes of getting things in Balt, when I came on this time. I got \$100<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> from John Gibson, and \$75<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> from James Wiltshire. My son (Dr Klien) gave me a bundle of money when we started from home, but I did not count it.

A part of the money was in postal currency I had \$2000 beside, the \$17500 that was given me by the young man. This \$2000 belonged to me. My son has 130 acres of land. He did not tell me what he got from Mosby's Men. He tells me very little, because I scold him if he does wrong. I expected to return home next Friday the 11<sup>th</sup> inst, but was arrested.

I had not purchased anything in the city. I took medicines to my son, on several occasions when I would come to Baltimore. I have been in Baltimore six (6) times since the war began. I came this time mostly on my son's account, and to buy a pair - also to see the Sec- of war, to get a permit to take a few goods to Loudon Co Va, and distribute them to the people. I wished to get some salt, as the time for killing pork is near at hand, and without salt it would spoil. I did not see the Secretary of War and did not get the permit.

It is customary for the Rebel soldiers to come to our house, and to all the dwellings in the neighborhood and compel us to feed them and their horses. Mosby's Men meet near Bloomfield. I see quite a number of them at different times, as they are continually scouring about the neighborhood.

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My son (Dr Kilien) never told me whether or not Mosely ever allowed him anything for the Coln and other articles that he pressed into the Rebel service. He does not tell me anything about his business. He does not talk much when at home.

Miss O'Brian has been staying at my house, since Sep 1<sup>st</sup> 1864. I don't know the amount of money taken from me, by Colonel Woolley, Pro-Marshal. The greater part of my son's money was used. I heard several of Mosely's men say, that they burned the train, and robbed the passengers of Watches &c. I took the oath of Allegiance to the U S Govt about Nov 1863 at the Proost-Marshal's office in this city.

I heard my son (Dr K) say, that he got some money from Mr. Arreck, of Mosely's Command, to buy articles for him, here in Baltimore - he also said that Arreck wished to lend him money - He (the Dr) gave me \$100<sup>00</sup> before I left home - he has to pay me \$300<sup>00</sup> a year, and the money being due, he paid me this \$100<sup>00</sup>.

Sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1864, at Balt<sup>o</sup> Md.

J. H. Garrison  
 Capt. G. H. 1<sup>st</sup> C. S. Indol. Infy

et: 1082. 13804

Cit. Dec 15. 1864.

Marion McCourtney  
Rebel. Co.

Order to Abeneas Gibson  
& others to bury the body  
of Marion Wilson at  
McCourtney's Mill, Pulaski Co.  
W. Va.

file

Rev. Dec 25/64.



this is to be carried  
to each man by  
Thomas Ashworth  
and seen that it is  
carried out and if  
he fails to comply  
he will have to leave  
or bear the consequence

Thomas Ashworth

This is to be carried  
by the  
from date

December 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

Whereas Gideon, Thomas  
John Lane, Glarander  
Mathis Gillbright Mathis  
Thomas Ashworth William  
Lanning Jesse Balenger  
Thomas Balenger  
John Salley Gillbright  
Motion is ordered to take  
up the body of Marion Wilson  
and have a good coffin  
made and carried to the  
grave yard at Mc Esterys  
and by J. M. Polack  
and if some  
of the above shall  
they shall stay in this  
County - By order of  
Marion Mc Esterys  
George Bonaford  
Benjamin Anthony

M G Power  
13895  
Enclosing Receipt  
for Powers  
y<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864

C. G. P.

Dist. of Rollo,

Rolla Mo Aug 9, 1863

In obedience to Special Order No 2  
under date of 5<sup>th</sup> Dec issued by Order  
of Major Newbery as Provost Marshal of  
said Dist, I did proceed to St Louis in  
charge of J. W. Jacobs and Ambrose  
Coffey & delivered them to the Provost  
Marshal Genl. Department of the  
Missouri, took receipt for said  
Prisoners & herewith submit the  
same -

Your Obedt Servt

W. G. Pommeroy

U.S. Policeman Dist of  
Rollo. Mo

J. Gray  
Capt Gray  
Provost Marshal  
Dist of Rollo

13806

A 4 O. A. P. M. 64

42 St Louis Mo Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 64

Bigelow Edward P  
Per Marshal

Returns evidence in case of  
the Crowders. Says it is too  
vague and indefinite bill  
endeavour to obtain positive ev-  
idence that they voluntarily  
engaged in confederate army  
& if so arrest them

~~Chas~~

~~Chas~~

44 P. M. Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 64

Head Quarters ~~First Sub~~ District, St. Louis District.

OFFICE ASSISTANT PROVOST MARSHAL.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 10th, 1864.

Sir,

I return herewith papers relating to the cases of J. H. Crowder, J. M. Crowder, and Augustus Crowder. The evidence is too vague and indefinite to prove the guilt of the parties. You will obtain, if possible evidence showing positively that they enlisted voluntarily in the Confederate army, and if such evidence can be obtained you will at once arrest the men referred to.

Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

Edward P. Bigelow.

1st Lieut U.S. Army, Prov. Marshal

To,

St. L. C. Williamson  
Asst. Prov. Marshal  
Franklin Mo.

A. 49 O. A. P. M. 13807  
Hd Qrs St Louis District  
Office Pm Marshal  
St Louis Mo Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 64

Pigelow E P  
Lieut & P M

Returns evidence in care of  
Payne Sappington et al  
with information that posi-  
tive evidence is needed to  
ensure confinement & trial

E. S.

O. A. P. M. Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 64

Office Apt. Pro. Marshal  
Franklin Mo. Decr 10th 84

Williamson S. C.  
St. V. A. P. M.

Forwards evidence in  
case of Thomas J. Payne  
and others supposed to have  
voluntarily joined the rebels  
under Price.

A.P.M. Decr 12th 1864

Hq. Quarters St. Louis Dist.  
Office Provost Marshal  
St. Louis Mo. Decr 12th 84

Respectfully returned to  
St. S. C. Williamson, with  
the information that evidence  
to warrant an arrest and  
incur commitment & trial  
must be of a positive  
character. The enclosed  
being simply circumstan-  
tial is of no avail.

Edward P. Bigelow St. V.  
Provost Marshal

Four (4) Enclosures



Office Assistant Provost Marshal  
Franklin Mrs Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

Sir:

I have the honor to forward statements in case

of  
1<sup>st</sup> Thomas J Payne, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> miles from Washing-

ton Mrs

2<sup>d</sup> Penona Sappington 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> miles from Washington

PO Mrs

3<sup>d</sup> Thomas J North 5 miles east of Washington

4<sup>th</sup> James R. Meader "

5<sup>th</sup> E L Kennon 5 miles from Augusta Station

I have waited hoping to obtain more positive evidence in this case, and will forward it as soon as I obtain it. I am informed that the persons above mentioned are at home with the exception of Thomas J. North

I forwarded evidence in case of the Crowders and was informed that they had reported in

St Louis. Shall I arrest the above  
mentioned parties or wait until further evidence  
is obtained

Very respectfully

Yours obt servt

A. C. Williamson

1<sup>st</sup> Lieut At Lt & Asst Palmer

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Permits granted  
Dec. 1864

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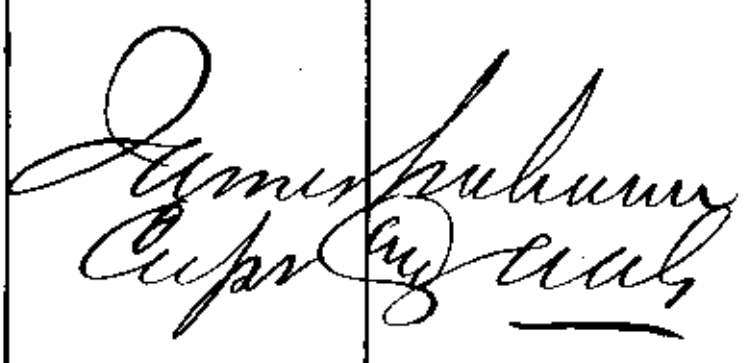
Head Quarters District West Ky.  
Paducah Ky Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Weekly Report

Permits Granted for the Week ending December 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Date	Name	Class	Am't	Permitted from	Permitted to
Dec 19 <sup>th</sup>	L. S. Soule & Co.	B. Sugar	\$800.00	Cincinnati O	Paducah Ky.
" "	Scott Laurie	Hardware	\$100.00	" " "	" "
" "	A. M. Biggs	Groceries	\$150.00	Evansville Ind.	" "
" "	Geo. Sampson	" "	\$593.95	Columbus Ky	Watson Ldg. Ind.
" "	Julius Smith	Potatoes	\$100.00	Elizabethtown Ill	Paducah Ky.
" "	Nathan Kahn	Dry Goods	\$3,000.00	Cincinnati, O.	" "
			\$4,743.95		
Dec 20 <sup>th</sup>	F. L. Leech	Dry Goods	\$1,500.00	Paducah Ky	Smithland, Ky.
" "	John Sharp	Goods not bond	\$1,500.00	Cairo Ills.	Columbus Ky.
" "	Veter Vandermill	Boots shoes	\$700.00	" "	" "
" "	S. H. Clark	Fancy Articles	\$600.00	Cincinnati, O.	Paducah Ky
" "	J. W. Haskell	Leaves & Tobacco	\$400.00	" " "	" "
" "	J. M. White	Tobacco & Books	\$100.00	Paducah Ky.	Rock Island Ills.
" "	Wahl & Lynde	Hardware & Furniture	\$1,000.00	Evansville Ia.	Paducah Ky.
" "	W. A. Bell	Whiskey	\$550.00	Louisville Ky.	" "
" "	S. H. Clark	Groceries	\$150.00	Cincinnati O	" "
			\$4,860.00		
Dec 21 <sup>st</sup>	Hardin Madden	Goods not contraband of war	\$150.00	Cairo, Ills	Columbus Ky.
" "	J. D. Landron	Drugs & Medicines	\$150.00	Louisville Ky	Paducah Ky
" "	Ashbrook Ryan & Co	Whiskey & Groceries	\$482.50	Cincinnati & Louisville Ky	" "

"	"	W. A. Bell	Whiskey	\$350.00	Louisville Ky.	"	"
"	"	S. H. Clark	Groceries	\$150.00	Cincinnati O	"	"
				\$4860.00			
Dec	21	Hardin Madden	Goods not contraband of War	\$150.00	Leavo. Ills	Levlumbus. Ky.	
"	"	J. D. Landron	Drugs + Medicines	\$1500.00	Louisville Ky	Paducah Ky	
"	"	Ashbrook Ryan Dles	Whiskey + Groceries	\$4882.50	Cincinnati, Louisville Ky	"	"
"	"	S. S. Wilson Dles	Wagon Works	\$250.00	Plantersville Leoru	"	"
"	"	McKee D Bro	Dry Goods	\$6000.00	Cincinnati O	"	"
"	"	Weldon Soule	Drugs + Medicines	\$6000.00	" " "	"	"
"	"	Thomas Boswell	Ammunitions	\$1.00	Paducah Ky	"	"
				\$18,783.50			
Dec	22	C. A. Ferrell	Goods	\$2800.00	Leavo. Ills. O.	Serrills Ldg. Ky	
				\$250.00			
Dec	23	D. Bodenheimer	Groceries	\$4000.00	Cincinnati O	Paducah Ky.	
"	"	W. B. Johnston Dles	Dry Goods	\$1006.77	Saint Louis Mo	"	"
"	"	C. B. McGrew	" "	\$328.00	Louisville, Ky.	"	"
"	"	L. S. Trumble Dles	Groceries	\$2283.35	Pittsburg, Pa.	"	"
"	"	J. S. Bolinger Dles	" "	\$2071.00	Cransville Ind	"	"
"	"	C. B. Hart	Hardware	\$500.00	Cincinnati O	"	"
"	"	W. S. Bearden Dles	Local Oil &c	\$178.00	Cransville Ind	"	"
"	"	George Haleon	Notions	\$500.00	Saint Louis Mo	"	"
				\$102,41.52			
Dec	24	B. F. Leamer	Horses	\$2000.00	Graves Co. Ky.	Barco Point Mo	

				\$15,782.50		
Dec	22	E. A. Terrell	Goods	\$250.00 \$250.00	Leavo Ill. Co.	Serrills Ldg Ky
Dec	23	J. Bodenkemper	Groceries	\$40.00	Cincinnati O	Paducah, Ky.
"	"	W. B. Johnston Dco	Dry Goods	\$1,006.75	Saint Louis Mo	" "
"	"	E. R. Mc Greer	" "	\$328.10	Louisville, Ky.	" "
"	"	J. S. Fournelle Dco.	Groceries	\$525.35	Pittsburg, Pa.	" "
"	"	J. S. Bolinger Dco	" "	\$2070.00	Evansville Ind	" "
"	"	E. R. Hart	Hardware	\$500.00	Cincinnati O	" "
"	"	W. S. Bearden Dco	Local Oil &c	\$178.00	Evansville Ind	" "
"	"	George Halevov	Notions	\$500.00	Saint Louis Mo	" "
				\$10,246.52		
Dec	24	B. F. Legner	Horses	\$200.00	Graves Co. Ky.	Bards Point Mo
"	"	J. S. Fisher	Whiskey & Brandy	\$1,000.00	Louisville Ky	Paducah, Ky.
"	"	Beadles & Bolinger	Dry Goods	\$2,375.82	Cincinnati, O	" "
"	"	Mc Livingston	Dry Goods Boots & Shoes	\$5,000.00	" " "	" "
"	"	W. A. Bell	Drugs & Medicines	\$2,000.00	Louisville, Ky.	" "
"	"	" " "	" "	\$50.00	Cincinnati, O	" "
"	"	" " "	" "	\$250.00	Evansville Ind	" "
"	"	" " "	" "	\$500.00	Mount Vernon Ind	" "
"	"	L. Petter	Furniture	\$350.00	Cincinnati O	" "
				\$11,275.82		
						

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Hd. Drs. Cash Commander  
13809  
Indianapolis Ind. 20<sup>th</sup> Dec, 64

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Warner A. J.  
Col. V. R. C. Comdr. Cash

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Reports the amt of money  
in his possession belonging  
to "Founty-jumpers," also  
\$300. turned over to him by  
Maids McGregor, and the  
money left by Ralph Boyer  
and Wm Chapman, who  
escaped from prison. 1860  
Dec. 1864,

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2 or more  
Citt

Recd H. A. 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 64

Headquarters Post Commander,

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

Capt. H. Kemp.

W. C. Gump

Captain:

I have the honor to submit herewith a report of money taken from "Bounty Jumpers" arrested and forwarded from this place. Also Three Hundred Dollars \$300. turned over to me by Mr. Moses M. Gray, and the money left by Ralph Berger, and Wm. Chapman, who escaped from prison Dec<sup>r</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> 1864.

There is still in my possession left by Ralph Berger One (1) Gold or galvanized match. The total amount herewith turned over is \$16.65) Sixteen Hundred, and Sixty Five Dollars.

I am Captain

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedient Servant

A. J. Wynn

Post. & Co.  
Comdg Post.



PR No 78810  
L 19 1148. H.S.

H. L. Dr. Past Council in  
Indianapolis Ind. 27 Dec. 64.

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Warner A. J. [unclear]  
Col. V. R. Co. County Past

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Recommends that  
Lewis Reeves be turned over  
to Commissioner Ray to  
be tried at some time  
with William Hughes  
before Judge M Donald.

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Head Quarters Rich. Ind.  
Indianapolis, 27th Dec. 64.

Respectfully referred to  
Capt. J. H. Taylor, Judge  
Advocate Genl. Court Martial,  
for information and papers  
in within case.

By command of  
13th Maj. Genl. Edwin P. Harvey  
J. W. [unclear]  
Maj. a. c. G.

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Headquarters Post Commander.

Indianapolis, Ind. December 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major J. H. Walker.  
Act Comd Dist of Ind  
Major.

I have the honor to recommend that Lewis Reeves be turned over to Commissioner Bay to be tried at the same time with William Hughes whose case will come up for trial immediately before Judge McDonald.

One reason for this recommendation is, that one of the principal witnesses against Reeves has lately died, and I doubt very much whether he can now be convicted at all.

Against Hughes, however, there is still sufficient evidence direct and positive, to convict him, and the closer the case of Reeves can be connected with Hughes I think, the better.

I am Major  
Very Respectfully,  
Your Obedt Servt.  
A. J. Warner  
Act Comd Post.  
Commanding Post.

13. 342. 1002  
Hd. Quarters 138th Regt  
Indianapolis Ind. 24<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864

Warner A. J.  
Col. V. R. Co. Conud'g Post

Asks what disposition  
be made with the "Bounty  
jumpers" and agents now  
in guard house.

Thinks John Couwell  
can be convicted by  
bringing Tubbs from  
New York for witness.

Head Quarters 138th Regt  
Indianapolis Ind. 25<sup>th</sup> Dec. 64

Respectfully returned  
to Col. A. J. Warner V. R. Co.  
Conud'g Post, Indianapolis  
Ind.

The within mentioned  
prisoners, "Bounty jumpers"  
and Agents, will be held  
until further instructions  
are received.

By Command of  
Bvt. Maj Gen. Abner P. Hewey  
J. M. Wessell  
Maj & A. G.

Headquarters Post Commander,

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major J. H. Walker,  
Adj. Genl

Major:

I have the honor to ask for information as to the disposition to be made of the "fugitive-brokers" and "Agents" now in the Guard house who have been returned from Nashville Tenn.

At this time, when the witnesses in the several cases, are many, or all of them gone, they could not be convicted in a civil Court of aiding desertion, except in the case of John Connell who I think could be convicted now by bringing Subbs here from New York although the men he brought here and helped away are gone.

Connell has been sick for some time past, and I have let him out to day, a few hours, on his parole with Worcester.

These men have already experienced considerable punishment, in undergoing the confinement they have here, and at Nashville.

I am Major Very Respectfully &c  
G. O. C. Comdg Post.

13812

See 6th Army Corps.

Baltimore, Md.

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W 406 O P M. G. 4. 1. 1864

Windsor Canada West

Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 1864.

St. Louis, Missouri.

States that she has fulfilled  
her promise, that those sisters of  
Mary Doyle have been carrying on  
a large contraband trade, meeting  
Mary Doyle near Memphis with  
every article she could sell, also  
that persons of St Louis claiming to be  
loyal, are engaged in doing a  
contraband business. Mentions the  
names of Mrs. Catell, Mrs. McClure, Mrs.  
Duffer as being implicated, that  
Genl. Heron is figuring largely,  
themselves to have held a conference  
with Jeff Davis &c. &c.

W 406 O P M. G. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Wilmington 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840

Wm. L. G. Smith

Sir

I have just this day  
perused your kind letter in re-  
spect to the late meeting of the  
Society. In consequence of my  
illness, I was unable to  
attend, but those sisters of Mary  
Loyle have been carrying on a large  
contraband trade meeting those  
sisters of Mary Loyle about five miles from  
Wilmington with every article she could  
sell at a large profit besides the mail  
she has made five successful trips since  
I was in prison, each time was visited  
by one of her sisters, during her stay  
in St. Louis all of the Germane frontiers  
went to Mrs. Corstons to hold council  
and to see whether some  
provision, she had the Carol & Mrs

and, there the lady she always makes  
with) is a relative of my father's with  
a residence just there beyond what I doubt  
there were reluctant to make since man  
never making sense you are now pleased  
than take them in their own traps and  
all such good Union people, but it is out of the  
for me to officiate under the circumstances  
northwest I can get my release.

That Stone is figuring largely under another  
name, he claims to hold a commission under  
Jeff. Davis, and is trying to get reconstituted  
to his old office, and accuses all those who  
swore against him, with perjury.

I am acquainted with all the particulars  
of his escape. I have a copy of his state-  
ment he sent to Washington.

Yours respectfully

M. Wood



Q/3 No 227 D/D  
13814  
Hed. Ins Post Comdr  
Indianapolis Ind. 19th Dec 64

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Wm A. J.  
Col. V. R. C. Caughey Post

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Reports the escape from  
Military prison on 18th  
Dec. 1864, of Wm Sherman  
Alias J. J. Cronbo. and Ralph  
Berger Alias C. C. Miller.  
and the particulars  
concerning their escape.

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Wm A. J.  
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Recd N.S. 19th Dec '64

Head Quarters Post Comd<sup>r</sup>  
Indianapolis Ind Dec 19/64.

Capt A. C. Kemper  
A. A. Gent

Captain:

I regret that I have to report  
the escape from the Military Prison between 12 and  
2 O'clock, A.M., Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 64, of William Chapman  
alias J. J. Cronk, and Ralph Berger, alias C. C.  
Whittemore.

They made their escape from the main Guard  
Room by entering the sink in one corner of the  
Prison, and cutting through the oak plank that  
formed the walls of the sink.

The aperture was cut several feet below the floor  
and within the sink cofferments. A tunnel was  
then dug to the outside of the fence enclosing the  
Prison, and camp, and thus eluded the vigilance  
of the Guard outside of the Prison.

What implements were obtained, is unknown.

These prisoners had been previously kept in a  
cell, but the small room being required for State  
Prisoners, it became necessary to remove them  
some time ago to the main apartment.

Sicut Stought who is in charge of the Prison  
and who is a thorough Officer, reports that <sup>over</sup>

the route was carried on secretly, that not even the other prisoners were aware of it and therefore made no effort to escape themselves.

Ralph Berger, left in my possession \$60 in gold, \$100 in currency, and a gold or galvanized watch;

William Chapman left about \$40, mostly in And I. Ky notes.

It will be understood that Chapman is the prisoner ordered to be sent to Camp Douglass Ill.

I am Captain  
Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt.  
A. J. Warner  
Roo. B. Co  
Candy Post.

213 2123  
Advancapdis Ind. 30<sup>th</sup> Dec 64

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Wentz W. W.

States that Mr Evans  
made affidavit to his  
charge against him  
(W. W. Wentz) enclosing  
the evidence of his guilt  
of perjury.  
For (2) Enclosures

2 - 2123  
Wentz

Rec'd N. S. 20<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864

Indianapolis Dec 20th 1864

Capt Kemper

Dear Sir

Mr Evans  
made affidavit to his charge against  
me I enclose to you the evidence of his  
guilt of Perjury

Respectfully yours

W. H. Winters

(Copy)

Deposition of William Francis  
and Robert Scott taken before  
me John Beran, Jr., a Notary  
Public in and for the County of  
Hamilton and State of Ohio, at  
No. 68 Third Street in Cincinnati,  
~~Ohio on the Eight day of December~~  
A. D. 1864. Said William Francis  
and Robert Scott were first  
by me duly sworn to testify  
to the truth, the whole truth  
and nothing but the truth as  
they should answer unto God.

William Francis

Question State your name, age, residence  
and occupation.

Answer William Francis, Twenty-three  
years of age, reside in Indianapo-  
lis, air baggage master on  
the Indianapolis and Cin-  
cinnati R. R.

Question State if you can, all you know  
in regard to charges made against  
W. W. Wentz, of Indianapolis by  
Col. Warner of using disrespectful  
language towards the Military  
authorities of the Department  
of Indianapolis.

Answer On last Monday the train  
bound for Cincinnati, from  
Indianapolis, there was a  
man, I do not know his name,  
at a place called Acton. I

was in the car at the time that he got into it. When the conductor required his ticket, which he would not produce, he said that he had transportation, but it was found by the conductor, Mr. Wentz, that his transportation was to Acton and no farther. Mr. Wentz asked him for his fare, which he said he would not pay; that he was under orders and must go. Mr. Wentz told him he could not take him unless he did pay. Mr. Wentz then pulled the bell and stopped the train. When the train stopped he concluded to pay which he did, and the train then started.

Question 3 Did you at this time, hear Mr. Wentz use any language toward Genl. Hargy or Col. Warner that was disrespectful?

Answer I did not hear either of their names mentioned.

Question 4 Were you in such a position that you could have heard him if he had used any?

Answer. Yes sir, was not more than six or eight feet from him.

Question 5 How long have you been acquainted with Mr. Wentz in business?

Answer One year the twelfth day of last March.

Question 6

Have you ever at any time since you have been acquainted with him heard him say anything disrespectful of any of the Military authorities?

Answer

No Sir.

New Francis.

Question 7

Robert Scott,

What is your name, age, residence and occupation?

Answer

My name is Robert Scott, am nineteen years of age, live in Columbus, am Porter on the Rail Road.

Question 8

Were you on Mr. Wentz train on the 5 Inst?

Answer

Yes sir, I was.

Question 9

Did we have any trouble with a man who got on at Acton?

Answer

We did, about the fare.

Question 10

In this trouble did you hear Mr. Wentz say anything disrespectful towards the Military authorities of Indianapolis?

Answer

No Sir.

Question 11


If any thing had been uttered disrespectful do you think you would have heard it?

Answer

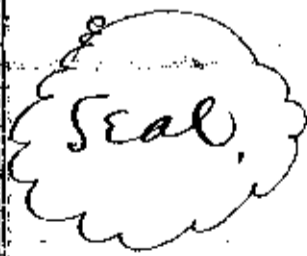
Yes sir, I would.

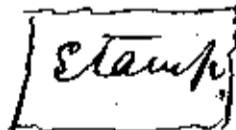
Robert Scott,



State of Ohio,  
Hamilton Co.  ff.

On the Eighth  
day of December A.D. 1864,  
I John Devan, Jr., a Notary  
Public in and for the  
County of Hamilton and  
State of Ohio, do hereby certify  
that William Francis and  
Robert Scott were by me first  
duly sworn to testify the truth,  
the whole truth and nothing  
but the truth, and that the  
deposition by them severally  
signed and subscribed as  
above set forth, was by me  
reduced to writing in the  
presence of the said witnesses  
and subscribed by said  
witnesses in my presence,  
that I am not Counsel, attor-  
ney or relation of either party  
or interested in the premise.

 Seal.

 Stamp.

John Devan, Jr.,  
Notary Public,  
Ham. Co. Ohio

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Copy of an affidavit of John C. Greenman  
Sworn to before James W. Sweetser a Notary Public  
within and for Marion County Indiana on the 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of December A.D. 1864

State of Indiana  
Marion County

Before me James A. Sweetser a Notary  
Public within and for the County of Marion State of Indiana  
personally appeared John B. Greenman who being duly sworn  
upon his oath says that he was present at a conversation  
between William W. Wentz and one Evans whose Christian  
name is to the affiant unknown, on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of December  
AD 1864 on the passenger train of the Indianapolis & Cincinnati  
Rail Road going eastward to Cincinnati, on which train  
the said Wentz was <sup>the</sup> Conductor. The affiant and the  
said Evans got on the train at Acton Indiana, and  
that affiant heard all the conversation that passed between  
said Evans and Wentz, and that the said Wentz did  
not during the said conversation use the following  
language as has been charged by said Evans to wit  
That Colonel Warner and General Hoovey did not run  
the Rail Road, and that too many arbitrary arrests  
were made by their order already, and that at no time  
during said conversation did said Wentz use any  
disrespectful language of or concerning Colonel Warner  
or General Hoovey

(Signed)

John B. Greenman

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of  
December AD 1864. Witness my hand and Notarial Seal

James A. Sweetser  
Notary Public

W. C. R. M. 369

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H. J. G. Cincinnati O.  
Cincinnati O. Dec. 29/1864

Millich W.  
Brig. Genl Comdg

States that the houses  
of Mrs Williamson &  
Beards were thoroughly  
searched but no commu-  
nications in relation to  
William's Prisoner. Nor  
no weapons.

2 or more  
lets.

Head-Quarters, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Cincinnati, Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Capt C. H. Potter A. S. G.

Northwestern Department -

Cincinnati Ohio

Captain -

I have the honor to report that the houses of Mrs Williamson and Beards were thoroughly searched and no communications relating to the prisoner Williams found, and no weapons, save an old musket -

I am - respectfully -

Your obt. servant -

J. Williams  
Brig Gen Comd'g -

G. A. P. 164. D. 50.

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Huntsville Mo.  
Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1862

Gen. S. C. A. J.

Transmit information in  
regard to Martin H. Isaac,  
William and George Johnson  
recently from Pickens army.

Yours  
S. C. A. J.

C. P. M. G. Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1862

Ad. Insp. Dept. of the Ar.  
Office Pro. Mar. Gen.  
St. Louis Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1862

Respectfully referred to Maj.  
General John Cook, Springfield  
Mo. for his information. -

Joseph Wamp  
Actg. Pro. Mar. Gen.

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U. S. Mil. Telegraph.

December 6. 1864

By Telegraph from: Pleasant Hill Mo

To: Genl. Dan.

Martin V. Johnson  
Dr. J. Johnson. William Johnson. and George Johnson  
from Price was in Uniontown a day or two since, they  
said they were going to Springfield Illinois, they have an-  
other brother in St. Louis John Johnson in the Tobacco business  
who was formerly of Bagwell and Johnson. at the Olive Str  
Hotel.

A. W. Penney.  
Sr. Col.

Official copy:

Actg. Ins. Genl. Genl.  
Dept. of the Mo.



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Post Pro War Office,  
Indianapolis Ind. Dec 31/64.

Widdellson, He  
Capt & Post Pro Marshal

Inwards "Oath of Allegiance"  
taken by Jacob Snyder of  
M<sup>rs</sup> Solon Spuntz of Augusta  
State of Va. and David Hunter  
of M<sup>rs</sup> Sidney: County of Augusta  
State of Va. respectively

Head Quarters Post Comd.  
Indianapolis Ind. Dec 31/64.

Respectfully forwarded to  
Major W. H. Harker, 4<sup>th</sup> Genl  
Regt of Ind

A. J. Munn  
Col. V. R. G.  
Comd. Post

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11 17

Post Office Marshal's Office  
Indianapolis Dec. 31. 1864

Genl Lord  
Post Adjutant

Enclosed please find copies of  
Orders of Allegiance this day administered to the following  
named men

Genl. Frymeyer      Major C. Val.  
David Hunter      "      "      "

Very Respectfully  
W. W. Wadsworth  
Capt. U. S. Post Office Marshal

I, David Hunter of Ward County County  
of Virginia State of Virginia do solemnly swear that I will  
support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States against all enemies  
whether domestic or foreign; that I will bear true faith, allegiance and loyalty to the same, any ordi-  
nance, resolution or law of any State Convention or Legislature to the contrary notwithstanding; and  
further, that I will well and faithfully perform all the duties which may be required of me by the laws  
of the United States. And I take this oath freely and voluntarily, without any mental reservation or  
evasion whatsoever, with a full and clear understanding that Death, or other punishment by the judg-  
ment of a Military Commission, will be the penalty for the violation of this, my solemn oath and parole  
of honor.

David Hunter



Certificate :

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this Thirtieth day  
of December 1864

H. P. Willcutt Capt 97th Regt  
~~Chief Dep. Mag. Dist. Indiana and Michigan.~~

Act. Post Dep. War Ind. Mich.

Witnesses :

Chas R Dwight P. O. Byron County Illinois  
Byron " Illinois

(IN TRIPLICATE.)

- One copy to be given to person taking the oath.
- One copy to be sent to the Headquarters of the Department.
- One copy to the Commanding Officer or Provost Marshal of the camp, garrison, town or county, where the oath was taken; and no oath to be administered except by order or with the knowledge of said Commanding Officer or Provost Marshal.

I, Jacob Frymeyer of Henric County  
of Augusta State of Virginia do solemnly swear that I will  
support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States against all enemies  
whether domestic or foreign; that I will bear true faith, allegiance and loyalty to the same, any ordi-  
nance, resolution or law of any State Convention or Legislature to the contrary notwithstanding; and  
further, that I will well and faithfully perform all the duties which may be required of me by the laws  
of the United States. And I take this oath freely and voluntarily, without any mental reservation or  
evasion whatsoever, with a full and clear understanding that Death, or other punishment by the judg-  
ment of a Military Commission, will be the penalty for the violation of this, my solemn oath and parole  
of honor.

Jacob Frymeyer



Certificate:

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this Twenty first day  
of December 1863.

H. W. Weidman Capt. 17<sup>th</sup> Me

~~Chief Pro. Mar. Dist. Indiana and Michigan.~~

Witnesses:

Robt D. Gresham  
Subcom. for

P. O. Byron County Illinois  
Chas R. Dwight

(IN TRIPLICATE.)

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where the oath was taken; and no oath to be administered except by order or with the knowledge of  
said Commanding Officer or Provost Marshal.

MS  
Rockville Indiana,  
December 7th. 1864,  
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Magill Saml. Ch. P.C.  
Keeney Mad. Ed. Republican  
State G. K. Aid to Gov.

Reports that a lodge  
of the "Sons of Liberty" was  
organized in Rockville  
Ind. and existed until  
the past summer. That the  
leaders of the concern were  
George W. Thompson and  
Mr Wm Bryant. Bryant  
intimates that if arrested  
he will turn state evidence  
against Thompson. Suggests  
arresting them both, and  
thinks it prudent to keep  
them separated. Thompson  
was on Mr Bowler Greekfire  
committee.

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Recd N. J. 12<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864.

Rockville, Ind. Dec. 7, 1864

Gen. A. P. Hovey,

Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir. A Lodge of the "Sons of Liberty" was organized in this place and kept in existence until some time during the past Summer. The leaders in the concern were George W. Thompson and Dr. Wm P. Bryant. Both of these persons visited the meetings of the Order at Indianapolis, and were in the plotted Revolution up to their eyes. Bryant & Thompson are brothers in law, and have recently fallen out, and the difficulty has assumed the shape of a family feud.

Thompson is the worse of the two, and is as great a traitor as ever went unhung. Bryant, we are informed apprehends an arrest, and has intimated that if arrested he will turn State's evidence against Thompson.

We suggest that both of them be arrested, but are of opinion that they should be kept entirely separate, and have no communication with each other. We believe this is essential in order to develop the whole truth.

These men know of all the concealed Treasures in this part of the State, and if we mistake not Thompson

was on Dr. Parole, Executive Com-  
mittee. We submit these suggestions  
for your consideration and hope  
you will take such action as may  
best subserve the public welfare and  
at the same time accomplish the ends  
of justice.

Very Respectfully,

San Diego, Cal. P.C.

Madison Keeney Ed. Republican

G. K. Steele Aid to Gov.

L 23 3197 L 24  
Leovington Kentucky  
18820  
December 4<sup>th</sup> 1864.

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Fisk John F.

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Introducing A. G. Stegley  
who is desirous of gaining  
information concerning  
the arrest of Samuel  
Reynolds at La Fayette  
Ind. Also states that he  
(John F. Fisk) is Council  
for the prisoner, desires  
time to prepare himself  
for the defense.

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W. H. S. W.

Recd H. S. 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864.



Indianapolis Ind

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respy referred to Col.  
Hovey Comd. Dist.

Ho. Sick the writer  
of the within is a gentleman  
of high standing and  
Character, is well known  
to me and <sup>is</sup> my friend,  
Please give him such  
right in the matter as  
is consistent with the  
interests of the Service.

H. S. Smith  
Judge Advt.

Cov 17 Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 1864  
Major H. L. Burnett

Dear Sir,

Allow me to  
introduce the bearer - Mr A. G. Kigley - of the  
city - son-in-law of Samuel Reynolds. lately  
arrested in Lafayette Louisiana. Mr Kigley is  
a truly loyal man and a reliable gentleman.  
I wish Mr Reynolds had been arrested he  
with Judge Phelps & from the facts. You will  
please give him such information as you have  
and you will much oblige him and myself.  
I am employed by the friends here & depend  
Mr Reynolds. I wish to know the charge -  
before what tribunal he will be tried or exam-  
ined - when & where so that I may prepare to  
attend. If you expect to require of Reynolds -  
merely the best and best - I need not come  
I have known Mr Reynolds well for nearly  
fifteen years - and feel positive that without  
doubt can follow an examination. His  
relations here are witnesses of his case - as

so many would be involved in any expense  
that might fall upon the head of the family.  
Please give me at such time in which  
to prepare as you reasonably can

Respectfully Yours  
John A. Hest

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Liberty Clay Co.  
Dec 17 8 1/2 1864

M

Adkins James G.  
E. P. Armstrong

(M)

Desire to be released  
from reporting weekly  
if practicable to be  
released from reporting  
altogether.

E. P. M. G. Doe 14 1/2 1864

Headquarters Department of the Mo.  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully

Referred to Capt  
W. B. Lumber, Asst Prov. Mar.  
Who will report the  
conduct of the petitioners  
since they have been  
paroled, and whether  
in his opinion the  
Petition should be  
granted, and to  
then forward the  
same with enclosed  
papers to this Office

*John A. [unclear]*

St. Louis, Mo.

Prov. Marshal General

P.O. No. 332. Dec 29/64

*Wm. [unclear]*

Enclosed with account

of [unclear] 29/64

Specimen

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John Brown's Journal

West Point Mass Office  
Liberty Bell Dec 20-64

Lt Col W Davis  
Acting Provost Gen  
St Louis Mo

I am just in receipt  
of letter signed by James G. Adkins and  
W P Armstrong of this place referred  
to me by you desiring a report from  
me in reference to their conduct since  
their release from prison. Their  
activities since that would commend  
themselves rather than otherwise as  
they have served in the Militia  
a considerable time to protect the  
town from Bushwhackers  
I have made inquiries of various  
men in this place in reference

To what they know of them  
since their release from prison  
and they all concur in  
the opinion that they have  
conducted themselves well  
and in consideration of the  
facts I would respectfully  
recommend that they be  
released from reprobation  
in future

I am Very  
Respectfully your  
Obedt Servant  
W. B. Linn  
Asst Provint Marshal



A 280 OP 7109 2/14

Liboury, Clay Co. Missouri,  
December 8<sup>th</sup> 1864. —

Col Joseph Darr, jr,  
Act. Pro: Mas: Gen. —

Dear Sir: —

We, the undersigned, report  
that we are both at the above named place, &  
both well.

We were released from Gratiot  
Street Prison, some time during last July,  
as the records of your office will show,  
with orders to report weekly by letter, which  
we have punctually done whenever the same  
has been practicable. It is very onerous, as  
we find it, to be compelled to report so  
often. Accordingly, we very respectfully  
request that in the future we be relieved  
altogether from reporting, if you have no  
adverse reasons, or that hereafter we be per-  
mitted to report once a month or once  
every two months instead of once a week  
as heretofore. That we are worthy of hav-  
ing this favor extended to us, we refer  
you to Capt W. A. Keyser, late of your office,  
and the following gentlemen of firms  
of St. Louis, viz, Matthew Moody, Esq, of the

firms of Moody, Michel & Co, — Cabot, Esq,  
of firms of Cabot & Bentinck, & Messrs Doniphon  
& Field, — who will all give you any  
information concerning as you may  
desire in the premises. —

Respectfully,

James G. Talling  
E. P. Armstrong

CP 294 CP No 5 1/2

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Chariton Co Mo  
Dec. 1864

Anonymous

Transmits list of men  
from Clark Township  
Chariton Co who have  
taken up arms against  
the Government.

A. B.

File

CP No 5 Dec 24 1864

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11  
Entered  
By

John

Assurance

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John

Provo Marshall St Louis Mo  
below you will find the names of men that  
have been in ~~teams~~ and in the bushes  
brushhacking this summer in this Township  
(Clark) Chariton County Missouri

Names of Brushhackers

William Sanders  
Orth Sanders  
Harland Vinsen  
Lewis White  
Joseph Adams  
Alexander Adams  
John Lowry  
George Booth  
Gyles Riser  
Menas Tipton  
Sydats Merlos

Names of Witnesses

John Sutton  
Margaret Bagwell, S. E. Low  
Margaret Bagwell, S. E. Low  
John Low Joshua & Joseph Rodgers  
John Sutton, Tennessee Cupp  
John Sutton, Tennessee Cupp  
Jane Stevenson  
Sarah Merlos  
Sarah Merlos  
every body names in  
James C Merlos  
Moses Gerrit

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P. O. No. 1000) B

Military Commission  
Washington D.C.  
Dec 14/1864

Genl. H. C. Lee

Wash. D.C.

Reports investigation made  
in this case held in  
quest, at a recent  
you names of persons released  
also names of persons held for  
trial and why they should  
be tried in circumstances

2 or more

bits

Military Commission

Indianapolis, Ind Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 64

Capt. C. H. Potter, A. A. C.

Cincinnati, O.

Captain;

I have the honor to report that on Friday last I proceeded to Chicago, Ill., and took with me my Phonographic Recorder M Pitman.

I made full investigation of all the cases held in arrest there, charged with the contemplated raid upon Camp Douglas, and also with the intention of burning the City of Chicago. After an examination of witnesses, and the taking of numerous depositions in the cases, I directed the release of

Abdiah Jackson

Barry Quiley

Chas. C. Strawn

John Mangham, and

Mr. C. Walsh

{ Son of Chas. Walsh

In the course of the investigation, I found that



two persons, of whose guilt there could be no doubt, had not been arrested; to wit,

Mrs. Morris and Major Willard

both of whom I directed to be arrested.

I have the honor to recommend that,

G. C. Cantrell

Patrick Dooley

E. M. Edwards

M. L. Felton

Chas. W. Patten

R. J. Semmes

Charles Walsh

G. St Ledger Greenfell

James Gray

Buckner Morris

Mrs. Morris

Vincent Marmaduke

Chas. Travers

Edu. C. Waller

be at once ordered to Cincinnati for trial

This is not only my own judgment, taking everything into consideration, but this course was strongly urged upon me by Col. Sweet, Col. Potter, the Depot L.M. at Chicago, Col. Jackson the President of the Board of Trade, and many others

with whom I consulted upon the subject.

I am perfectly satisfied that the interests of the Government will, in every respect be best subserved by trying these cases at Cincinnati.

I returned from Chicago this morning.

I have the honor to be

Very respectfully, Obedt.

W. L. Sumner  
Judge Advocate (D. O. & N. D.)

*Dec 1864*

VOUCHER No. 30

ABSTRACT OF DISBURSEMENTS

January 1865

\$ 125 <sup>65</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

S. D. Croftman & Co

D. C.

579 J. Colby, July 12. 65.

THE UNITED STATES,

To

*J. V. Crossman & Co*

Dr.

1864

DOLLARS. CTS.

Dec 24	1000	One Thousand Blank Rolls	58	50
" 1	200	Two Hundred Examination Blank	13	00
" 5	1000	One Thousand Envelopes	7	40
" 7	500	Five Hundred Order Bond	5	25
" 15	1000	One Thousand Blank Receipts	38	00
" 22	200	Two Hundred Blank Receipts	3	00

*Alth. S.*

*\$125.65*

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, that the above articles were purchased and services rendered on the requisition of the Commandant of *Alton Military Prison*, and that the expenditure was necessary for the public serv

*Saml. Avis*  
*Alth. S.*  
Capt *M. P. Greenridge*, C. S., and Treasurer of Military Prison Fund, will pay the above amount

*Alth. S.*  
*Alth. S.* Commanding Prison.

RECEIVED, at *Alton Illinois*, this *26* day of *January*, 1865  
from *Capt M. P. Greenridge*, C. S., and Treasurer of Military Prison Fund, *Twenty five dollars & fifty cents* in full of the above account.

*J. V. Crossman & Co.*

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~~by~~ ~~the~~

Office Provost Guard

St. Louis Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> 1864

Very Respectfully returned to Col. Batters  
Comdg Post. with the information that in  
my opinion the within Petition is a melior  
by some one made up against the Propri-  
ator of the Broadway Garden the majority of the  
signers lives from 3 to 6 squares away from  
the place and many of his neighbors says  
that the proprietors has been always a good  
neighbor to them. A horse was shot one square  
above the Garden the whole objects they  
have that he has music on Sundays. My  
Guard has been there every Sunday and  
they all say they never had a trouble  
whatever. I could not find the Original  
Petition some says he has got it the other  
says they've got it so, I think that several  
names in the within list were not signed  
so far as bad women concern there is  
prove that Mrs. Berry puts them out of  
his place if he notices them

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Felix Lacie Capt  
Comdg Provost Guard

H.

No 2<sup>nd</sup> Post St Louis  
Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> / 64

Respectfully report to  
Capt. Fair of the 1<sup>st</sup>  
Guard -

I was of the opinion  
that there was a guard  
sent to this place  
every Sunday night -  
if so, is it possible  
that such a condition  
of things, as is here repre-  
sented, can exist  
where you have a  
guard? -

Examine fully into  
this matter & report  
if this report is as  
is here represented  
& report

EB#482

J. W. Baker  
colony

St Louis Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> / 64

Col. Baker,

Candy Post at St Louis

Dear Sir:

We the undersigned, citizens of the 10<sup>th</sup> Ward beg leave to call your special attention, to the place known as the Broadway Garden, kept by Beery, situated on the N. E. corner of Broadway and Chambers Street, the place has become a public nuisance, and is very annoying to the whole neighborhood, especially on Sunday nights; Prostitutes of the lowest grade frequent the place, and we have good reasons to believe that intoxicating liquors are sold to soldiers at the place, if not, they come there drunk, firing their pistols off in all directions, to the great danger of passers by, and neighbors, last Sunday night a horse was shot, attached to a street car, by a drunken soldier, while shooting at a man running across the street, at the same time his comrades flarrished their pistols in a most dangerous manner.

We most respectfully would ask you to close the place, or put a stop to those disreputable dances.

Herrmann Suhermann. Francis Krause.

H. E. Hoken.

R. S. King.

Charles Druette.

Wm. Burton.

A. Heitzeberg.

J. V. Preed.

Friedrich Topel

Wm. Protzman

Wm. A. Rosenthal

Henry Meyer

H. Seikermann

Henry Sobels

Herrmann Schub

Richard Doat



Charles Drueme

A. Heitzberg

Wm. Burton

J. W. Reed

Friedrich Topel

Wm. A. Rosenthal

H. Seikermann

Herrmann Schuh

Jacob Alexander

Chas. Schellhammer

W. Heid

M. Tobesenn

Fritz Poyss

Friederich Caspar

Peter Siemers

Fred. Richmann

Wm. J. Robinson

Wm. T. French

B. P. Cohen

Chas. L. DeGorger

Dudolph W. Rammelkamp

John Colonius

Eus. P. Spannagel

Justus Teuteberg

C. W. Mathias

L. G. Koenig

Gas. M. Howard

Henry Sudholter

Gustavus Pons

Adam Berg (Allicman)

Joseph Oudorff

Wm. Protzman

Henry Meyer

Henry Seibels

Richard Vogt

Bernhard Sandzettel

S. H. Vornberg

W. Niehoff

Heinrich Schiereck

J. H. Vornberg

H. Scheuble

Ernst H. Docter

Henry A. Uhlinger

H. Knickmeyer

John H. Polgin

Henry A. Plueger

J. P. Meinholz

B. Morey

George Delleman

Andrew Frets

Chas. Beck

A. Becke

H. Plueger

G. Jacob Prebelmann

John H. Marquard

J. H. Evers

S. Salomon

C. F. Noeker

C. W. Mathias	A. Becke
L. G. Koenig	H. Pfluger
Chas. M. Howard	G. Jacob Rubelmann
Henry Sudholter	John H. Marguard
Gustavus Pons	H. H. Evers
Adam Bong (policeman)	S. Salomon
Joseph Orndorff	C. F. Noeker
Casper Thro	Henry Liesker (policeman)
Anthony Burbach	Sgt Adam Miller (police)
John Cook	F. Merkels
Joh. Hoberly	Henry Overstolz
Wm. Granger	G. A. Rubelmann
Amos Page	Joseph Hodgman
John O'Hare	Anton Lambrecht
Ginton Keating	H. James Cruise
W. H. Hale	John Hermann
Direct Sessinghaus	Steph. Busse
Friedrich Marx	Wm. Brass
John H. Conrades	Ch. Feibel
N. Gilch	Saml Meulard
Stephan Pfefferle	H. S. Parker & Co
Anton Puhrenholt	<small>By Jas. Parker</small> G. A. Muellershede
Ed White	Lewis Hudson
James Garrity	A. Weigle
Joseph Gallmann	Wm. S. Barker
Bony Moore	H. H. Eggers
S. W. Cooper	A. Hospes
Chas. H. Meyers	Barney Orrick
James M. McSuffin	Wm. Lamont
Theo. Koch	John Green
Peter Hehn	D. J. Brock
John Clarke	
Isaac Bussack	

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Head Qrs Post

Indianapolis Dec 28/64

A. J. Warner  
Col Comdr

Reports that the charges  
against Louis Rives  
are not in the possession  
of either the Judge Advt  
or Clerk of the Court.

Enclosed recommendation  
that Rives be turned over  
to Commissioner Ray to  
be tried at the same time  
with William Hughes  
before Judge McDonald.

(See Enclosure)

L. J. Warner  
Col

W. H. C. [unclear]

Recd Dec 30 1864  
Jas 29 29

W. L. R. No. 7. 1865

Head Quarters 1st Div of Ind.  
Indianapolis. 28. Dec. 1864

Respectfully referred  
to Maj. A. L. Burnett  
Judge Advocate North  
Dist. and Dept. of Ohio.  
for information and  
papers in within case.

By command of  
Gov. Maj. Gen. Alvin P. Hovey  
J. M. Mason  
Maj. Gen. A. G.

E. B. [Signature]

Judge Advocate  
Dept. of Ohio & Northern Dist.  
Cincinnati, O. Jan 3. 1865

Respectfully referred to  
Major J. H. Walker, A. A. S. Dist. Ind.  
No. Charges have been received at  
this office against Lewis Reeves. The  
recommendation of Gov. Hovey is approved.

J. W. [Signature]

Head Q. S. Dec. 1864

Head Quarters Dist of Ind  
Indiapolis Ind 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 1865

Respectfully returned  
to, Col A. J. Warner & Co  
Comd'g Post, Indiapolis  
Ind. who will turn  
over the within named  
Lewis Reeves to W. S.  
Commissioner Kay or -  
Kembell

By Command of  
Brig Maj Gen Shinn, P. Coy  
J. M. Walker  
Major Am. Art'y

Chas.

Recd back 2-4 5<sup>th</sup> Juny, 1865

Headquarters Post Commander,

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major J. H. Walker  
Adj. Hdqrs Dist. Indiana.

Major, I have the honor to re-  
port that the "Charges and Specifications" against  
Lewis Reeves, are not in the possession, either  
of the Judge Advocate or President of the  
Court.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servant  
A. J. Warner  
Col. & C. Comdg Post.

49 13827  
Semi-Monthly Report

of Citizen Prisoners

Received at Fort Smith

acted by E. A. Walker Maj.

3<sup>rd</sup> Wis. Cav. Col. Dist Provost

Marshal from Dec. 15th to

Dec. 31st 1864

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ROLL OF PRISONERS RECEIVED AT Fort Smith Ark By E. A. Balkus Maj: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wis. Cav. Vol. Dist Provost Marshal

NO.	NAMES.	RANK.	REGIMENT.	CO.	WHEN CAPTURED.	WHERE CAPTURED.	MONTH.	DATE.	REMARKS.
1	Barton William R	Citizen			December 18th 1863	Franklin County Ark			Harboring Bushwhackers
2	Quinn James H	"			" 24th "	Fort Smith "			Plundering & Highway robbery.
3	Wale Richard	"			" 28 "	Polk County "			"Bushwhacker"
4	Hayden William D.	"			" 26 "	Searcy " "			"
5	Morton Pleasant	"			" 20 "	Polk " "			"
6	Hodges G. H.	"			" 26 "	Searcy " "			"
7	Wofford G. H.	"			" 28 "	Polk " "			"
8	May James	"			" 30 "	Searcy " "			"
9	Hill Thomas	"			" 28 "	Polk " "			"
10	O'Bas Henry	"			" 18 "	Franklin " "			Harboring Bushwhackers
11	Thurston Benjamin	"			" 24 "	Sebastian " "			"Bushwhacker"
12	Hard W. M.	"			" 28 "	Polk " "			"
13	Garbrough Charles	"			" 30 "	Johnson " "			"



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Brocklin Mo Dec 26/64

Petitions of

Brown & H. Co. et al

Stating that their lives  
and property are in im-  
minent danger, and  
that they are desirous of  
forming themselves into  
a company under Order of  
or in a manner to be determi-  
ned by the Comd. Genl.

One Citizens  
of Brocklin and vicinity

John J. [unclear]  
Galle

avows that a new  
militia law will soon  
be in force, calling out  
every able-bodied man  
for duty against out-laws.

J. J.

Rockwell Mo Dec 29/64

C. C. S.

London  
J

Bucklin Dec 26<sup>th</sup> AD. 1864

Brig Gen L. B. Lusk

We the undersigned  
Citizens of Bucklin & vicinity having been  
warned by authority that we cannot  
doubt that our lives & property are in  
imminent danger we therefore respectfully  
petition you as our Gen Commanding to  
allow us the privilege of organizing for  
home protection under order No 107 or under  
any system of organization that you may  
deem most prudent for the good of the  
Country generally - Hoping you will grant  
us this our petition we ever pray

J. H. Bowers

Gilbert Herrick

John W. Hardy

J. M. P. White

John Bidson

~~John Bidson~~

Hyrum Wynd

G. G. Mose

Elyah Mallow

J. J. Clinger

John W. Wyatt

W. B. Pierce

Ernestus Lockwood

Gabriel Lorch

Patrick Leary

John P. Smith

William J. Poind

J. M. Shuman

W. J. Stevenson

J. A. Koach

J. V. Bailey

W. H. Bailey

Ernestus Lockwood

Ernestus

John W. Wyatt

J. H. Compton

Springfield No. Dec. 3. 1846

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Members of the Orphans  
Home Association

Call Attention that  
the House occupied by  
a Mrs. Farmer at this  
place be procured for  
the Orphans and Refugees  
now suffering at this  
place  
File

2  
L. Wright

Received of the Orphans Home Association

Office of the Orphan's Home  
Association. Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864.  
Springfield. Mo.

Capt Kirtzide - A. A. G.

Sir -

The Ladies of this Association respectfully call your attention to the fact that the building now occupied by Mrs Tanner and owned by Mr Robt Abernethy (supposed to be a rebel now in Texas) is being occupied without the occupants paying rent.

This Association has made repeated efforts to procure a suitable building for a shelter for the suffering orphan children of this District - but have been unsuccessful.

We respectfully request you to procure for us this building -

for the purpose of housing these  
unfortunates.

An immediate concurrence  
in this matter will greatly oblige  
the Association besides relieving  
suffering humanity.  
Respectfully.

Mrs Fannie Elliott Vernon. Pres.

Miss Margaret E. Turner, Sec. Sec.

Mrs Mary Phelps

Mrs Julia French

Mrs Mary G. G.

Sarah Wadhill

Elizabeth J. Keet

Fannie M. Gates.

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Dec. 6-64

Cutz

# First National Bank

Memphis, Tenn. 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864

Cap<sup>t</sup>

Below you will find  
a list of all firms re doing  
a banking & brokerage business  
in this city -

- ✓ Jackson Ins<sup>ce</sup> Co (J. B. Kirkland Pres<sup>t</sup>)
- ✓ Commercial Bk (J. W. Page Jr Pres<sup>t</sup>)
- Gayoso Saving Ins<sup>ce</sup> Co (C. M. Drury Cash<sup>r</sup>)
- Older, Farnsworth & Co
- ✓ Colling, Green & Co
- ✓ J. D. McClure & Co
- Mitchell & Co (Grant St No 268)

✓ ~~City~~ First National Bk of Memphis

Cap<sup>t</sup> d. G. Brooker  
A. A. G.

Dir. R. A. G.

J. S. Davis Pres<sup>t</sup>

P.S. <sup>note</sup>

I forgot to mention Hoffman Bk  
which also does some business



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Wagon Mts.  
Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

North Missouri, Dist. of,  
Maj R. A. LeBolt.  
D. P. M.

Transmits herewith a  
communication from  
R. C. Wild a prisoner  
at Gratiot St. Prison,  
concerning his property.  
Encloses <sup>copy of</sup> receipt received  
from St. Shain for  
the within named property.

File

C. P. M. G. Geo 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

Headquarters, District of North Missouri,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

<sup>Macou</sup>  
~~St. Joseph~~ Mo., Dec 16 1864

Col

I have the honor to transmit herewith a communication from R. B. Miller a prisoner now confined in Gratiot Street prison. Concerning his property, which he requests to be sent to him. I forwarded by Lieut Shain all property that came into my hands belonging to said Miller, as will be shown by the enclosed receipt of Lieut Shain.

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Your obt Servt

R. A. DeBolt

Major D.P.M.

To

Col Joseph Dana jr

A.P.M. Genl

St Louis Mo

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C. B. property  
file

file

Headquarters, District of North Missouri,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

Macou  
St. Joseph, Mo., Nov 29. 1864

Received of R. A. DeBolt Lieut. P.M. the following  
property of prisoners, to wit,  
One money purse and four <sup>and</sup> <sup>10</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars, the  
property of William Dyer, one dollar of which is silver,  
also nineteen <sup>and</sup> <sup>10</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars, and pocket book the  
property of R. C. Wild,  
one pair drawers, property of John Stoughton,  
two shirts, property of William Dyer,  
(Signed) E. C. Shain  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Co. N. 42. Regt Mo. Vols

I certify that the above is a true copy of Receipt given by  
Lieut Shain, for property belonging to prisoners, delivered to him  
to<sup>be</sup> delivered to the Provost Marshal Dept of the Mo at St Louis,

R. A. DeBolt  
Maj and P.M.

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Miscellaneous

Supervising Special Agency  
Boarding Department  
New Orleans, Dec. 29, 1864

Miss Otho

Cts

acty. Loc. Spl. Act.

~~Miss Nancy~~

Presents claims for rent  
of Houses 150 + 161 Canal  
I do let go with statement  
in the case --

Citizen

2 or more.

Superbising Special Agent Treasury Department, Fifth Agency,  
PROPERTY DIVISION—SECOND SECTION.

New Orleans, December 22<sup>d</sup> 1864.

Sir:

The houses N<sup>o</sup> 159 & 161 Carondelet street were turned over to the Treasury Department on the first of August 1865, and Mrs Henry has occupied N<sup>o</sup> 161 since that time pretending to pay rent to John Burnside, but is supposed to cover up the property, she being the house-keeper of the former owner.

The present tenant of N<sup>o</sup> 159 Carondelet st, Mrs Donaud is living there only about one month, the former occupant removing on the 9<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>.

The rent for each house would be not too high at \$35.<sup>00</sup> per month & Mrs Henry would be indebted to this Department to the amount of \$595.<sup>00</sup> up to January 1<sup>st</sup> /65.

I have the honor to remain

Very Respectfully

Atto Meins

Act. Loc. Spl. Agt.

To Capt R. F. Bredan

Provost Marshal

Branch of Orleans

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(57)

St Paul Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Grace Bishop Thomas L

Bp of St Paul

Acknowledges the receipt  
of General Sibley's letter of the 21<sup>st</sup>  
inst informing him of the appropriation  
of \$500. = made by the War Department  
in favor of Father Andee & Germain  
of his Diocese

Citizens

2 or more

Received by the Bishop of St Paul  
Francis 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

St Paul, Dec 23<sup>o</sup> 1843

General,

I have great pleasure  
in acknowledging the receipt  
of your esteemed favor of the 21<sup>st</sup>  
Inst; in which you kindly inform  
me of an appropriation of \$500-  
made by the War Department  
at your instance in favor of  
Reverend Father Audet & Germain  
of my Diocese.

Thanking you for this  
generous consideration & services  
to which a sense of duty and  
humanity alone prompt these  
worthy clergymen,

I have the honor to be  
with highest regards

Yours Most Humbly  
& Obediently  
Thomas L. Grace  
Bp. of St Paul

H. H. Sibley  
Brig. Gen. Com.



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Louisville, Ky.

Dec. 5, 1864

Jones, Capt. Stephen E.,  
Mud. A. B. C.

Suggests that the within named  
prisoners, at present confined  
at Exchange Sts., be trans-  
ferred to Mil. Prison.

(J = 26 = M. C. S. = 1864.)  
Maj. Gen. Mil. Commander,  
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 5, 1864.

Respectfully referred to Maj. W.  
Pleasance, Prov. Mar., who will cause  
these men to be sent to the Mil.  
Prison for confinement.

By order of  
Lt. Col. Tho. B. Paulding,  
26<sup>th</sup> Ky. Inf. Vol., Comdg.

Charles A. Lee  
Lieut. 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt. Art.

cits

Louisville Kentucky.

Dec. 5. 1864.

Lieut. Col. T. B. Fairlie  
Comdy. Post.

With a view to facilitating and expediting the disposition of their cases, I have the honor to recommend that the following prisoners at present confined in Exchange Barracks, be transferred to the Mil. Pris. - to be held of course subject to your orders viz

John A. Aldridge, Harrison Barton, Jacob Baker  
Logan Brown, F. Boyd, C. M. Chapell, Chas. Drayton S. Davis,  
D. S. Fields, Geo. Gallagher, W. C. Gallagher, S. H. Gordon,  
John Graham, E. Hobbs, Henry Hulsey, M. Hulsey, Joseph  
Hedges, J. H. Jefferson, John Cuskins and Saml. Lewellyn.

Very Respectfully

G. W. Dyer

Stephen James  
Capt. Ad. A. C.

C. M. Chapin Waiting to Execute Bond  
Geo. Gunder Released  
W. C. Gardner "  
S. H. Goodwin "  
John Graham Waiting to Execute Bond  
Joseph Hedges to be tried by Military Commission

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Headquarters Department of Washington,

Washington, D. C. Dec 30 1864

Pass M. W. Brewster and  
Jacob South to Print Station  
also John Quamby

Reason:

This Pass will expire Dec 30 1864

By command of MAJOR GENERAL AUGER

*[Handwritten signature]*



SEP Passes to be examined by Agents for counterfeit goods.  
NOTE.—This Pass will be issued up by the General, at his expiration, and returned to Headquarters.

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Headquarters Department of Washington,

Washington, D. C. Dec 30 1864

Pass

W. W. Brewster and  
Jacob Scott to Point Lookout  
also John Swanning

Reason:

Business

This Pass will expire Dec 30 1864

By command of MAJOR GENERAL AUGUR

*[Signature]*  
Capt. [Name]



1. To be examined by Pickets for contraband goods.  
2. This Pass will be taken up by the Guard, at its expiration, and returned to Headquarters.

*Business of the*  
**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.**

In availing myself of the benefits of this Pass, I do solemnly affirm that I will support, protect, and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States against all enemies, whether domestic or foreign; that I 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; that I will not give aid, comfort, or information to its enemies; and further, that I do this with a full determination, pledge, and purpose, without any mental reservation or evasion whatsoever: So help me God.

*City of New York*  
*2nd Ward*

*Edward V. Smith*

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Provost. Mar. Office,  
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Pleener, Maj. H., P. Mar.

Transmit list of names of  
prisoners forwarded her by  
Maj Genl. Steadman's order  
with no special charges ag-  
ainst them. States that they  
were offered the chance to take  
the oath and parole of honor to go  
north of the Ohio river, but they  
preferred to remain in prison.  
Suggests that they be sent to  
the fortifications.

M. O. M. Comdr.  
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 64  
(P. 49. M. O. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864)

Respectfully returned and ap-  
proved.

By order of J. P. Fairlight  
Lt. Col. 26<sup>th</sup> Reg. Inf. M. O. Comdr.  
Charles A. ...  
Lieut. 2<sup>nd</sup> M. O.

Provost Marshal's Office,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864.

Sir I have the honor to transmit to you the following named prisoners who were sent here by Major Guy Steadman's Order with no specific charges against them, they were offered the chance of taking the Oath and giving parole of Honor to go North of the Ohio River, but preferred to remain in prison rather than take the Oath, I would respectfully recommend that they be sent to the

Fortifications

- |                 |           |         |
|-----------------|-----------|---------|
| St. J. Brown    | Cleveland | Ohio    |
| James Sheffield | Georgia   |         |
| Benj. Durrant   | do        |         |
| Jefferson Regan | Murray    | Georgia |
| John Jones      | Bridgport | Ala     |
| James Jones     | do        | do      |
| John Jones      | do        | do      |
| W. L. Jones     | Dade      | Georgia |

Very Respectfully  
H. Peper  
Maj. E. Powell Marshal

St Col. Tho. B. Fairleigh  
Mils Board  
Louisville Ky



Parasacks - No. 1

Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

Waggoner, Alex

May 27<sup>th</sup> "The" Comdg.

M. III - M. D. R. - 1864

Statement relative to situation of number of prisoners sent to Fort, by order Genl. Sherman, who are in a destitute condition and asks that steps be taken for their relief

M. 171. M. 171. 1864

Office Provost Marshal Genl  
Mil. Div. Miss.  
Nashville Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully forwarded to  
Brig. Genl. J. D. Webster, Chief  
of Staff.

E. A. Stockdale  
Capt. & Asst. Prov. Mar. Genl

M. 171. M. 171.  
Nashville, 9 Nov. 1864

Respectfully referred  
to Prov. Marshal Benjamin  
Carrington, Kentucky  
with full power to  
act after Council in  
negotiation.

W. T. Sherringer  
Prov. Marshal

B. D. Webster  
Brig. Genl  
(in absence of Webster)

Nov. 11. 1864

Hd Qrs. Mil. Dist. of Kentucky

~~28~~ ~~16~~  
Respectfully referred thro' Hd Qrs.  
2nd Div. to Lt. Col. J. A. Fairleigh  
Comdg Post, Louisville, with author-  
ity to release and send north of the  
Ohio River, upon their taking the  
Oath of Allegiance and giving  
parole not to return during the  
War, such of the within named  
persons as he may deem worthy  
of such treatment. Col. Fairleigh  
will forward to these Hd Qrs.  
a full and complete list of the  
cases thus disposed of.

By order of  
Col. Genl. Burbridge  
Walter D. Smith  
Capt. A. G.

Hd Qrs 2<sup>d</sup> Div Mil Dept  
Louisville Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

52-M-205-77278 1864

Respectfully returned and  
attention invited to in-  
document from M. S. K.

By Command of  
Philip H. Thomas  
J. A. Fairleigh  
Lt. Col.



Recd Nov 22 1864

Hd Qrs Mil Commander

Louisville Ky Nov 19/64

No. 77 (M. & L.) = 1864

Respectfully referred  
to Maj Henry Cleburne  
Cross Marchal, for compli-  
ance with orders from  
Hd Qrs Mil Dist of Ky.

A full and separate  
report of action taken will  
be returned with this paper  
to these Hd Qrs as soon as  
practicable

By order of

Col Geo B. F. Gourley,

26th Ky Vct Vols Comdr

Charles A. Lane

Secy Qrs P.A.

Barracks Fort

Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

St Col J B Fairbairn  
Wm Comst.

Louisville Ky  
Col.

I have the honor  
to report that I in one of the prisons connected  
with the Barracks fifty five (55) practical  
prisoners. The largest number of these men were  
put here under Gen Sherman's letter of instruction  
and most of these men are in a very destitute  
condition needing clothing of all kind, some of  
them not having had a change for several weeks  
I think humanity demands that some steps should  
be taken to furnish them with the necessary  
clothing.

Your obedt Servt  
Wm Magruder  
Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

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Mad. L. L. L. L. L.  
13837 Decem. 31 1864

Approved

Thos. W. May Jr  
Brig. Gen. U.S.A.  
Com. Dist.

Ad. 25. 200. 200.  
Office Pro. Mar  
Dec 31 1864

Respectfully forwarded.

Registered this day

E. M. Osborn

~~Photographer~~ Photographer

200 in val.

Mathew Black

Capt. & Pro. Marshal

Citizens

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2<sup>nd</sup> Corps  
E. M. Osborne  
Photographer

Patrick's Station, Va.

General

Decbr. 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

I have the honor to request that the following named men (Citizens) be registered as my assistants. Viz: Isaiah Myers and Francis Williams.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

E. M. Osborn

Photographer 20 W. 20th

Gen. M. R. Patrick

Pro. Mar. Gen.

Army operating against Richmond.



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Hed Cas 3<sup>rd</sup> Div. 16<sup>th</sup> A.C.  
Nashville Tenn. Dec 7/64

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Civil

Moore David

S.O. No. 24. Col. Cemetery

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List of loyal Citizens who  
have filed their claims  
against this command,  
for the destruction of private  
property while on the march  
from Harrisonville to St,  
Louis

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Rec<sup>d</sup> H. Cas 3<sup>rd</sup> Div. 16<sup>th</sup> A.C. of the Genl.  
Nashville Tenn Dec 7 1864

Head Quarters 3<sup>d</sup> Division 10<sup>th</sup> A.C.  
Asheville Tenn Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

General Orders  
No 24 }

The troops of this Command having during the late expedition through the state of Missouri en route from Harrisonville to Saint Louis committed depredations in the destruction and taking of private property, and the following named loyal citizens of the state having filed their claims against this command, viz.

Mrs S. S. Turner	\$ 2370.00
Mrs J. E. Austin	" 1359.00
Peter M. Koffet	" 184.00
C. C. Mc Lure	" 58.65
Mrs M. Ford	" 690.00
A. Belbridge	" 150.00
A. Bente	" 75.00
M. Price	" 150.00
R. Bailey	" 22.00
Jos Moore	" 50.00
Jas Moore	" 25.00

The above amounts are allowed and the command is hereby assessed the sum of \$5144.00 five thousand one hundred & forty four dollars. in the following quotas.

To each Commissioned Officer one dollar

To each Enlisted man - one dollar

The stoppage will be made under direction of Brigade & Regimental Commanders from the first payment made to the several Regiments<sup>and</sup> Batteries of this Division and the money turned over to the Provost Marshal of the 3<sup>d</sup> Division I.S.A.C. who is hereby charged with the safe delivery of the money to the parties above named taking their receipts for same

This assessment is intended only to effect such Officers<sup>and</sup> men as were serving at the date the depredations were committed, said date being on or about the 31<sup>st</sup> day of Oct-1864

By order of Col. D. Moore

James B. Cornstock

A. A. A. S.

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Prison Marshals Office  
Louisville Ky Dec 2<sup>d</sup> 1864

Special Orders  
No 37

Extract

The following named prisoners are  
released from arrest upon Subscribing  
to Oath of Allegiance to the U. S.  
Government

Thomas Dowers Crittenden Co Ky  
Thomas Lynch Webster " "

By Command of  
Lt Col H. B. Fairleigh  
26<sup>th</sup> Reg V. I. Milit Comdr

H. P. P. P.  
Maj<sup>Gen</sup> Geo. M. M.

John 3890 Skinner  
Michael Loring

Richard

City

1020s Mitti Gordon  
Prov War Office  
Louisville Ky Dec 28<sup>th</sup>

Respectfully returned  
to Capt J. L. Lewis, Prov War  
Dir with the information  
that there are no changes  
on file in this office again  
the within named men  
we have is known of them  
is that they are up sent  
from B Co as held by  
order of Brig Gen Ewing

W. O. Peasner

Major Prov War

He has 2 Co's B Co &  
Louisville Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1866

Respectfully returned  
to Major Peasner  
Prov War Office  
who will advise  
the soldiers on the  
ground and  
then there over

St. Richford 6<sup>th</sup>  
Mich Co. 1

By order of  
Brig Gen Ewing  
C. J. Peasner  
A. G.

H<sup>Q</sup> Dist 2nd Div Mil Dist of Ky  
Louisville Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major

For what, where, and by whom, were John  
A Skinner and Michael Carey arrested. By whose  
order are they confined.

Yours Respectfully

Jas. S. Grier

Capt & C & P in Dir

Major Henry Pleasner

Pro Musshel

Louisville Ky



Post Marshal Office  
1384  
New York Dec 8 1864

Stephen Henny  
Major and Post Mar.

Report to the closing of the  
Dan institutions and  
Seizure of apparatus.  
Also arrested J. L. Vaughn  
Dealer, M. Riddleberger and  
A. M. Haddie, Bankers  
Who are now at No 101  
has ordered the arrest of  
Blakley another of the Party  
respectfully recommends  
that the furniture be  
moved to some convenient  
place and stored until  
the case can be decided.  
There was only a few persons  
present at the time of the  
arrest and only \$94.00 found  
on the Dabbs, respectfully  
requests instructions in  
the case

C. C. C.

S. d. Lrs. Mil. Commander,  
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 8, 1864

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Respectfully returned to  
Maj Henry Resner, Pro. Mar.,  
who will remove all the appa-  
ratus to his office, retain the  
money and hold the persons  
until further orders.

By order of  
Lt. Col. Tho. G. Fairlight,  
25<sup>th</sup> Ky. Vol. Co., Comd'g  
Chas. A. Gould  
Capt. & ad. G.

Deputy Marshal's Office  
Louisville Ky Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1841

Sir

I have the honor to report the closing of Mrs. Davis' institution <sup>and</sup> the seizure of the apparatus which is now in my Office. Also arrested John L. Vaughn, Dealer <sup>and</sup> J. M. Risselberger and A. M. Waddell Bankers who are now at Barren's No. 1.

I have ordered the arrest of Blatter <sup>and</sup> other of the parties connected in the institutions.

I placed a guard over the Furniture <sup>and</sup> other property left of which there is a large amount as it takes quite a number to guard the property I would respectfully recommend that it be moved to some convenient place <sup>to</sup> store until the case can be decided.

There was but few persons present at

The time of the answer <sup>was</sup> only \$97.15  
found upon the "Tables".

I would very respectfully request  
instructions in the case.

I am Very Respectfully  
Yours  
Henry Plepner  
W. J. P. Marshall

So Col. J. B. Dandridge  
26<sup>th</sup> Reg. U. S. Milit. Corps

13842 *Pa. 1864*

*Pa.*

Prisoners Office  
Louisville Ky Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Special Orders  
No 37

"Extract"

The following named prisoners are released from arrest upon Subscribing to the Oath of Ammesty to the U.S. Government and giving their parole of honor to remain North of the Ohio River during the War

John Smith Nelson Co Ky  
John Glendon Hampton " Ohio  
Robert Bruno Webster " Ky

By Command of Thos B Fairbough  
Sgtal 26<sup>th</sup> Ky. VV Inf Comd

M. DePover  
Maj and Co. Mar

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Paducah, Ky. Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864.

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Chapman, C. S. Capt. <sup>Proc</sup>  
Proc. War. D. U. H.

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Transmits weekly reports of  
permits granted at Head  
Quarters D. U. H.

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Recd. U. S. A. 10 Dec 11 1864

Office of District Probost Marshal,

Paducah, Ky. December 11 1864.

J. Bates Dixon  
Capt<sup>and</sup> Aft. Adjt. Genl.  
Lexington Ky  
Sir

I have the honor to transmit you  
herewith enclosed a Weekly Report of  
permits granted at Head Quarters Dist.  
West. Ky. and forwarded to me for my  
Signature

I am Capt

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt  
E. L. Chapman.  
Capt<sup>and</sup> Pro. Marshal  
Dist. West. Ky.



# Head-Quarters District of Western Kentucky,

Paducah, Ky. December 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

## Report of Permits Granted

Date	No of Permits	Daily Amt	Weekly Amt	Total Amt
Dec. 4 <sup>th</sup> 1864	9) Nine	\$ 41. 015		
" 5 <sup>th</sup> "	12) Twelve	\$ 11. 312.		
" 6 <sup>th</sup> "	(23) Twenty Three	\$ 40. 381. 13		
" 7 <sup>th</sup> "	(8) Eight	\$ 18. 436. 79		
" 8 <sup>th</sup> "	(7) Seven	\$ 2. 301. 30		
" 9 <sup>th</sup> "	(8) Eight	\$ 13. 475.		
" 10 <sup>th</sup> "	(10) Ten	\$ 24. 983. 25	\$ 151. 706. 67	\$ 997. 056. 72

Weekly report of Permits Granted for the week ending December 10<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Date	Name	Class	Am't	Permitted to	Permitted from
Dec 4	William H. Dupree	Groceries	\$1000.	Columbus, Ky.	Evans, Ills.
" "	A. Hartaway	"	\$3000.	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	Moore & Carter	"	\$1200.	" " "	" " "
" "	J. F. Bolinger	Cotton & Wool	\$30,000.	" " "	" " "
" "	W. Frank & Co	Dry Goods	\$1,500.	Paducah, Ky.	" " "
" "	D. G. Saul	Groceries	\$421.	Columbus, Ky.	" " "
" "	John Fisher & Bro	Confectionary	\$1000.	" " "	" " "
" "	George Zimmurle	Boots & Shoes	\$394.	" " "	Saint Louis, Mo.
" "	James Yarnum	Ass. Goods	\$2,500. \$44.015	Southland, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
Dec 5	Mrs Sarah Clem.	Clothing	\$25.	Camp Douglas, Ills.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	W. Lehrer	Boots	\$82.	Evans, Ills.	" " "
" "	W. Livingston	Dry Goods	\$5,000.	Paducah, Ky.	Cincinnati, O.
" "	George Meyer	Hardware	\$2000.	" " "	Saint Louis, Mo.
" "	E. H. Chamberlain	Dry Goods	\$100.	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	G. Gousser	Grocery	\$400.	" " "	Evansville, Ia.
" "	L. S. Fumble & Co	"	\$2,500.	" " "	Pittsburg, Pa.
" "	J. W. Kaskell	Cigars & Tobacco	\$430.	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	J. P. Poirer & Co.	Molze	\$1000.	" " "	Louisville, Ky.
" "	William Nolan & Co	Stoves	\$400.	" " "	Evansville, Ia.
" "	E. R. Hart	"	\$200.	" " "	Saint Louis, Mo.
" "	S. S. Wilson & Co	Carriage Mats	\$75.	" " "	Boston, Mass.

Weekly Report, continued -

Date	Name	Class	Amt	Permitted to	Permitted from
12-28-08	J. W. Addison	Dry Goods &c	\$1500	Columbus, Ky.	Leavo, Ill.
" "	Jos. Amberg	" " "	\$768.18	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	Read Crawford	Sacks &c	\$600	" "	Saint Louis, Mo.
" "	Victo Vandemate	Fancy Goods	\$2000	" "	" " "
" "	Arnold Dickens	Dry Goods	\$4000	" "	" " "
" "	Thos. H. Pate	Furniture	\$353	" "	Leavo, Ill.
" "	Hall & Tatum	Dry Goods &c	\$2000	" "	" "
" "	Holt & Summers	Hogs & Lam	\$3500	New Orleans, Ky.	Columbus, Ky.
" "	Fletcher Blythe	Dry Goods	\$3000	Paducah, Ky.	Cincinnati, O.
" "	R. W. Barton	Furniture &c	\$500	Smithland, Ky.	Gibson Co. Tenn.
" "	McDonald & Co.	Iron &c	\$150	Mayfield, Ky.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	W. Lieber	Hats &c	\$800	Paducah, Ky.	Leavo, Ill.
" "	Block & Co.	Stationary	\$500	" "	" "
" "	A. S. Jones	Groceries	\$14,000	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	Mrs. A. Boden	Clothing	\$25	Rock Island, Ill.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	Mrs. M. C. McCormack	"	\$25	Johnson Island	" "
" "	Miss J. A. Edwards	"	\$30	Rock Island, Ill.	" "
" "	Mrs. Eliza Simmons	"	\$30	" " "	" "
" "	Miss S. Leffridge	Millinery	\$500	Smithland, Ky.	Saint Louis, Mo.
" "	Thos. Crocker	Groceries	\$1000	" "	" " "
" "	J. B. Signaigo	Hardware	\$500	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	S. Rosenfield	Watches &c	\$3100	" "	" " "
" "	L. Korns	Fancy Art.	\$1500	Paducah, Ky.	" " "

Continued.

State	Name	Class	Am't	Permitted to	Permitted from
Ill.	James Liles	Goodst Stock	\$400.	Birds Point Mo	Graves. Mo. Ky.
"	John Miller	lettors	\$1764	Saint Louis Mo	Hickman Ky.
"	J. H. Shaw	lettors	\$350	Paducah. Ky.	Terrils Warehouse Ky.
"	Ashbrook Ryan	Whiskey	\$3000.	"	Louisville. Ky.
"	"	Groceries	\$910.	"	Cincinnati. O.
"	Mrs George Laurens	"	\$651.29.	"	Leairo Ills
"	W. H. Sheppard	"	\$1661.20.	"	Pittsburg. Pa.
"	Adam Heuberger	Boots & Shoes	\$1000. \$18,436.75	"	Cincinnati. O.
Ill.	Ashbrook Ryan Del.	Apple Brandy	\$300.	Paducah. Ky	Leairo. Ills
"	W. Nolen Del	Hardware	\$100.	"	Cincinnati. O.
"	J. H. Reed	Ammunition	\$150	W. Crackin Mo.	Paducah. Ky.
"	E. Rehkopf	Hides	\$50.	Evansville, Ia.	"
"	"	Leather	\$500.	Paducah. Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
"	Charles Smith	Whiskey	\$1000.	"	" " "
"	L. Pettit	Furniture	\$250.	"	" " "
Ill.	W. B. Johnston Del	Whiskey	\$2000.	Paducah. Ky.	Metropolis Ills
"	Scott Laurie	Hardware	\$125.	"	Cincinnati. O.
"	Alex Davidson	Groceries	\$2000.	"	"
"	Capt W. King	Whiskey	\$2500.	"	"
"	Geo. Culchlag	Pork	\$100.	"	Illinoit
"	R. Klopfert	Dry Goods	\$4000.	Smithland "	Cincinnati Ohio
"	E. R. Hart	Hardware	\$3000.	Paducah "	"
"	L. Simbleas	Whisky	\$2000.	"	"

# Weekly Report Continued

Date	Names	Class	Amt	Permitted to	Permitted from
1864	A. B. Kimbrell	Drugs & Medicines	\$1000.	Paducah Ky.	Louisville Ky.
Dec 10	David Friedman	Groceries	\$300.	"	Cincinnati Ohio
"	Frank Clark & Co	Jewelry & Watches	\$500.	Clarksville Washin	Cairo Ill
"	D. W. Flanoury	Dry Goods & Groceries	\$5000.	Paducah Ky.	Cincinnati Ohio
"	J. O. Mills	Boat Stores	\$5000.	"	Kings & Evansville
"	E. R. Hart	Cook Stores	\$200.	"	St Louis Mo
"	Ray & Shearer	Dry Goods <sup>Stores</sup> Boat	\$2500.	"	Evansville
"	O. W. Mandel	Fancy articles	\$800.	"	"
"	Satham & Caldwell	Dry Goods & Groceries	\$6185.	"	Cincinnati Ohio
"	O. R. Palmer	Dry Goods	\$3300.25	"	Cinn & Evansville

E. L. Chapman  
 Capt & Ad. Provost Marshal  
 Dist. Western Ky

Provost Marshals Office

Louisville Ky Dec 31st

City

Gilchrist Robert  
Affidavit

States that he understood that Mr. Wilson is the conductor of the 'Nigger pen' on second street bet. Main & Market. Capt. Hewitt was in charge of the above pen when I first went there about six weeks ago I arrested two Negroes & turned over to Hewitt upon his saying he had an order from Gen. Thomas to put all Contrabands in the service either as substitutes or Vols. I then asked Capt Hewitt if any person could put them in as substitutes, he told me after wards I arrested two other negroes one of which I put in as a substitute the other did not pass the Board. Capt Hewitt told me and Joe Lamborn (a Police man) that he received fifty dollars for one of the Negroes who were arrested and put in the pen with the intention of putting men in as substitutes for Joe Lamborn & Abe Foreman providing they would pay a moderate sum. Hewitt said he would not charge them as much as outsiders.

Provost Marshals Office  
Louisville Ky Dec. 12, 1864

Affidavit of  
Robert Gilchrist

Robert Gilchrist of Louisville Ky being duly sworn  
states as follows,

I understand that Mr. Wilson is  
the Conductor of the Oregon pen on Second Street  
between Main and Market streets Louisville Ky,  
"Captain Hewitt" was in charge of the above pen  
when I first went there, about six weeks ago I arrested  
two Negroes and turned over to "Capt Hewitt" upon  
him representing that he had an order from Adjutant  
Genl Thomas. as authority to arrest and receive  
all Contrabands that were running at large in this  
district and he (Capt Hewitt) said that the purport  
of that order was to put all such Negroes into the ser-  
vice either as Substitutes or for three years as Volunteers  
The two above Negroes were put in as Substitutes after  
which I asked Capt Hewitt if privilege was granted  
to any person to put such Negroes in as Substitutes  
and he told me they had, I afterwards arrested  
two Negroes one of which I put in the service as  
a Substitute but the second one would not pass  
the board of examination, but since I have learned  
that he went into the service as a Volunteer.

Capt. Hewitt told me and Joseph Lambourn  
(a City Policeman) that he received a consideration

of Fifty Dollars (\$50) for one of the Negroes who were arrested and placed in the pen with the intention of putting them in as substitutes for Joe Lambourn and Abe Foreman providing they would pay a moderate sum, also that they would not charge them (Foreman and Lambourn) as much as they would outsiders or other parties, The above Negroes were arrested by Ex. Capt. "Horton" and "John Cottle" (both Police men)

I am not the keeper  
of the above named pen

Robert Gilchrist

Sworn and Subscribed to before

me this twentieth day of December 1864

Geo. W. Swope

Capt. and Asst Prov. Marshal.



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~~cc 16/64~~

Bailey  
Thurber

cc

Headquarters Military District of Washington,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON:

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge,  
until further orders, the person of *Wm. S. Bailey*  
*H. S. Chamberlain*

*Suspicious character*  
*Woods' Prison investigation*

By order of T. INGRAHAM,

Colonel and Provost Marshal.



*L. J. ...*  
Adjutant.

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Logan  
Creek

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Headquarters Military District of Washington,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Dec 1 1884

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON:

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge, until further orders the person of Chas Logan and R A Crooks Refugee Suspicious characters Major Turner inmate

By order of T. INGRAHAM,

Colonel and Provost Marshal,



Adjutant.

Papers in the case of

A3847

James Blanch and George  
Brocklager, charged with  
as U.S. Detectives and receiving  
bribe from J. B. Cron salesman  
for Mr Levi clothing merchant  
of \$5.00 each worth in regard  
to his selling soldiers clothing  
to soldiers

Post Marshal's Office  
Louisville Dec 1864

Respectfully referred to  
Lt Col Wm B. Fairleigh Major  
Commander that Blanch and  
Brocklager be made to return  
the soldier his \$50 they need  
to get him a coat, also the  
\$5 they received as a bribe  
to be forfeited to the Govt  
and that they be sent to  
the Detachments for  
30 days, and that Mr Levi  
who is now absent be made  
to execute Bond of \$10000  
~~to be~~ on his return not  
to sell any more clothing  
to soldiers.

Very Respectfully  
H. C. Pappan  
Major & In Charge

Ad 2<sup>d</sup> Mil Comdt  
City Springfield by Dec 21<sup>st</sup>  
1864

Respectfully returned  
to Major Henry Pleasner  
Pro. Mar - approved.

By Order of  
Thos. B. Fairleigh  
St. Col 24<sup>th</sup> by Det Col's Comdg  
Chas. Young  
Capt & A. S. G.

Proctor Marshal's Office  
Louisiana by Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to Col  
Thos. B. Fairleigh Mtd. Comdt  
additional papers, upon invita-  
tion of the comd. I adhere to re-  
commendation of Mr. Pleasner as to  
to Labor on Certifications, accord-  
ing to statement of Mr. Borne  
Blanche is lame in one hand  
and also mentally affected, there-  
fore is incapacitated for Labor  
I would recommend that  
the law re compensation be car-  
ried out in case of Brocklocke  
over

now Blanche confined  
to a few days in Bank

I am very Respectly  
Yours Obedt. Servt

E. D. Dimpally  
Capt<sup>us</sup> U.S. Army

Adv. Gen. Miss. Comdr.  
Louisville, Ky. Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> 44

Respectfully forwarded  
and approved

W. B. Rouse

Lt. Col. et al.

Miss. Comdr.

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may.

What disposition  
have you made of  
Broddage case  
S.P.P.

none at present  
J.D.P.

James  
J.D.P.



Provet, War Office

Louisville Ky Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

George Omelia, being duly sworn  
States as follows.

I am at present a resident  
of Louisville Ky. I am somewhat acquainted  
with one George Brucklager, of this City.  
Some time ago I was in the Bar room of  
Brucklager when a Soldier came in who  
had bought a coat for twenty five dollars, Bruck-  
lager told the Soldier that he had been cheated  
and that if he would show him where he  
had got the coat, he would get the money  
back for him, Brucklager, the Soldier and  
a man named Jim. Blanch then went out of  
the Saloon to see where the Soldier had bought  
the coat, they soon came and Brucklager  
then went out. The Soldier & Jim Blanch then  
went out to get the money for the coat.

George <sup>his</sup> Omelia,  
~~mark~~

Sworn to & Subscribed to before me

This 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 1864

Geo J. Smith  
Capt & P. M.

To The Military Authorities of the City  
of Sarrisville

We the undersigned loyal  
Citizens of the City of Sarrisville, take  
pleasure in testifying to the good Char-  
acter of Barcklacher (who is charged  
before you with some offence) that he is  
a good hearted honest man and  
was never before suspected of  
doing anything against law and order  
and that he is a truly loyal person

Joseph Clement  
Phil. Touffant  
James C. Bill  
J. Mulligan  
Geo. W. Johnston  
J. Leiff  
Pat Dillon  
Geo. Stokes  
T. H. Evans  
J. H. Hunt

J. Fisher  
Andrew Monroe

City of Louisville }  
County of Jefferson } S. S.

F. Maguire being duly sworn, says: On last Saturday a week, in the afternoon, I went into the coffee house of Mr. Kurtz and sat down by the stove; there were a number of persons there among others a man with a light coat whom I afterwards learned from his conversation was a soldier whose time had expired. He was conversing with others about having been cheated by some one on market st. in the purchase of a coat and was waiting for the return of some one who had gone to the store to obtain redress for him. At this time Mr. Blanche was present. Shortly after another gentleman who was the one alluded to as the friend who had gone to the store returned and stated that the <sup>store keeper</sup> would exchange the coat. I understood the soldier to state that he wanted nothing else than to have his money back. The gentleman started off and asked Mr. Blanche to accompany him. They started off and in a short time returned and the soldier was informed that the store <sup>keeper</sup> was willing to give him back his money and take the

coat. The soldier and the others started for the store and when they returned in a few minutes, the soldier was without the coat and stated that he had recovered his money and thanked the two gentlemen for their kindness. I heard nothing said about them as detectives. From what I heard and saw, the impression left on my mind was that the soldier was a stranger and had been wronged and that the others had merely remonstrated with the store keeper and obtained redress for him. I heard nothing more of this matter until after the arrests. I was in conversation with some friends and heard nothing further until I was about leaving. The soldier had another coat then and was complaining that it did not suit him, that it was too light and that he thought it was not very good. He threw the coat on a table and went away. I left and know nothing further of these matters.

F. Maguire

Who called upon me  
to before me this 21st Dec '64

James Harris N.S. J.C.

Capt. Impelly -

I haven't nothing  
about the case -

Review all  
the evidence &  
send me your  
recommendation with  
the papers

Mr B. Francis  
W. Francis

To The Provost Marshal of Louisville.

We the undersigned, citizens of Louisville, respectfully represent that we have heard of the arrest of Mr. James Blanche on the charge of wrongfully obtaining money from a soldier and that he is at present confined in Barracks No. 1. We have known Mr. Blanche for some time and are well acquainted with his character for honesty. Some of us have had business transactions with him of a pecuniary character and in which he might have acted improperly if he were so disposed. We all concur in the general opinion entertained of him by his friends and acquaintances that he is a young man that has deservedly sustained an excellent reputation for honesty. We therefore feel justified in respectfully asking that he be released.

~~Wm. G. Smith~~

~~Thos. Besancon~~

~~James Harris~~

~~John W. [unclear]~~

~~Patrick Shea~~

~~Thos. Bland~~

~~Wm. Connell~~

~~Chas. [unclear]~~

~~A. W. Meppie~~

~~Jas. M. Paine~~

~~J. P. [unclear]~~

Provest Marshall  
Court, U.S. & C  
vs

James Blanche

State of Kentucky { S.S.  
County of Jefferson {

William H. Bowser states on oath that he is personally acquainted with James Blanche now confined in barracks no. 1 in this city, that he has known said Blanche for many years, that said Blanche is a young man who has ever borne a good character, that he is lame in his right hand and incapacitated for labor, that he is also subject to fits, I have known him to have fits lately, from what I have learned of the affair it all occurred when the parties were drinking and from his uniform good conduct heretofore I would respectfully ask for his release, and the payment of \$25.00 to the Soldier.

Wm. H. Bowser

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec 1864  
Jas Harris N.P.J.



Passes of  
Bovvlaye

Town Marshal's Office  
Louisville Ky Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

I  
George Brookhager of the County  
of Jefferson and State of Kentucky  
has this day passed of honor  
than David report, in person, at  
this Office at 11 o'clock A M  
tomorrow, Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1864

George Brookhager.

Provest Marshals Office  
Louisville Ky Dec. 11. 1864

J. B. Cochr. Citizen, being duly sworn  
States as follows.

I am employed at the clothing establishment of W. D. Levy, as a Salesman. Yesterday about two o'clock I came to the store from dinner. And saw a Soldier and a man named "George" who is now in arrest. Standing near the store the Soldier pointed into the store and said, "There is where I got the coat." another Salesman in the establishment recognized the Soldier as a man to whom he had sold an overcoat. and told me that the Soldier had told him that his regiment had turned over all its equipments, and was looking every day to be mustered out, that he had a suit of Citizens cloths, and only wanted an Overcoat to wear home when he should be discharged. The Salesman was unacquainted with the existing Orders. he having only lately come to this City, in the meantime the Soldier & the Prisoner went over to Wolf's Saloon and in about ten minutes they passed by the store. I then asked the prisoner "what was the matter" he replied "never mind you will find out" then went away. in a short time the prisoner and another man met the Soldier came back

They both stopped at the door, and the prisoner pointed in the House and said that the House where the coat was bought. The prisoner then went over to Wolfs ~~and~~ Saloon, and the man who was with him came in the store, and asked me if my name was Mr Levy. I told him no that I was only a salesman, he then asked me if a soldier had not bought a Citizens coat there. I told him that I did not know. I asked him what his object was in asking, he ~~told~~ asked me if I did not know that it was against the Military Orders to sell Soldiers Citizens cloths. I told him that I did, he then said that a soldier had bought a coat here this morning, and that he could produce the man and the coat, and that the soldier had been charged too much for the coat, I then told him if he thought that ~~that~~ the soldier had bought ~~had~~ bought a coat in this House, I wanted him to bring the soldier with the coat and I would return the soldier his money, he then said that I had better do it. He then left the store and went over to Wolfs Saloon. I followed him over, the prisoner and the man who left the store were in conversation. I walked up to the bar and asked them to take a drink which they did, I was then in conversation with them both and told them to bring me the soldier with the coat and I would give him his money. The prisoner refused to agree to it and, that I was liable to have the store confiscated but still he did not wish to put me to trouble that I should settle it with his partner (the

that I should settle it with his partner (the man who was in the store) The prisoner then left us, and I and the other man went to the lower end of the Bar room and he proposed to me that I should pay him for his trouble, that he had been in the detective business, <sup>so long</sup> that he did not wish to put any one to trouble. I asked him how much he wanted for his trouble, he said whatever I was a mind to give. I then left him and we all three met at the door going out of Hoops. I said to the Prisoner, "George, you have not acted right towards our House, he said, "I am a sworn U.S. Officer and have to comply with my duties. We all separated then and the Prisoner's partner went and brought the Soldier and the Coat. I asked the Soldier if he brought the coat in our house, he said yes, and that he had paid twenty five dollars for it, I took the coat back and gave the Soldier his money, the man then asked me to pay him for his trouble I told him to wait awhile, he was very anxious to get away, the Prisoner then came in, I said to him in German, that he should take his partner away, and bring <sup>him</sup> back in a few minutes, the Prisoner said, "You had better settle with <sup>him</sup> right away." I studied awhile and asked Mrs Levy what I should do she told me to do the best I could, I then gave him five dollars, The man then left the store.

sworn to and subscribed before me  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1862

J. A. Coburn  
Geo. J. Swope  
Capt & A. P. M.

Provost Marshals Office  
Louisville Ky. Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

John Spaulding City Policeman, being  
sworn to as follows.

Last night  
at about half past eight o'clock I  
was called upon to make an arrest  
Mr McGuire another policeman a soldier  
who wanted the arrest made and myself  
then went to a saloon on fifth street  
bet Market and Jefferson and found the man  
that was arrested. There were several men  
in the Bar room who interfered so with  
our questions to the man that we arrested  
that we could get no satisfactory  
answers. and he himself seemed not to  
want to give us any satisfaction We  
then arrested George Brucklager and  
turned him over to St Lukes Chief of  
N B Police

John Spaulding  
sworn to and subscribed before me  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1864

Geo J. Sneyd  
Capt & A.P.M.

Wm McGuire, City Policeman being sworn states that  
is above is true.

Wm McGuire

Sworn to and subscribed before me of  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1864, Geo J. Sneyd  
Capt & A.P.M.

Troop Marshal's Office

Louisville Dec 11 1864

Stephen Waller, Co E 9th Reg Inf being duly  
Sorrow States, as follows.

Yesterday, I bought  
a citizens overcoat and paid twenty five  
dollars for it. I then went into a Bar  
Room, on fifth St bet Market & Jefferson. There  
were several men in the room among whom was  
one named Geo Brucklager, who appeared to  
be a Bar Keeper, I told them what I had paid  
for the coat, they all said that I had  
been badly cheated especially Brucklager  
who said that he would see that I was not  
~~swindled~~ swindled in that kind of a way  
he took a revolver and left the house. ~~He~~  
with another man, they were gone but a  
few minutes when they came back, and  
told me to come with them. I went with  
them to where I had bought the coat  
and told them that, that was the place. Brucklager  
and myself then went over to Wolf's Saloon and took  
a drink. we then went back by the store to  
the Saloon on fifth St. Brucklager then  
went out, with the other man, <sup>and</sup> I remained  
in the Bar room. They were gone but a  
short time when they came back and asked  
me to go and show them who sold me the coat.  
I went with them and showed them who sold

me the coats then this man, <sup>Blanch</sup> went into the store or ick  
me and I got the money I had paid for the coat  
as we went back to the saloon on Fifth St. this  
man, <sup>Blanch</sup> told me if I would give him the twenty five  
dollars he would buy me a coat or over two of  
the one I had given back, I needed the  
overcoat and I gave the man, <sup>Blanch</sup> the \$25.00  
he then went off and brought me a very  
inferior coat which I refused to take  
at \$25.00, and told <sup>Blanch</sup> him to give me my money  
back he said that he had done all  
that he was going to do, and left the room  
and I sent him no more.

Stephen ~~Blanch~~ Haller

Witness to and subscribed before me

This 11th day of Dec. 1864

Geo S. Smith  
Capt and A.P.M.



State of Kentucky, 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Jefferson County 3<sup>rd</sup>

This day George Canealy  
Made oath before the undersigned a  
Justice of the Peace, that on last Saturday  
(Dec 10th 1864) he was present at the  
Restaurant of John Kuntz on fifth street  
between Jefferson & Market streets in  
the City of Louisville, and a soldier  
who stated he belonged the 9th Ky, came  
in to the Restaurant, dressed in a Citizen  
over Coat, and asked several persons  
what they thought the Coat to be  
worth, and amongst others George  
Brocklocker gave his opinion as to  
the value of the Coat, the soldier then  
stated he had paid twenty five dollars  
for it, and proposed to Brocklocker  
to go with him to the store where he  
had purchased the Coat, and see  
if he could not return the Coat  
and get his money back again,  
Brocklocker & the Soldier went  
away together, and in about from  
one half to three quarters of an hour  
they both returned, and the soldier  
stated, that he was under obligations  
to Brocklocker for seeing to him the  
money paid for the Coat, and seemed

to be satisfied, Then Mr Brocklocke  
left the Restaurant in Company with  
Joseph Norton, and did not return  
for upwards of one hour, and during  
Brocklockes absence, the soldier went  
out with an other man, whose name  
is unknown to affiant, and <sup>came back</sup> with an  
other coat,

Subscribed and sworn George Omealy  
to before me this 12th  
day of Decr 1864



Wm. M. Mottack Jr  
J.P.

Also at the same time and place  
Joseph Norton made oath that  
he was present at Kuntzes Restaurant  
on Saturday (10th Decr) and that he  
witnessed the proceedings set forth  
in the affidavit of George Omealy  
and that after the soldier refused to  
thruin and Brocklocke returned to  
the Restaurant, he heard the soldier  
say that he had received his money  
back and that he was under obligat-  
ions to Brocklocke for his assistan-  
ce in the matter, and that then  
affiant and Brocklocke went a  
way to gather and were to gather until  
after the purchase of the second coat spoke  
of in Omealys affidavit, and that Brock-  
locke had nothing to do with the sec-  
ond coat purchased.  
Subscribed and sworn to before Joseph Norton  
me this 12th day of Decr 1864 Wm. Mottack Jr. J.P.

Provan's Marshal office

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Lansdowne Key Dec 5/64

Farleigh Thos B

Wid. Commander

Direct that the Limit of  
the patent will proceed  
immediately and also  
different stores and labour  
charge selling citizens  
to the to subdend

etc

Protest Marshals Office.  
Louisville Ky Dec 5 1864

Lieut.

You will at once proceed to the following named Stores, Saloons & Groceries & arrest the proprietors of each, also close or seize the Liquors of the Groceries & Saloons,  
Or -

Belmulet Saloon, Water Streets between 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

John Groff Market " bet Hancock & clay,

John Bank, Water " " 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

Thom, Cor Broadway and Preston, bet

William Keene " Hancock and Marshal "

Slaughter, Market Street bet Sixth & 7<sup>th</sup>

for selling citizens clothing to soldiers.

By Command of  
Lt Col T. B. Fairleigh  
26<sup>th</sup> Ky Vet. Vols Geny

Geo A. Suple  
Capt, 4<sup>th</sup> apt, Pro. Murr.

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J No. 2

Johnson, C<sup>o</sup> Indiana  
December 10, 1864.

Eli. F. Crane & others

sworn to & endorsed

state, that they know A. Isaac  
& L. C. Bennett as industrious  
peaceable residents of Madison &  
Johnson C<sup>o</sup> Indiana for the  
last twelve months?

Bennett & Isaac

Refused

by  
Isaac

Johnson Co. Ind.

~~Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 04~~

Robt<sup>n</sup> Jennings - I. M.  
Lyon. Geo Henry. P. M.

States that during  
the months of Aug. Sept<sup>r</sup>  
and till Nov<sup>r</sup> the 11<sup>th</sup> Alfred  
Jennings was in their  
employ. and reported him-  
self as a good citizen.

R. P. M. Co. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 04

Affidavit

of  
Robt Jennings  
Henry P. Presser  
John M. Lyons

man of good character &  
by - given under my  
notarial seal

Franklin H. H. H.  
Notary Public



State of Indiana

Johnson County, to wit: Personally appeared before me a Notary Public for said County and State, Robert Jennings, Henry Presser and John M. Lyons residents of Johnson County Indiana - all of lawful age and who being by me sworn according to law under oath say that Alfred Isaacs was in their employment in Johnson County Indiana in constructing a Grand Road from Indianapolis southward during the months of August and September last, that after said time - he worked at the house of John M. Lyons - and afterwards at the house of said Presser - and continued there till the 11th day of November last - that during the whole of said time, August Sept, Oct and till 11th of November, the said Isaacs was engaged as aforesaid as peaceable and quiet citizens as aforesaid. & further they say, wit

Robert Jennings  
John M. Lyons  
Henry Presser

sworn to and subscribed before me a Notary Public aforesaid on the 11th day of Dec 1864 and I certify that from personal knowledge said Depo-

THE STATE OF INDIANA,

CERTIFICATE TO DEED.  
Sold by BURETS and HENDEX.—Indianapolis, Ind.

SS: }  
Johnson COUNTY,

I, *John Wilson*, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the county of *Johnson*, aforesaid, do hereby certify that *Franklin Harding*, whose certificate of acknowledgment appears to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making said certificate, to-wit, the *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 18*64* was an acting Mayor Public

within and for said county of *Johnson*, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official acts, and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I hereunto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my name, at *Franklin*, this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *December*, 18*64*

*John Wilson* Clerk.



Johnson, C<sup>o</sup> Indiana.

December, 10. 1863.

Abraham Roberts

sworn states, that he  
knows A. Weaver & L. C. Bennett  
for the last twelve months  
as hard working peaceable  
citizens.

Affidavit  
Abraham Roberts

Estate of Indiana



Johnson County to wit: Personally appeared before me a Notary Public of said County and State Abraham Roberts of Marion County Indiana of lawful age, who being by me sworn according to law under oath says that he <sup>has been</sup> acquainted with Alfred Isaacson during the last twelve months - that he has seen him at least once in each week during said time, or oftener & that during the whole of said time as this affiant believes said Isaacson has been farming, chopping wood & working on a Grand Road - all in said County of Marion - and that he has during the whole of said time depicted himself as a peaceable and quiet citizen.

And said Affiant further says that during the said last year he has frequently seen L. G. Bennett in said County <sup>of Marion</sup> and believes he was during the whole of said time in the immediate neighborhood and that he <sup>said Bennett</sup> depicted himself so far as his knowledge extends as a quiet and peaceable citizen and further swears not

Abram Roberts

sworn to and subscribed before me a Notary Public for said County of Johnson, Indiana on the 10th day of December 1864 - Witness my hand and Notarial Seal

Merrillia Hachins  
Notary Public



THE STATE OF INDIANA,

Johnson COUNTY,

CERTIFICATE TO DEED.  
Solely by BANKERS and BRADSHAW, - Indianapolis, Ind.

I, John Wilson, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the county of Johnson, aforesaid, do hereby certify that Franklin Harding, Esq., whose certificate of acknowledgment appears to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making said certificate, to-wit, the 10 day of December, 1864.  
Was an acting Notary Public

within and for said county of Johnson, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official acts, and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I herunto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my name, at Franklin, this 12 day of December, 1864.

John Wilson Clerk.



December 10. 1864

Johnson Co Indiana

A. J. Forrest

sworn and endorsed

states, that he knows  
L. C. Bennet and A. J. J. J. J.  
personally as hard working  
industrious man, that Bennet  
boarded with him to the 14<sup>th</sup>  
November 1864, when he started  
for Grant Co Ky, to see his  
relations.

Affidavit

A. J. Secret



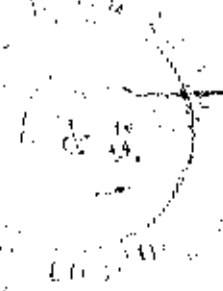
State of Indiana

Johnson County to wit: Personally appeared before me a Notary Public for said County and State Jackson Deere of said County and State of lawful age who being by me duly sworn according to law under oath says that he has personally known L. C. Bennett and Alfred Isaacs during the last year - that said L. C. Bennett resided at his said deponents house from the 26th day of September last until the 11th day of November last at which time L. C. Bennett left as he stated for his former home in ~~Boone~~<sup>Grant</sup> County, Kentucky and this deponent further says that said Bennett and Isaacs, during the whole of said last year, so far as he knows, were engaged in chopping wood farming &c in the immediate neighborhood as good, quiet, peaceable and industrious citizens and further swears out

A. J. Seecrest

sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of Dec 1864. ~~And~~ I further say that said Seecrest is a good credible citizen and worthy of belief - Witness my hand and Notarial Seal

Franklin Hardin



THE STATE OF INDIANA, }  
} ss:  
*Whisenand* COUNTY, }

CERTIFICATE TO DEED.  
SOLD BY BANKERS AND FINANCIERS.—Indianapolis, Ind.

I, *John Wilson*, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within  
and for the county of *Whisenand*, aforesaid, do hereby certify that  
*Franklin Harding*, whose certificate of acknowledgment appears  
to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making  
said certificate, to-wit, the *10* day of *December*, 18*64*,  
*was an acting Notary Public*

within and for said county of *Whisenand*, duly elected, commissioned,  
and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official  
acts, and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I hereunto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my  
name, as *John Wilson*, this *12<sup>th</sup>* day  
of *December*, 18*64*

*John Wilson* Clerk.



Johnson, Co. Indiana  
December, 10. 1864.

James W. Wolff  
sworn and endorsed  
states, that he knows  
L. C. Bennett and J. Spauls  
for the last year as peaceable  
industrious citizens.

~~Appreciant~~  
James Webb

State of Indiana

Johnson County, Ind. Personally appeared before me a Notary Public for said County and State James Webb jr. of Marion County Indiana of lawful age, who being by me duly sworn according to law, under oath says that L. K. Bennett and Alfred Isaacs. Came to Marion County aforesaid, at least one year previous to this date - and ~~was~~ during the whole of said time, to wit the last twelve months, the said Isaacs, to the personally knowledge of this deponent, has been a resident of said County of Marion - and that said Isaacs has not been absent from said County except a few days on lawful business to the State of Illinois in company with this applicant - that during the time aforesaid - The year last past, the said Isaacs has been engaged in farming, chopping wood and aiding in the construction of Gravel Roads in said County - and at all times, he, ~~the said Isaacs~~ has depicted himself as a quiet, industrious and peaceable Citizen - and during said last year this <sup>deponent</sup> has frequently seen the said Bennett in said County of Marion and Johnson and believes that he has not been absent at any time from said Counties - and that he has so far as seen been <sup>by this deponent</sup> ~~industrious~~ quiet and peaceable in chopping wood &c in said Counties and further saith not James W. Webb

The foregoing statement was sworn to and subscribed before me on the thirteenth day of December 1864 and I certify that said deponent is to me personally known - & that he is of good character and worthy of belief. Witness my hand and notarial seal  
Franklin Hardin

THE STATE OF INDIANA, }  
Johnson COUNTY, } SS:

CERTIFICATE TO DEED,  
Sold by BARNES and BRADEN, - Indianapolis, Ind.

I, John Wilson, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the county of Johnson, aforesaid, do hereby certify that Franklin Hardin Esq., whose certificate of acknowledgment appears to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making said certificate, to-wit, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1864,

was acting as Notary Public

within and for said county of Johnson, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official acts and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I hereto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my name, at Indianapolis, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1864

John Wilson Clerk.

I D. Bennett and  
others state that they  
know that Luke Bennett  
lived in Indiana till  
August 1864 &c.

Grant County Ky December 31<sup>st</sup> 1864  
The affiant James Bennett States on oath that  
he knows that Luke Bennett was living in the  
State of Ind. previous to August first 1864  
<sup>over one year</sup> when he visited that State and found said  
Luke Bennett at work about 10 miles South  
west of Indianapolis where he stayed until  
about the last of Oct when he left that place  
and Luke also at work and about the middle  
of Nov. following he <sup>Luke</sup> came home on a visit and  
stayed a few days then left for Ind. and  
was captured as I heard said affiant also states  
that there was a certain Alfred Isaacks there  
with Luke every time Luke wrote that he said  
he was at work with him generally and that while  
said affiant was in Ind. he saw said Isaacks  
twice himself

J. J. Bennett

Sworn to by James Bennett before me  
a Justice of the peace this 31<sup>st</sup> of Decem. 1864

N. Stewart J.P.

The affiant Mr J. Bennett states on oath that he  
went from the State of Kentucky to Ind. about the first  
of Nov. where he found Luke Bennett at work and  
stayed with him about four weeks when Luke left  
for Ky and after that some few days said Mr J.  
Bennett left for Ky also the affiant also states  
that Alfred Isaacks was <sup>for more than one year</sup> there with Luke Bennett  
at work that he saw him several times the affiant  
further states that he knows that said Luke Bennett  
was living in Ind. for more than one year  
previous to his visit to Ind.

Mr J. Bennett  
mark



Sworn to before me a Justice of the peace  
This 31<sup>st</sup> of Decem 1864 N. Stewart J.P.

The affiant Wm S. Crisman States on oath that  
he recd a letter written by Luke Bennett about  
the first of Oct. 1864 in which he Luke stated that  
he was well but his Father James Bennett was  
sick there with him in the county of Johnson Ind.  
The affiant says he believes that Luke Bennett  
has Bin in Ind. for over one year previous to this  
W. S. Crisman

Sworn to before me a Justice of the peace  
This 31<sup>st</sup> of December 1864 N. Stewart J.P.

The affiant Jeremiah Crouch States on oath that  
he in the last twelve months has Recd several  
letters from Luke Bennett all of which was  
written and mailed in Marion County Ind  
and directed to Ky. he further says that Luke spoke  
of Alfred Isaacks in most of his letters  
J. Crouch

Sworn to before me a Justice of the peace  
This 31<sup>st</sup> of Decem 1864 N. Stewart J.P.

The affiant Wm A. Bennett States on oath that  
he has saw several letters <sup>from</sup> in the last twelve  
months all stating that he was at work in Ind.  
and that A. Isaacks was with him at work  
W. A. Bennett

Sworn to before me this 31<sup>st</sup> of December 1864  
N. Stewart J.P.

The affiant John W. Bennett states on oath  
that he saw several letters written by Luke  
Bennett in the last twelve months all stating  
that he was in Ind at work and that Alfred  
Isacks was at work with him

Sworn to before me a Justice of the peace  
this 31<sup>st</sup> of Decem 1864

John W. Bennett

A. Stewart J.P.

Johnson Co. Indiana

December 10. 1863.

W. D. Crane

sworn & endorsed:

states that he knows T. Isaac  
and L. C. Bennet as formidable  
hard working men, residents  
of this county for the last ten  
months.

Affidavit

N. D. Orme

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Court, and

State of Indiana

Johnson county, to wit: Personally appeared before me a Notary Public for said County and State Nicholas D. Orme of Johnson County Indiana who being by me duly sworn according to say under oath says that he has been personally acquainted with Alfred Isaacs for the last ten months that during the whole of said time he has been working on the farms mostly in Marion County Indiana - that he has depicted himself during the time aforesaid as a good and quiet Citizen - And deponent further saith that for 10 months last past L. G. Bennett has been residing in or near his neighborhood - engaged in chopping wood & other lawful pursuits as a good & quiet Citizen & further saith not



N. G. Orme

sworn to and subscribed before me a Notary Public aforesaid on 10th December 1864 - and I certify that said Orme is a man of good Character & worthy full belief given under my hand & official seal  
H. Vant Kirkland

THE STATE OF INDIANA,

CERTIFICATE TO DEED,  
Sold by SAULTS and HEADEN,--Indianapolis, Ind.

*Johnson* COUNTY,

SS:

I, *John W. Wilson*, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the county of *Johnson*, aforesaid, do hereby certify that *Franklin Hendrix Esq.*, whose certificate of acknowledgment appears to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making said certificate, to-wit, the *10* day of *December*, 18*64*.

*was an acting Justice of the Peace*  
*of the Public*

within and for said county of *Johnson*, duly elected, commissioned, and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official acts, and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I hereunto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my name, *Franklin Hendrix*, this *10* day of *December*, 18*64*

*John W. Wilson* Clerk.



Louisville, Kentucky

December, 17, 1864.

W. B. Hoke

sends herewith the affidavits  
in the case of David Bernet,  
states also, that Bernet  
has taken the oath 2 years  
ago, with the privilege, to  
stay in Kentucky.

Louisville Ky Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Dear Sir -

Some days previous I wrote to you in relation to Gaachs & Bennett who were captured at Ghent Ky en route for Ind. If you have my letter you will find that I then stated they had been working for more than one year in Ind & had visited their parents in Grant Co<sup>Ky</sup>. Bennett took the oath here more than 2 years ago. (but was allowed to remain in Ky if he wished) Their conduct in getting away from the soldiers that arrested them, and then going back and surrendering themselves, is a strong point in their case. I wrote to Indiana and this morning received the testimony which is abundantly sufficient to release them. I enclose it to you, and sincerely hope that you will attend to their cases at once

With my best wishes

I remain Yours &c

W. B. Hoke

firm of English & Hoke

Lieut. Vance

Provost Marshal

Lexington Ky.



I. no. 1

Bennett &

L. C. Bennett and Isaachs

Alfred Isaachs states  
that they voluntarily re-  
surrendered from the rebel  
army, were trying to get  
north, were unacquainted  
with the customs of the  
United States authorities.

R. P. M. Co. Dec. 61 '64

The affiants L. C. Bennett and Alfred Isaacks state that they were arrested in Ghent Ky, and are now in Barracks No 1. Bennett says that ~~in~~ in the year 1862 he deserted the Rebel army and came to Louisville and took the oath and since that time he has had no connection with the Rebel army or the Guerrillas.

Alfred Isaacks. Says that he lately deserted and came home to his fathers in Grant County Ky and was trying to cross the river to go North. He says his friends all told him that he had better go North, or if he surrendered himself on this side of the river he would be kept in Prison. He says that he was unacquainted with the Customs of the Union Authorities, and was ~~going~~ going north having deserted the Rebel Army.

L. C. Bennett  
Alfred <sup>his</sup> Isaacks

Subscribed & sworn to before me this the  
29<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1864.

W. B. Hokey N. J. C.

P. No. 2

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Grant Co Ky

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Petition of James  
Hambrecht and others  
for the release of  
Lester Bennett

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Rec. P. No. 6 Dec 27 '64

We the undersigned Citizens & Union men of Grant  
County Ky, & vicinity, would state that we are aqua-  
-inted with Luke Bennett of said County, & that  
we are informed & believe that in the fall of  
1862, he was regularly enlisted in the Rebel Army  
& started South with it, but was taken prisoner  
at or near Nelson's crossroads, & sent to Louisville,  
where he took the oath of Allegiance, while Gen  
Boyer was commandant of the post, two years since;  
that he immediately went North of the Ohio River,  
& engaged in work part of the time in Illinois, &  
the current year in the state of Indiana, near  
Indianapolis, where (we are informed & believe) that  
he was enrolled & subject to the late draft.

He has been to Ky, once or twice on a transient visit  
to his father, but he has never been connected with  
any of the Guerrilla bands of this section within the  
period above stated, & we do not think that the public peace  
will be endangered by his release, & we respectfully solicit  
the military authorities to discharge him from his present

confinement

James Hancock  
James A. Kuhn  
Jeremiah Couch

W. W. Hall

M. E. Richards

B. Surpe

W. H. Christman

State of T<sup>y</sup> Gallatin Co<sup>y</sup>  
J. M. J. Williams Examiner for said  
county do hereby certify that I am personally  
and intimately acquainted with Mr Walter  
W. L. Richards & B. Swope (three of the signers  
to the within petition) and know them  
to be true union men and of respectability  
the others I do not know their politics but  
have no doubt they are union men  
Given under my hand this 13<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1864 J. M. J. Williams Ex<sup>r</sup>

Affidavit  
E. J. Crane

Johnson Co. Indiana  
December 10. 1864.

Eli J. Crane

~~sworn~~ and endorsed  
states, that L. C. Benson &  
came with A. Isaac in witness  
to his house in Madison Co. Ind.  
that the former worked a month  
for him, that he saw him  
every week since and believes  
both to be hard working  
industrious citizens.

State of Indiana

Johnson County to wit: Personally appeared before me a Notary Public for said County and State Eli H. Orme of Marion County Indiana who being by me duly sworn according to law under oath says that L. B. Bennett came to his house in said County of Marion in October 1863 and lived with him for one month next thereafter - that since his said arrival he has known him to have been a resident of Marion and Johnson in said State - that he has seen him as often or oftener as once every week since October 1863 - that said Bennett during the whole time aforesaid has been engaged in said counties in farming, Chopping wood and so forth - that he has reported himself as an industrious, quiet, and good citizen And this Depovent further says at the time aforesaid, <sup>Oct 1863</sup> Alfred Isaacs came to Marion County Indiana in Company with said Bennett and that said Isaacs has remained to his said Depovent's personal knowledge in the neighborhood, Chopping wood farming &c as a good and orderly & industrious citizen & further says not

E. H. Orme

sworn to and subscribed before me a Notary Public aforesaid on the 10th day of

December 1964 and I certify that  
Deponent is a man of good character  
& worthy of belief - Witness my hand  
and Notarial Seal

Franklin Hardin  
Notary Public

Applicant  
E. J. Brown



THE STATE OF INDIANA, } SS:

CERTIFICATE TO DEED.  
Sold by BREETS and DEAREN,--Indianapolis, Ind.

*Johnson* COUNTY,

I, *John W. Wilson*, Clerk of the Circuit Court, within  
and for the county of *Johnson*, aforesaid, do hereby certify that  
*Franklin Hardin*, Esq., whose certificate of acknowledgment appears  
to the Instrument of writing to which this is attached, was, at the time of making  
said certificate, to-wit, the *10* day of *December*, 18*64*.  
*Was an acting Acting Person*

within and for said county of *Johnson*, duly elected, commissioned,  
and qualified, and that full faith and credit ought to be given to his official  
acts, and that the signature purporting to be his, is genuine.

In Witness of which, I herunto affix the Seal of said Court, and subscribe my  
name, at *Franklin*, this *14<sup>th</sup>* day  
of *December* 18*64*

*John W. Wilson* Clerk.



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Headquarters Military District of Washington,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, D.C. Feb 11 1864

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON:

You will receive and confine in the Prison under your charge,  
until further orders, the Prisoner of War, *W. D. Shields*,  
under sentence of *Major General*

*Under sentence of J. C. Martial*

By order of T. INGRAHAM,

Colonel and Provost Marshal.

*W. H. Lamb*  
Adjutant.

Office of the  
1885  
Dir of the Jackson

This date by Cust  
Salary is approved

J. M. Luman  
Cant  
District Marshal

Dec 17 69

C. L. Luman

Know all men by these presents  
That I Hustus Galamy for and in consideration  
of ninety Dollars to me in hand paid have bar-  
gained and sold and by these presents do bar-  
gain and sell unto Mary H Petty the follow-  
ing property to wit: One Bay Gelding Horse  
fourteen hands high about eight year of  
age. To Have and to hold the  
the said bargained and sold property unto  
her the said Mary H Petty and to  
her heirs and assigns forever.

Witness my hand and  
Seal the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1864

Attest Hustus Galamy (S)  
John Price

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~~William L~~

William L

Sickets L

Wallace M

W L

Headquarters Military District of Washington,

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE

Washington,

Feb 10 1864

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON:

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge until further orders, the person of James Kilbren, Saml. Kilbren, Isaac Dickles, Mayer Mal-  
-lock

By order of T. INGRAHAM,

Colonel and Provost Marshal.

*J. W. C. [Signature]* Adjutant.

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Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

*etc.*

Maynard Geo. H.  
Capt. 82<sup>nd</sup> Regt. U. S. Co. Inftry.  
Dist. - Pres. Mar.

Reports Finer

Entered



Office Provost Marshal  
Panama Fla Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col Harai Robinson  
Pro Mgr Genl. Sully Dept.

Sir

I have the honor  
to report that I have this day Fined, in the sum of (\$15.00)  
Fifteen Dollars each, W S Hardy, and Geo Lucky, Citizens  
of Warrington Fla they having plead Guilty to the charge  
of being Drunk and Riotous - on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1864.

I have the honor to be sir.  
Your most Obedt Servt.  
Geo H Maynard  
Capt 82<sup>nd</sup> Regt U.S.C. Infy.

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Office Provost Marshal

Barrancas Fla

Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

Cits

Magnard Geo H

Capt & Dist Pro Mar

Reports the Sale of Stoves  
in Compliance with

Instructions

Wm. A. Wood H. Fitzgibbon

Entered

Office Provost Marshal  
Barranca Fla. Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Col Harai Robinson  
Pro. Mar. Gen. Gulf Dept

Sir:

I have the honor to state that in  
obedience to orders received to sell to the best advantage all  
Stores of a perishable nature from the stock seized from the  
Firm of Warner & Mundt. I have this day sold (15) fifteen  
Bbls of Flour at \$ 11. per Bbl which upon examination were  
found to be somewhat damaged and would in a short time  
be entirely worthless, inclosed please find Certificate of  
Purchase

I have the honor to be sir,  
Your most Obedt Servt.  
Geo Hebernard.  
B<sup>g</sup> Regt. U.S. & Infy,  
Capt & Dist. Pro. Mar.

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December 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

Waynard Geo. So.  
Capt. & 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt. U.S. C. Infantry  
Dist. Pro. Mar.

Reports Times

Entered

Office Provost Marshal  
Barrancas Fla Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> 1863

Col. Harai Robinson

Po. War. Genl. Gulf. Dept.

Sir

I have the honor  
to report that I have this day Fined in the sums of  
(~~\$~~ 15.00) Fifteen Dollars each W. S. Hardy and Geo. Luchy  
Citizens of Warrington Fla. they having plead Guilty  
to the charge of being Drunk and Riotous on the  
25<sup>th</sup> day of Dec. 1863.

I have the honor to be sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

Geor. H. Maynard

Capt. 82<sup>nd</sup> Regt. U.S. Inftry.

13856  
Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Ests  
Communication.

to

Pro. Mar. Genl of Gulf

in regard

to Stores seized from

John O Bennett

Office Provost Marshal,

Barrancas, Fla. Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Col. Warai Robinson  
For. Mar-Genl Gulf Dept

Sir:

In answer to your communication under date of Dec 7<sup>th</sup> I have the honor to state that a full report was sent you in charge of Corporal Meredith of For. Guard in regard to the case of one Knudt. since then I have learned that a man by the name of Stuart, <sup>who is</sup> connected with the Steamer "Vesper" and the firm of Warner & Knudt - went through the Lines to Pensacola - some days previous to the seizure of the goods on his way, the boat upset and he lost a large amount of Gold - overboard. This Stuart is now <sup>in this office</sup> within the Rebel Lines. I have also learned that parties have made application to Knudt to purchase goods, but he refused to sell stating that the goods were not for sale at this place but were intended for another person whom he was <sup>then</sup> waiting for - further than this I can furnish no additional evidence.

There with  
enclose a more full and corrected Inventory of Stores seized by me - also copies of Pass & list of Medicines used by my Detachment to obtain the goods - which pass & list Knudt has seen and read more than once - I also enclose a Bill

of goods made out and Receipted by Herndon. The goods  
were to be paid for in Gold - I also forward copies of permits  
purporting to be granted by the Secretary of War and the Treasury Dept.

I have the honor to be Sir  
Your most obt Servt  
Geo. W. Maynard  
Capt & U.S. Army  
Dist. Prov. Mass.

Entered



13854  
Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

Dist Pa. Mar

Forwards

Oscar Louis Prisoners  
to

Fort Pickens

Entered

Office Pro-Marshal  
Parran on Flo-Dec 27 1864.

Risinger  
Maj Geo. W. Raymond Jr  
~~A. A. Cobb~~  
Comd'g at Fort Pickens  
- Sir.

I herewith forward for confinement  
Oscar James (Colored) charged with Man slaughter

By direction of the Col Comd'g District - Frank  
Abercrombie is released from confinement - you will please  
turn him over to Corporal Mason of Par. Guard -

Very Respy  
Geo. W. Raymond  
Capt 82nd U.S.C Infy  
Dist. Pro. Mar.

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Citizens

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Know all Men by these Presents, That I, Martin E. Swift and Anderson Tulloh of Merion in the County of Anderson and State of Missouri, as principal; and Joseph Hepler & John P. Clark as sureties; are 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, our heirs and assigns, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this Decr day of Decr A. D. 1864.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH: That, whereas, the above bounden M. E. Swift & A. Tulloh, a merchant doing business in the City of Merion, in the State of Missouri upon his application made for that purpose, in conformity with General Orders No. 32 of the Department of the Missouri, series of A. D. 1864, has received permission from Clinton B. Fisk commanding District of North Mo., to keep for sale at his place of business and to sell to loyal citizens, and soldiers in the service of the United States: *Fire-Arms and Ammunition: Provided*, that such purchaser shall have in his possession and exhibit a written permit authorizing him to make such purchase—signed by the District Provost Marshal, and approved by the District Commander—and to no others.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the said M. E. Swift and A. Tulloh shall carefully and truly, keep and observe all the terms and conditions of his said Permit, as herein before recited, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force.

AND IT IS HEREBY UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED, that for any violation of the terms or conditions of this obligation, the said M. E. Swift & A. Tulloh, shall be amenable to any Military Commission or Tribunal appointed by the Commanding General to try such offences, and upon conviction had, it shall be lawful for any officer in the Military Service of the United States acting under orders from the Department Headquarters to seize and sell or otherwise dispose of any property of the above named obligors to an amount sufficient to realize and satisfy the said sum of Two Thousand Dollars.

Witness: Hamilton Hall  
 Residence: Merion, Mo.

Martin E. Swift [SEAL.]  
Anderson Tulloh [SEAL.]  
Joseph Hepler [SEAL.]  
John P. Clark

P. O. (sup) No. 1864  
13859  
Little Rock and

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Petition of members  
of the masonic fraternity  
for the vacation by the mil  
authorities of the 3<sup>rd</sup> story  
of the Waller Building now  
used by Capt Harkell &  
A. W. for their use, as  
a Lodge.

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Citizens

W. H. Harkell

May. Genl. Reynolds:

Sir:

The undersigned,  
Members of the Masonic Fraternity,  
most respectfully represent that  
prior to the occupation of this City  
by the Troops of the United States,  
they held their Lodge, Chapters,  
Council, Encampment, and Consistory  
in the third story of the Morrison  
Building, which was temporarily  
fitted up for this use. That since  
its destruction, by fire, they have  
had no place of meeting. That  
in the construction of the Ditter  
Building, on Markham Street, the  
third story was designed for the  
use of the Masonic Bodies, and  
after the erection of the House, and  
shortly before the occupation of  
the City by the United States  
Troops, the Masonic Bodies made  
an arrangement with Mr. Ditter  
to take a lease for a number  
of years, of the third story, and  
fit it up for this use. That  
he is still willing to perpetuate this  
arrangement, and the Masonic Bodies  
are anxious to obtain the rooms  
if it can be spared by the Government.

That the second story of the  
Building has been <sup>occupied</sup> for some time  
past by ~~Capt. Haddock~~ for Capt.  
J. G. Haskell, for Quarter Master  
purposes, and the third story  
as a sleeping apartment for  
his clerks. That Capt. Haskell,  
as we are informed, is about  
to vacate the Building; and  
some other Quarter Master to  
occupy it &c.

If it will not materi-  
ally incommode arrangements ne-  
cessary to be made for the  
convenience of Military Officers,  
and their Clerks, the Quartermaster  
Provincials would be greatly obliged  
if you could order the third  
story of the Building to be vaca-  
ted, so that they may be  
permitted to perfect their agree-  
ment with Mr. Dittor for  
its use.

We are, General, your  
obedient Servants.

E. H. English  
W. W. Wilshire  
J. L. Cowan  
Lou. W. Brown  
Geo. R. A. Heenan  
J. J. McArthur

C. V. Meador  
Paley Thompson  
John H. Gibbs  
B. L. Dacus  
Whittier Woods  
J. Stillwell  
Mr. R. Vaughan  
Sam. W. Williams  
L. E. Barber  
J. E. Fogart  
Chas. Fassel  
J. F. Brown  
A. H. H. B. B.  
J. M. Case  
Albion Coburn  
C. C. Scribner  
Thos. R. Welch  
J. A. Ash  
S. F. Doherty  
J. A. Dibrill  
G. F. Bonnell  
Geo. Boar  
W. M. Reasoner  
W. R. Adams Sheriff  
W. F. Sheparson  
J. S. Wolf  
James J. Smith  
R. H. Leoburn  
J. W. Martin  
W. W. Granger  
A. Ketchum  
A. H. Badger



Henry Jacobie

L. P. Bliss

H. J. Bunzel

Ruben Harpman

Bernard M. Hanna

Chas. Blair

Joball Milton

Wm Brown

William M. Carr

18860

Mississippi Co  
Graduated City 1864

Received of the ...  
city ...  
each day -

Released on Oath Jan 21st  
In case N. J. R. J.

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Trilium  
After Care

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St Louis Dec 29 1864

J. J. Baker:

Col & Provost Marshal General  
Department of the Missouri

Sir,

The undersigned Officer employed  
on Steamers running the Mississippi River between  
St Louis & Memphis has had most respect-  
fully to represent that Mr Wm M Carr &  
Mr A D Ross citizens of <sup>Jefferson County</sup> Bearfield, Ark,  
are personally known to us & we have no  
hesitation in giving it as our opinion  
that they are both loyal citizens of the  
U. S. government, and are innocent of any  
act which can in any manner infringe  
upon, or compromise the orders of the same.

We have always regarded  
it as safe to land at Bearfield at any  
time when either of these gentlemen sig-  
nalled us that there was no danger. They  
have frequently given us warning of danger  
thereby without doubt saving our boats from  
destruction.

We are not aware of any suspicion  
from the enemy at this point, and attribute  
the uniform good order of the neighborhood  
to the vigilance of these gentlemen.

With a hope that they may  
be allowed to return to their homes, we

most respectfully submit the above to  
your favorable consideration

Respectfully  
Your fellow Citizens & old  
Friends

Abel Seyler Master  
Belle St Louis  
J. H. Schuchert

Master Str Marble City

Wm. H. Dyer  
Capt. Str. Plato Valley

William M. Carr, states:

I live in  
Mississippi Co. Ark., Burfield Point,  
have lived there since the spring of 1858,  
keep a Wood Yard there.

Q Have you ever been in the Rebel Army.

A I have not.

Q Have you born arms against the Govt. in  
any way since the Rebellion. have you  
been in the Roush.

A No.

Q When & where did you take the oath  
of Allegiance to the U. S.

A Decem. 2. 62 at Woodlake landing Ark  
before Col. Geo. A. Stone 25th Iowa Infy  
Vol.

Q What was the occasion of taking the oath.

A I was going to visit my acquaintances at  
Woodlake landing, and the boat, either the  
Minnelaha or Hiawatha, getting aground  
I was compelled to stay all day and being  
a citizen and stranger to Col. Stone he  
advised me to take the oath and he ad-  
ministered it the next morning.

Q What have you been doing since that  
time.

A Remained at home attending to my  
Wood Yard & farming.

Q When, where and by whom was you arrested.

On or about Novem. 29. left the Gun Boat  
No 57 stopped at my landing and whistled  
-my residence is about 1/2 mile from the  
bank of the river - hearing the whistle I  
went to the Boat - Capt Mitchel was  
on board, when I saw him he said that  
he was going 20 or 25 miles below and  
wished me to go with him as he wanted  
to talk with me - I went with the boat  
and on returning and when opposite  
my landing the officer in charge of the  
boat refused to land and I was  
taken to New Madrid and turned  
over to Capt Edwards Commanding the  
Post - this was the first intimation  
I had that I was a prisoner.

Q What was the nature of the conver-  
-sation between you and Capt.  
Mitchel as you way down and  
up the river?

A On or about Novem. 25<sup>th</sup> left some Rifles  
had been crossed from the east to the  
west side of the Missis. river and  
taken out into the swamps in Ark.  
Q How did you know this?

A On the morning of the 26<sup>th</sup> Inst. I  
was going out into the country to  
find a Horse Thief and I overtook 9  
wagons conveying the arms.



Q You went immediately to the nearest Military Post of the U.S. and reported this fact, did you not?

A I did not report it until on the Gun Boat when arrested on the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Q What is the nearest Military Post to your residence.

A New Madrid - 60 miles distant.

Q Did you not suppose when the Gun Boat whistled that she wanted wood.

A I supposed that I was wanted and went although I did <sup>not</sup> know that it was a Gun Boat until I saw her.

Q Did you go to this boat with the intention of reporting the fact of the crossing of these arms -

A I did.

Q Are you willing to swear that such was your intention and that the boat No 59 was the first boat which passed your landing after these arms were crossed.

A I am, if any other passed I do not know it - in my hunt for the Horse Thief I was from home until Nov. 28 P. M.

Q When you discovered these arms why did you not immediately go to the nearest Post and make report.

A Because I was satisfied it would be reported & I was in pursuit of the Thief.

Q Did you catch the thief -

A No - he turned the horse loose, having disabled the horse -

Q Who was in charge of these guns -

A The only one I knew was Henry Clark a kind of Bushwhacker.

Q Are you willing to swear that you had no knowledge of these arms or of the fact that they were about to be crossed into Ark before you met them on the road.

A I am.

Q When had you seen Clark or the others in charge of these arms prior to this time.

A Not seen either since the war.

Q State to me particularly where you have been and what you have been doing during the last summer.

A I have been at home except when I was out with a company of Home Guards raised by myself after consultation with Capt. Snyres of the Gun Boat No. 4. The object of this organization was to pursue and arrest Thieves &c.

Q When was you conscripted by the Rebels -

A Never conscripted.

Q From whom did you receive the Commission to Conscript men.

A I never conscripted any man. I never forced any man into any military service but had kept many men out of the Confed. Service.

Q. Do you know a man named Tho. Thompson he now lives in New Madrid - have known him some 4 or 5 yrs. - he formerly lived in Miss. Co. Ark. was Farmer.

Q. Do you know that Thompson was ever in the Rebel Army.

A I know that he belonged to a Jayhawking band and started to Mo. with Price in the late raid.

Q. When did he return home.

A About the mid dle of Nov. 64. he went to New Madrid and surrendered.

Q. When did you <sup>last</sup> see Thompson before you saw him in New Madrid on the occasion of your arrest - where did you see him and under what circumstances.

A I saw him last about 3 weeks before my arrest in the road - he was then with Syle's command of Confederates.

Q. Did you and Thompson ever have any difficulty.

A I arrested Thompson for Horse Stealing about July or Aug. 64 - would have shot him but was over-ruled & cannot say whether was in command of my line.

Guard Co. at that time or not - think  
I was, although I did send things before  
I was in command of the Company; such  
as pursuing Thruvs &c.

Q. Do you know one Patrick Reed - if so  
where does he live - his occupation -  
A. Do he lives about 4 miles from me -  
he is a farmer.

Q. Has he been in the Rebel army?  
A. He was also in Lyles' Command: he  
also deserted and reported at New Madrid.

Q. When and where did you last see him.  
A. At New Madrid when I was arrested.

Q. When did you see him prior to that.  
A. Some 5 or 6 weeks before my arrest.

Q. Did you and Patrick Reed have any  
difficulties.

A. Not to my knowledge.

Q. Did you ever attempt to compel Reed  
to enter any service whatever.

A. Did not.

Q. Do you know Reed's wife.

A. Yes. know her when I see her. I know  
but little of her.

Q. Do you know Richd. West - where does  
he live and his occupation.

A. Yes - he lives in New Madrid - don't know  
what he does - generally find him hang-  
ing around New Madrid.

Q Do you go to New Madrid frequently.  
A No - been in the habit of receiving my  
Mail matter by way of Memphis or by  
Gun Boat.

Q Was you armed when you went on the  
Gun Boat &c.

A I was - had two Revolvers: left them in  
Capt Mitchell's room on the Boat.

Q Have you ever by direct or by indirect,  
means aided <sup>or abetted</sup> persons in arms against  
the Govt. of the U. S.

A I have not.

Q Have you ever by such means aided  
or abetted those who have been engaged  
in Smuggling goods or in carrying  
mail matter.

A Never.

Q Do you want the South put down in  
this war.

A Yes - I want the Union restored.

W M Lear

Subscribed before me  
this 21<sup>th</sup> day of Decem.

W M

Geo. W. Shinn.  
Chf. Exm'r.

Q. From whom was the letter marked J.  
sent.

A. I saw it first at New Madrid in the  
possession of the A. P. M.

Q. By whom was it written.

A. Dr. C. Jackson of Memphis who formerly  
lived within 3 miles of me. He has  
never been in the army - has but one son  
who is now at school at St. Marys College  
Ind. He is loyal to knowledge.

Crow Shinn.

W. M. Carr

Statement  
of

Jessie Reed  
against

~~William Carr~~  
Carr

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Office Postoffice, Wash. D.C.  
New Madrid December 29, 1864,  
Statement of

Susan Reed of Mississippi County, Mo.,  
My name is Susan Reed I am living Mrs C.  
Alex. I know <sup>and recognize</sup> ~~Wm~~ <sup>Wm</sup> Carr of Mississippi County  
Mo., he was a conscripting officer for the confederates  
in summer 1864, he conscripted my hus-  
band Parviz Reed, my husband he conscrip-  
ted many men but did not succeed to get more  
out but 12 of them. He did not have to go  
into active service by giving a certain quan-  
tity of for want of to the rebels I know he  
came to Oliver Thompson of Chisasauba &  
wanted him to be sworn into the rebel ser-  
vice and as he refused to comply with his demand  
he drew gun on him & forced him to take the  
oath to the confederacy Susan Reed

Sworn to & subscribed before me this the  
29 days of December 1864

Henry Sadek  
Notary Public  
to Wash. D.C.



Confession

of

William W. Farr

of

Miss County

Ark

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Office Provost Marshall, Sub D<sup>y</sup>  
St. L. Dist. New Madrid Dec 18. 1864.

Confession of W<sup>m</sup> Berry

My name is William Berry, I live in  
Mississippi county Arkansas, on Bear  
fields point 7 miles below Casselberry's  
Landing. I was arrested by Capt. Mitchell  
of the U. S. gunboat No. 59 on or about  
the 1. day of December 1864. & delivered  
to Captain J. Edwards commanding Post  
New Madrid on the 4. day of December 1864  
& to Lieut Henry Gladek, Dist. Troop Msh. Co,  
Sub Dist. St. L. Dist, on the 6. day of  
December 1864. I took the oath of allegiance  
to the Government of the United States on the  
2. day of December 1864. 1862 at Woodlake  
Landing Ark before Colonel George L. Stone  
of 25. Iowa Inf. Regiment. I don't know  
what charges they <sup>are</sup> against me.  
When I was arrested. I had two revolvers  
I left them with Capt. Mitchell on the gun,  
boat 59. —

W. M. Berry  
Subscribed before me this the 18. day of  
December 1864.

Henry Gladek  
Lieut. Dist Troop Mshl  
Co Sub D<sup>y</sup> St. L. D.

✓ Consideration State,  
myit at  
Richard West  
vs.

Wm Mason.

J.

Office Concord Mass, Feb 27. 1865  
New Market Mo. Jan. 4. 1865.

I do hereby certify herewith that Mr Richard  
West is known to me as a reliable Union man.

Henry Gladst  
Secy Assn Concord, Mass  
J. L. D.

Office of the Marshal, U.S. Fed. Ct.  
New Madrid Mo. January, 3 1865

Personally appeared before me a duly commis-  
sioned & qualified Assistant Marshal with  
me for the honor of the U.S. Fed. Ct.; Richard West of  
New Madrid County, Mo., formerly of Mississippi county,  
Arkansas, of lawful age, who being first duly  
sworn according to law, says as follows:  
I know W. M. West of Mississippi  
County Arkansas since the year 1858. I  
know ~~that~~ him to be a rank rebel and  
I know Finnick Reed of the same County and  
State aforesaid and him to be a honest man  
his reputation was so before the war broke  
out, & it was so after it broke out. The day  
before Fort Pillow was taken I rode 5 miles  
to Mr. Leeds house, to let him know that the  
Southerners are coming to conscript, I he  
laid out for 2 days in (que) gates to prevent  
from being conscripted. The same evening  
I went to Ed. Burns to let him know that the  
rebel are coming to conscript us—  
I know Mr. Perel of Massac County Illinois  
formerly of Mississippi County Arkansas,  
as far as I know him I know he is a Union  
man & he is considered to be a Union man  
by every Union man in Mississippi County  
Arkansas. I was compelled to leave this  
County Arkansas in March 1864, for sake  
of my Union sentiments.

Richard West  
Signed & subscribed before me this 3 day  
of January 1864, Henry Clark U.S. Marshal  
for the U.S. Fed. Ct.

Apr 11

New Madrid

No. 11

Supposed to  
be Dr Jackson's  
handwriting  
his wife now in  
Memphis

Memphis Tennessee

Dear Bill

I hear from  
officers Bill Memphis that you  
are under arrest at New Trade  
-aid. If I can be of any service  
to you, in any way please to  
drop me a line and I will  
take great pleasure in servin  
-g you in any way I can.  
For I feel assured you are  
maliciously treated.

Your friend  
St. James



Office Apt. Pros. Marshal  
New Madrid Mo. Dec 30th/64  
2. A. P. M.

Oldest Henry  
Lt. & A. P. M.

Makes report in case  
William Card on a  
petition of J. C. Harris  
et al. referred to him  
by Pros. Mar. Gen.

A. P. M. Jan 3rd /65

Had Director Sh. Louis visit  
Office Pros. Marshal  
Sh. Louis Mo. Jan 3rd /65

Respectfully forwarded to  
Pros. Mar. Gen. Dept of the  
Mo.

H. H. Williams  
Major & Provost Marshal

Office Provost Marshal  
5<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist of Mo.

New Madrid Mo. Dec 30/64

Major H. H. Williams Dist. Pro. Mar.  
Maj.

In regard to the within  
enclosed petition I Respectfully suggest  
to give Mr. William Carr of Mississippi  
Co. Arkansas a fair trial before a  
Military commission in St. Louis.  
I sent the above named W<sup>m</sup> Carr  
to St. Louis under guard (on the 19<sup>th</sup> of  
Dec. 1864. with all the evidence I could  
collect against him - He took the oath  
of allegiance to the united States Govern-  
ment, and after that was a rebel con-  
scripting officer, ~~pressing~~ pressing and forcing  
men into the rebel army, and acting  
as a Captain of the rebel army, He  
was catching deserters with the intention  
to send them back to the rebels &c. &c.

In regard to the above named

recommendation I say:

I don't value much a  
a recommendation without responsi-  
bility.

I am & remain

Your obedient servant

Henry Clauck

20 West 70th St

6th Fl. N.Y.C.

P 719 W.P. 274 7/14

Mississippi C. Mea

Petitioner

J. L. Harris et. al.

Ask for the release of  
W. W. Lewis.

Headquarters Department of the Mo.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL

St. Louis, Mo. Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully

referred to Lieut.  
Henry Bladock, Asst. Pro.  
Marshal New Madrid Mo.  
for investigation, opinion and  
immediate report.

J. M. Davis,  
St. Col. & Asst. Pro. Marshal, Genl.

C. P. W. G. Dec 24 1864

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David Thomas

We the undersigned Citizens of  
Mississippi County Arkansas having  
learned that our Friend and fellow  
Citizen W. M. Carr is a Federal Prisoner  
have decided for various reasons to  
make our Statement to your Head  
Quarters and beg your favorable

Consideration of the same and if consistent  
with your sense of Justice you may find  
means for his Early Return to us and  
his family

What Charges you have against him we  
do not know but feel confident that  
whatever they may be, it is the desire of  
some unreliable persons for we are  
certain that no Honorable man in this  
Community can say that he has acted  
in bad faith toward the Federal  
Government under existing circumstances  
we grant that if we were Subject to but one  
Power alone and at all times protected by  
by that Power we could and ought to  
make more satisfactory Manifestations  
of Loyalty and good faith than we  
now do or can do

Another reason is that Mr Carr is ever  
ready to shoulder his gun and follow  
the Jayhawkers whenever they Commit  
any Murder or theft and because by his  
untiring Energy and perseverance and  
determination he has become a great  
Vener to them and because he is ever  
ready to put forth his hand

for the relief of the distressed and  
needy and because he leaves a helpless  
and most worthy family unprotected  
and most of all because we believe  
that his accuser in this instance is one  
of the most infamous of Congress  
Members who has gone to New Madrid  
and now pretends good union for  
no other motive than to accomplish  
through the Federal forces what he  
and his Clan dare not undertake  
themselves

Wagon

J. C. Harris  
Joseph Massetto  
R. R. Johnson M. D.  
Sethman Knowles  
David Knowles

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St. Louis Dec 28 '61

Sol Baker  
Pro Mar Kent

Sir: You will pardon me for making the following statements in behalf of two Citizens of Arkansas - Mr Newton J. Rop and Dr Wm M. Carr. I have known Mr Rop for 10 years. done a good deal of trading with him before the war. Mr Rop is regarded by those who know him as a very reliable man. He has remained at home during the rebellion, engaged in farming & ginning cotton for his settlement. I know that he came to St Louis once during last summer



to get a small lot of Family Supplies; he had the approval of the nearest Military Authority, which is evdencing in his favour. I have always heard of him favourably from the Officers whom I knew, who happened to be on duty in that neighborhood.

People living in a country like that in which Mr Ross lives are sometimes compelled to submit to things from the other side which can be construed in to disloyalty, but as our Govt has been very slow in furnishing them protection, we should not condemn if they do something turn a little in order to save their property and

perhaps their lives. As for his having carried the goods to Little Rock I dont believe it.

In Mr Leavys case there is absolutely nothing but credit to himself. In his efforts to kill & drive out the Common Bushwhacking thieving he has incurred the enmity of that Class and it would seem hard that one of Ropes Gangs worst men should be able to win prison leave on his own evidence. These Gentlemen are very willing to have a trial, but as both are in a business where absence from home at this particular time is attended with great loss, and as I firmly believe that if either

Case is carried to a prosecution, it will only result in great expense to the Government and an equal tax to the parties, I respectfully petition in their behalf that you extend the limits of their parole so that they can go home and report by letter, holding themselves in readiness to appear for trial, if it is ever thought proper to investigate their cases.

I am Sir  
Respectfully  
Yours  
Wm. A. Kuyper

Garrett

Do these  
statements conflict  
with the record  
in these cases?

B

No Papers in either of these  
cases - The Prisoner  
Paroled to Courts of Calif.  
to report twice a week.  
I understand the case has  
been referred to the Prison  
at New Mexico  
S. Smith  
(See also Jones)

St Louis Dec 28/86-1

Sir

Allow me to bring before you (Mr  
Rog of Osceola whom I have known for the last year  
a citizen of that place and who is here in trouble, I believe  
him to be a good and loyal citizen he has always proven  
himself as such while I was in command of the U S S  
No 7 or "New Era" He always gave me the best and reliable  
information of the enemy and was always on the lookout  
for bushwhackers and when caught sent in for punishing  
them with death which they done twice to my certain knowledge  
Also Mr W<sup>m</sup> Carr <sup>of whom</sup> I can say the same and that he has  
made himself very conspicuous in going after those  
characters and bringing them to justice. We have a signal  
understood between us whenever we wished to communicate  
etc he has come down the river some ways to give me  
important information. I take pleasure in endorsing  
those gentlemen and recommend them to your special  
attention.

To

Col of C Baker  
Prov Marshal Genl  
St Louis  
Mo

I am very Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant  
Jas Marshall

On Board Ste. Forsythe  
Posfields Point  
April 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

To whom it may concern.

This will make known that I am personally acquainted with the bearer Mr. W. M. Carr of Miss Co. Ark. and that I know him to be loyal to the government of the U. S., and a gentleman every way worthy of trust.

To my certain knowledge Mr Carr has been favorably regarded by Maj. Gen. S. A. Hurlbut and the Military authorities generally, of the 16<sup>th</sup> Army Corps.


(Signed) Rob Griffin  
Capt. Co "H" 52<sup>nd</sup> Ind. Vols  
Formerly Provost Marshal  
St. Pillow Tenn.

Adj. Gen. Dept of the Mo  
Office Pro. Mars. Genl.

St. Louis Mo. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864.

A true Copy  
S. S. Burdett  
Spt. Pro. Mars Genl  
Dept of the Mo

Statement of  
Dr R. B. Cochran  
Case of  
Newton J. Ross

Statement of   
L. A. Knodler  
Case of  
William Mc Carr  
~~1894~~

Russell B. Goshorn

deposes and says

I reside in Miss Co  
Arkansas and am a Physician  
by Profession. I know Newton  
H. Ross - Have known him about  
10 years. He lives at Osceola Miss  
Co. Ark. And is now a prisoner  
in Gratiot street Jail Paris St Louis  
Mo. At the beginning of this War  
He was a Southern Sympathizer  
but I think he is a good Union  
Man now. I have never heard  
that he was connected with smuggling  
or recruiting for the Rebel  
Army. My honest conviction is  
that he has not done anything  
against the U. S. Govt.

This is all I know of this man.

R. B. Goshorn

Sworn to and Subscribed

before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1864

Isaac M. Puth  
Asst. Examr.



Latham A Knowles deposes and says. I reside in Miss Co. Ark. Am personally acquainted with William Mc Carr. Have known him about 6 years. He was appointed captain of a Home Guard company in June or July 1864, for the purpose of putting down "Jay Hawkens" and Horse Thieves. To the best of my knowledge he has not been engaged in conscripting for the Rebel army, but has been bitterly opposed to it. I think he caught three Horse Thieves two of which he turned over to Capt Brown C.S.A. and had them shot. and one to Capt Sampson <sup>C.S.A.</sup> for trial, but who was sworn into the Rebel army.

There were no other authorities there to turn them over to.

To my certain knowledge Carr has not been engaged in Smuggling or anything else against the U.S. Govt. He refused to let Col Clark C.S.A. have teams to ~~car~~<sup>con-</sup>vey those arms from the River to their camp. and kept them from coming to my house for.

teams. Carr had four good teams at that time and I had one.

This is all I know of the case.

I see you a Southern Sympathizer  
I am not. I desire to have the South put down in this War.

L. A. Knowles

Subscribed to and sworn  
before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of 3  
December 1864  
Isaac M. Ruth  
Just. Exam

Deponent desires to state further that  
Mr Bent and Richard <sup>Sup B. 59</sup> West, the two men  
who were instrumental in having Carr  
arrested, proposed to me about the 15<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 1864 and in the presence of Dr.  
Cust Horn, to get a bond filled for  
Carrs release to the Town limits of  
New Madrid - ~~to get~~ <sup>for two hundred dollars</sup>  
or to get him Carr. released without  
bond or parole for five thousand  
dollars. Stating at the same time  
that they was a price on every mans  
heads, <sup>and that this was their price.</sup> to all of which I objected.  
There is a statement in Capt. Edgards office N. Mad.  
made by Lt. Borley & L. M. L. A. Knowles

Statement of  
L. A. Knowles  
Case of  
William M. Carr

Sworn to and Subscribed  
before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of 3  
December 1864  
Isaac M. Ruth  
Just. Exam

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Geo T Mahan  
Statement

In favor of Mrs M Loan  
Newton J Raab

Merge F Mahan

Deputy and says  
I am 38 years old. live in Mississippi Co  
Arkansas. near Ozark.

Now <sup>Mr</sup> Wm. Lane have known him about  
6 years. Never have heard him express  
any disloyal sentiments or known him  
to be guilty of any disloyal actions. Know  
he has not been in the Rebel Army. I  
have lived a neighbor to him since the  
war commenced and know he has remained  
at home all the time.

Q Have you ever heard of his being engaged in  
recruiting or enlisting for the Rebel Army  
or any Bushwhacking band. or have you ever  
known him to do so.

A I have heard it reported he was enlisting  
in that section of country. I have never known  
him to do so. I have questioned him in  
regard to it and he denied it positively.

Q Do you know or have you ever heard of his  
being engaged in any contraband trade or  
smuggling or carrying or sending letters or  
messages to and from the rebel lines.

A I never have.

Q What is his general character or reputation

A It is good. I believe him an honest man.

Q Are you a Loyal Man

A Yes sir.

Q Do you belong to any secret society?

A No sir.

Q Do you know Martin J. Roes?

A Yes Sir I have known him about ten years

Q Is he a loyal man?

A I believe him to be. That is the reputation he bears in that section of Country. I never know him to use disloyal expressions or be guilty of disloyal actions.

Q Have you ever heard of his being engaged in conscripting for the Rebel Army?

A No sir I never have.

Q Do you know or have you ever heard of his being engaged in any contraband trade or smuggling or taking goods or being interested in carrying goods taken to Little Rock and while that place was in the possession of the Rebels or have you ever heard of his carrying or sending messages & letters to and from the Rebel lines.

A No sir I do not nor have not.

Q Have you ever been in the confidence or employ of the Rebel Govt.

A No sir.

Q What is Roes' general character?

A I have never heard it questioned.

I am a Farmer, by occupation.

Sworn to and subscribed } G. G. Mottram  
before me this 30th Dec 1864 }

Geo J. McKee  
notary

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Statement of  
Dr. R. B. Washburn

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Case of Carr

Sworn to and Subscribed  
before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of

December 1861

Wm. M. Smith

Notary Public

Russell B. Cothorn  
deposes and says

I live in  
in Miss. Co. Arkansas. I am a  
Physician by occupation, and  
keep a wood yard on the Miss.  
River. I am personally acquainted  
with William A. Carr who resides  
in Miss. Co. Ark about 1 1/2 miles  
below me <sup>on the River</sup>. I have known him in-  
timately about 3 years. He is now  
a prisoner in Gratiot Street Pris  
St. Louis Mo. On or about the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1864 Carr was appointed  
Capt of a Home Guard Company to  
put down Jayhawkers and thieves  
with the approval of the Federal au-  
thorities on Gen B. No 7. He arrested  
two men <sup>Does not know names</sup> for stealing horses soon  
after his appointment, and turned  
them over to the Rebel authorities  
and had them shot. He then arres-  
ted a man by the name of Thompson  
(a horse thief) and turned him over  
in the same way, and he was  
put into the Rebel army, instead  
of being shot. These men were  
turned over to Col Lyons C.S.A.  
and Col Brown C.S.A. He has

never been engaged in conscripting  
to my knowledge. I know that  
Carr was in pursuit of those  
things at the time those arms  
were crossed over the river, be-  
cause I saw and had conversation  
with him, and he told me he was  
after them and wanted me to go  
with him. I knew nothing of those  
arms before they were crossed. I  
met them in the road after they  
were crossed. This is all I know  
of this affair

Q Are you a Southern Sympathizer

A I am not. I desire to see the South  
put down in this war.

Q Why did Carr turn those men over  
to the Rebel authorities? and where.

A He turned them over at Osceola  
Miss. Co. Miss. because there were no  
Federal authorities there <sup>at that time</sup> to turn  
them over to.

R. B. Goshorn

Statement of  
Dr. R. B. Goshorn

Carr of Carr  
Sworn to and Subscribed }  
before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of }  
December 1864 }  
Isaac M. Ruth  
A. S. Eminent.



Ad

Statement of  
L. A. Knowles

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Case of  
Newton J. Ross

Latharo A. Knowles deposes  
and says. I reside in Miss Co  
Ark. I am a farmer by occupa-  
tion. I have known Newton J  
Ross for about six years. I was  
out on Maumell Prairie, <sup>March 63,</sup> to pur-  
chase cotton and met him, <sup>Ross</sup> then  
he was trying to buy cotton also.  
I do not know that he had any-  
thing else than money to purchase  
cotton with. I do not think he  
has been engaged in Smuggling.

I have always considered him  
a good loyal man. I am very  
certain he has not been engaged  
in recruiting or conscripting for  
the Rebel Army.

Further I know not.

L A Knowles

Sworn to and Subscribed

before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of

December 1864

3 Isaac M. Ruth  
Just. Exam

Mr. Mass

STATEMENT to be made, and forwarded with the prisoner, to be delivered, along with the prisoner, to the Provost Marshal General; and no prisoner shall be sent to St. Louis without this statement duly signed, and accompanied by the EVIDENCE against the prisoner. The transportation of prisoners and guard, sent without both this statement and the evidence, will be charged against the officer sending them.

(Name of the prisoner) William Carr of Mississippi

County, State of Missouri was captured about the 1 day of December, 1864 in Mississippi County, by Capt. Mitchell of U.S. gun.

boat No 59, and is charged with the following offense, namely:

1. Violation of oath of being a recruiting officer  
C. P. A.

The evidence to prove him guilty of said offense accompanies this statement, and is as follows.

(Here briefly state the facts shown by the evidence.)

1. Susan Reed's Evidence (Marked A)
2. Richard West " " ( " B)
3. Barnick Reed's " " ( " C)
4. Thomas Thompsons " " ( " D)
5. His (the accused) statement ( " E)

I received said prisoner from Capt. August W. Curaras, Logans Port of  
Mer. Maria in my official capacity of Asst. Prov. M. & L. D. Co.  
St. Louis about the 6 day of December,  
1864, and send him forward to St. Louis for the following purpose: To be tried by  
Military Commission.

He is sent in charge of

1st Lt. M. W. Capt. Christian Conroy of Camp E  
and leaves this Post on the 18 day of December 1864.

(Signature of the Officer who sends the prisoner.)

Larry Shack  
Asst. Prov. M. & L. D. Co. St. Louis

The evidence sent herewith is the affidavit (or statement) of the following named persons:

- 1/1 App's Exh. evidence marked "A"
- 1 Mrs Susan Reed's evidence marked "B"
- 2 Richard West's " " " " " C"
- 3 Barnick Reed's " " " " " D"
- 4 Thomas Thompsons " " " " " E"
- 5 His (the accused) confession " " " " " F"
- 6 Richard West's - in regard to Barnick Reed & E. Bevel's character " " " " " G"
- 7 E. Bevel's statements corroborating Rich. West's statements " " " " " H"

Residence of Witnesses:

1. Thomas Thompson
2. Barnick Reed
3. Mrs Susan Reed
4. Richard West of Mississippi County Ark. now in New Madrid Co. Mo.

New Madrid County Mo.

Witness in his favor:

- 1 L. A Knowles of Miss. County Ark.
- 2 T. J. Mayhan Miss. " Ark. Pennicott
- 3 Lee Duwall, Paruthersville Pennicott County Mo.

(The blanks below will be filled up, or the printed words erased, according to circumstances.)

Evidence against William Carr a prisoner, sent to St. Louis on  
the 18 day of December 1864 by Dr Henry Ladek  
Asst Prov, Moh. 6 Sub Div, Fed

offr Susan Reed the first witness, states, on oath, as follows: That  
he was a conscripting officer for the Confederates.

, the prisoner, was taken on the 1 day  
day of January 1864 at Cassalberrie Landing in Mississippi  
County, Missouri, by Capt Mitchell of the U.S. gunboat N 59.

~~The prisoner, when captured, was in arms, under the following circumstances:~~

The prisoner when captured was in arms.  
He was armed with 2 revolvers now in  
possession of Capt Mitchell of the U.S  
gunboat 59.

~~The prisoner had been in arms at a previous time, as follows:~~

~~The prisoner belonged to a Rebel band, as follows:~~

The prisoner was acting as a Rebel recruiting officer, or spy, as follows:

for the Confederates, Representing  
in statement V.D. #1011

~~The prisoner aided the rebellion, as follows:~~

The prisoner was guilty;  
~~The prisoner was guilty of other offenses, as follows:~~ of Violation of oath  
having been engaged in conscripting  
for the Confederates & apprehending  
their deserters & for the benefit of  
the Confederates, after he took the  
oath of allegiance twice.

Clark - for

with copies of

W. M. Carr

John A. Carr

revised & passed

Jan 1868

Gannett

Papers changed to your journal  
marked "Records" on books  
of this office

Clark

Office Asst. Surg. Genl. & Adjt. Genl.,  
New Madrid Mo January 7. 1865,

Col. J. L. Baker, Provost March, General  
Colonel.

In obedience to your order  
concerning Geo. W. Thinn's letter sent to me  
Dec 29, <sup>1864</sup> & received by me Jan 2. 1865, in regard  
to Wm M Harris' case, I forward the following  
additional evidence & corroborating testimony of:  
1 Amos Barnes - marked A,  
2 Lick. Wests corroborating testimony marked F,  
3 E. Bevels - testimony marked G.

In regard to the reliability of witnesses  
vs Wm Marr. I must state that it is  
very difficult to find an able bodied man  
in Arkansas who did not aid the rebellion  
either voluntarily or from compulsion

I am Colonel

Your obedient servant,  
Henry Stadel  
Adj. Genl. & Asst. Surg. Genl.,  
New Madrid



Adj. Gen. Dept of the U.S.  
Office of Prov. Mar. Gen.  
Saint Louis, Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 64

Respectfully forwarded  
with the request that the  
desired papers be fur-  
nished this Office as  
soon as possible.

J. H. Baker  
Adj. Gen. Prov. Mar. Gen.  
Dept of the U.S.

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Head Quarters Dept of the W.  
Office of Prov. Mar. Genl.  
Saint Louis, December 29<sup>th</sup> 64.

Sir:

The papers in the case of Wm. W. Carr are hereby returned. The statements must be got up in a different shape as they are altogether taken together. From this fact alone, doubt may easily be entertained that the statements are not reliable. You are therefore directed to have these statements taken over again, and forward them to this Office as soon as possible. You are furthermore requested to inform this Office in regard to the reliability and loyalty of the witnesses, as Carr accuses the witnesses of being rebels. Give this your earliest attention.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt

Lt. Henry Sladeck  
Asst. Prov. Mar.  
New Madrid Mo.

G. W. Skinn  
Chief of Bureau

Statement ✓  
of  
Patrick Reed  
~~William~~  
~~James~~  
W. M. Carr,  
Consent Officer  
C.I.A.

C.

Off From Mr. [unclear]  
New Madrid December 3, 1864

Statement of  
Parnick Reed of Mississippi  
My name is Parnick Reed I live in  
Miss. About the time Col Erwin's  
men was in our county about a week before  
the battle of Elk ~~Chute~~ <sup>Lake</sup> Col Erwin conscrip-  
ted ~~Mr. Larr~~ <sup>Mr. Larr</sup> & gave him permission to conscript  
a company. Mr Larr went through the country  
swore in every man from 18 to 45 some  
men objected to Mr Larr swearing them in  
he drew on them, one particularly objected  
to his swearing them in, his name is Oliver Thomp-  
son in the time he came to me with 20 of Col  
Erwin's men, they swore me in & it was a  
few days before the fight which broke it up  
for about 2 weeks, he stated when he swore  
me in that he is a conscript & that every  
god damn man in the county will have to  
go. Few days after that, I understood he  
turned his men over to Lt. Sawyer & that  
himself stays at home. Parnick Reed  
Sworn to & subscribed before me this the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of December 1864

Henry Ladd  
Lt. Col. [unclear]  
(Sub. [unclear])

Statement of  
E. Bevel of  
Miss Lucy Cross  
vs.

W. Mass. &  
in favor of  
Rich West, Larnick  
Reed & Sarah Reed

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Office Prov. Marshal, Galathea District, Fla.,  
New Madrid January 3, 1865.

Personally appeared before me duly commissioned  
and qualified as a special Provost Marshal within  
and for the Galathea District, Edw. E. Bevel of law,  
full age, who being first duly sworn accord-  
ing to law says as follows:

I know Wm. G. Gorr of Mississippi County,  
Arkansas I know him for the last 4 years  
I know that all Union <sup>men</sup> of my neighborhood  
call him & consider him to be a seceder. I met  
him on gunboat No. 59, Nov 29, 1864. In the above  
named Wm Gorr did see a Federal scouting party  
start & inquired of me where they were going.  
I told him "to Chickasawba after some guns".  
He replied, "they would not find them there".  
"that if they asked him he would tell them  
(the Federals) where the guns was", "that  
they were at Big Lake, that he did see  
them on the road to Big Lake".

After the return of the Federal scouting par-  
ty, I told him how many pistols & guns  
have been destroyed by the Federal scouting  
party. he said that that number destroyed  
was not all that was sent this way across the  
river, that about 150 <sup>more</sup> pistols came across  
the river that was not destroyed. - - -

I know Fairbank Reed of Mississippi County,  
Arkansas; he is & always has been an  
honorable Union man. I know Susan Reed  
his wife, she is to be believed on oath, she  
is a good & very respectable woman. I know  
also Richard West & I know him to have  
been & to be a Union man.

E Bevel  
/ . 1

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day  
of ~~January~~ 1865.

Henry Slade  
S<sup>er</sup>geant Major  
6<sup>th</sup> Ind<sup>pt</sup> Fed<sup>l</sup>  
Office Post & Sub. Dept.  
New Madrid Jan 3 1865.

I the undersigned certify herewith that  
the within named E. Bevel was recommended  
to me by W. S. officers as a Union man.

Henry Slade  
S<sup>er</sup>geant Major  
6<sup>th</sup> Ind<sup>pt</sup> Fed<sup>l</sup>

Statement of  
Thomas Thompson

against  
W. M. Taylor.  
~~William Jones~~

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of Mississippi &  
Arkans.

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Office For. Mast. 6 Ind. Dist. <sup>1864</sup>

New Madrid Decemb. 18. 1864

Statement of Thomas Thompson  
My name is Thomas Thompson I used to  
live in Chickasawba settlement, Mississippi  
Arkansas. I know and recognize Mr.  
~~William~~ Carr of Mississippi county Ar.  
Kansas he lived on Bearfield's point, Miss.  
County Ark. — I left or deserted Kitchens Re-  
giment, which was following Price into Mis-  
souri in his last raid of 1864, about 25 miles  
West of Bloomfield Mo. & went back to  
Chickasawba and from there to Haud No 21  
I was caught there by the above named  
~~William~~ Carr and four of his men, they  
knew I was a deserter from the rebels and  
was waiting <sup>for</sup> my wife there with the in-  
tention to go north. Mr. William Carr and  
4 of his men (stated above) carried me back  
to Osceola as a rebel deserter. They (Mr.  
W. Carr and his men) kept me under guard  
for 2 or 3 days, and Mr. William Carr gave  
me a furlough or pass to stay at home on  
Chickasawba till ~~my command~~ <sup>he would</sup>  
be able to deliver me to  
Lyle's command, which was expected <sup>every day</sup> to  
come to Osceola. — under penalty to be shot  
if caught outside of the limits. — He was  
at that time acting as a Confederate officer,  
and recruiting officer. — Mr. William Carr  
of the above named regiment told me he  
received commission in Summer 1864, from

Sergeant Erwin C.S.A., to raise a company  
for the confederates. He got about 20 or 30  
men & those men conscripted by the  
above named W. W. Carr of Miss County  
Arkansas was turned over to Lt. Wm  
Lawyers C.S.A., Captain of Comp. B.  
23 Arkansas Regiment. The above named  
W. W. Carr claimed several times in my  
presence to be a secesh. & he said few  
days ago he is a secesh.

Thomas Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this the 18. day of December 864,

Henry Slade  
Notary Public  
to wit: J. L. D.

Amos Brown's  
your name  
By  
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Office Provost Marshal & Sub. Secy.  
New Madrid Decr January 2, 1864.  
Statement of Amos Burns.

Personally appeared before me a duly com-  
missioned & qualified Asst. Prov. Marshal within  
& for the 6th Sub Dist. Saint Louis Dist. M<sup>r</sup>. Amos  
Burns of Mississippi County Arkansas whose  
intention it is to stay in New Madrid County M<sup>r</sup>.  
being of lawful age, who being first duly sworn  
according to law says as follows:

I know W. W. Carr of Mississippi County  
Arkansas & know him before the rebellion broke  
out I know he was a hero one of the stron-  
gest secret of Mississippi County Arkansas.  
The above named W. W. Carr of Mississippi  
County Arkansas was last fall 1864 enrolling rebel  
officer for the rebels. He came to me on or about  
the first day of September 1864, & told me that  
everybody would have to go into the rebel Army  
or to leave the country & told me & ordered me to  
report the next day at DeFord's Storehouse  
Mississippi County Arkansas for enrollment.  
He said he was going into it & he is now conscrip-  
ting for the southern army. he said he made  
a sacrifice & that he is going into the army  
& that every one would have to go -

I had to leave Mississippi County Arkansas  
I am on way to Metropolis Illinois to stay there  
with my family & he

Amos Burns  
by Frank A. [unclear]  
Spoken to & subscribed before me this 2nd day of  
January 1865. Frank A. [unclear]  
Sub. Secy.

Office of the Prov. Marshal, N. H.  
Newmarket, N. H., January 3, 1865

I herewith certify that Mr. A. B. Baine  
is a loyal & reliable man to my knowledge.

Henry Stedek  
Prov. Marshal, N. H.

Amos Baine  
New Market  
N. H.

W. M. Carr

✓ Statement

Richard West

~~William West~~  
again

W. M. Carr.

(B)

Office of the U.S. Marshal, (Sub. P. Fed.)  
New Orleans Dec 3, 1864

Statement of Richard West.

My name is Richard West, I am living in the  
Mississippi County Ark. I know H. <sup>W. Garrison</sup> ~~W. Garrison~~ and I know  
him to be a rascal who got all the men  
into the rebel service he possibly could  
I don't know whether he took the oath of alle-  
giance or not. When they voted to decide  
whether the State of Ark would have to go  
out of the Union or not he abused got many  
Union people.

Richard West

Sworn to & subscribed before me  
the 3 day of December 1864

Henry G. Gadsden  
U.S. Marshal  
New Orleans, La.

~~Richard West~~

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~~Dec 16/64~~

~~Baran Jahm~~

Green Jahm

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Headquarters Military District of Washington,

PROVOST MARCHAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON:

You will receive and confine in the prison under your charge,  
until further orders the person of *John Green* and  
*John Green*

Under sentence of J. C. M.

By order of T. INGRAHAM,

Colonel and Provost Marshal.

*W. H. Sharp*  
Adjutant.

1864  
Office of Gen. M. D. D.  
Johnsonville Fla  
Dec. 5, 64

Johnson Capt. J. W.  
forwards statement  
of W. Heywood. (Enc'd)

C. Heywood

Office of the Major Dept Fla.

Jacksonville Fla. Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Statement of Washington Heywood. He gave his name as Somersy to Genl Miles at Fernandina through mistake. I lived about 25 miles from Lake City, north, Columbus Co. Fla. belonged to William Somersal. about 7 weeks ago the Govt took me away to repair the rail road between St Marys, Chattahoochee & Baldwin after that was finished I was taken to Callahan to take up the R.R. to make the Live Oak R.R. between Quitman & the Savannah R.R. I left there about two weeks ago last Saturday night. arrived at Fernandina a week ago last Saturday night. James Callahan was crosser over me 7 weeks and I think he is a strong secession from what he has said to me.

Washington<sup>king</sup> Heywood  
~~mark~~

J. D. Johnson  
Capt - 3 U.S.C.S.  
Prov Mar D. of F.

Witness  
Th. H. Rice  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt. of Art. Regt. Fla.  
Dept Fla.

1865

Office of the Clerk  
Dist of the District of Columbia  
Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

The Sale is

Approved

J. P. Mohr  
Capt & P. M.  
Deputy Marshal

Witness

Know all men by these presents  
That I Washington Stroble for and in considera-  
tion of Forty five Dollars to me in hand paid  
by Hustus Falany, Have bargained and sold  
and by the presents do bargain and sell unto the  
said Hustus Falany the following property  
to wit: one Bay gelding horse fourteen hands  
high, about Eight years of age, I do  
Have and I do hold said bargained  
sold property unto the <sup>said</sup> Hustus Falany  
and to his heirs and assigns forever

Witness My hand and seal  
The nineteenth day of Dec 1864

Attest  
J. N. Price,

W. Stroble

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Office of the Auditor  
City of Jackson, Miss.  
Dec 19, 1864

Statement of Col  
Livingston, in  
reply to Mrs H  
Anderson.

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Livingston

Office of U. S. Dist. Ct. Fla.  
Jacksonville Fla. Dec 10/64

Statement of Calvin Livingston, concern-  
ing Miss Henderson & Padgett. It was  
reported to me, that they told a man  
who lives at John V Hartley's that a  
deserter put them across. I asked  
John V. Hartley what they said to him  
if they told him who put them across,  
he not a paused, and says he not  
particular, and I didn't consider it any  
of my business and I never queried  
them, says I do not know whether the  
boat that has brought them across  
has been taken back or not. He said  
he thought not. I think they will wait  
to take them back.

Calvin Livingston  
<sup>his</sup>  
<sub>mark</sub>

Witness

W. H. Lee  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt & Capt U. S. Dist. Ct. Fla.





Head Quarters Fort

New Madrid Mo

December 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864.

General:

I would respectfully inform you, that two Men by the name of Philip Kopp and R. Bailey Loyal and reliable Citizens of New Madrid County Mo., while piloting a Raft of sawed Lumber, from this Point down the Mississippi River, were fired into by Rebel Soldiers or Guerrillas, near Carnes Landing and taken Prisoner on or about the 10<sup>th</sup> of August, 1864. The said Kopp and Bailey are held since in Confinement, by the Rebels, the Place where confined, I could not learn, but probable, in Arkansas or Texas.

General I would respectfully recommend said Kopp & Bailey, to your Consideration, and trust and believe, if ascertained the whereabouts of the Prisoners, mentioned, and a Release or Exchange could be effected, you will not hesitate. The Families of the two named Men are Starved and in a most helpless Condition and would feel themselves under many Obligations if they should succeed in getting back their captives.

Rapp has got a Son under your Command  
serving in the 1<sup>st</sup> Mo. Cav. Vol.

I am Very Respectfully  
your obedient and most humble

Servant

J. P. H. H. H.

1<sup>st</sup> Supt. Co. 1<sup>st</sup> Inf. Mo. S. B.

Post Dept.

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Maj. Gen. F. Steele  
County Dept of Arkansas  
Little Rock Ark.

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Inducab, Ky. Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

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Chapman E. S.  
Capt and Pro. Mar  
Dist. W. Ky

Transmits report of Permits  
granted for week ending  
Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Office of District Postoffice Marshal,

Paducah, Ky. December 18 1864.

Capt. J. Bates Dixon  
Capt. Adj. Genl. M. D. Key,  
Lexington Ky.

Sir

I have the honor to transmit  
you herewith enclosed Report of Permits  
Granted at Dist Headquarters for  
the week ending December 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

I am Capt

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

E. Chapman,

Capt & Pro. Marshal  
Dist. West. Ky.

# Report of Permits Granted for the week ending December 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Date	Names	Class	Amt Permitted from		Permitted to
			\$		
Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	J. W. Fadden	Dry Goods	188		Cairo Ill Columbus Ky
" "	G. Zimmerb	Leather	578	75	" " " "
" "	Henry Burton	Groceries	900		" " " "
" "	A. Van Rieder	Leather	400		Cincinnati Ohio " "
" "	Kniger & Arroy	Hardware	800		Evansville Ind " "
" "	Moore & Colter	Groceries	2,300		Cairo Ill " "
" 12 <sup>th</sup>	W. D. Scalz	"	3,000		" " " "
" "	Maure Wagoner & Co	Dry Goods	4,000		Cinn Ohio " "
" "	B. F. Kelly & Co	Hardware	200		" " Paducah "
" "	W. Weil & Bro	Dry Goods	4,500		" " " "
" "	Winders & Winston	Ropes & Bagging	1,049	07	St Louis Mo Columbus "
" 13 <sup>th</sup>	J. Lawrence	Jewelry	191	67	Cairo Ill " "
" "	Hammer & Saub	Groceries	300		" " " "
" "	J. Beadles & Co	Goods not contrab	2,000		St Louis Mo " "
" "	Jno Kassamer	Buildy material	182		Cairo Ill " "
" "	Geo Stiltman	Dry Goods	—	—	" " " "
" "	Simon Holt	"	—	—	" " " "
" "	J. Lawrence	Fancy articles	38	85	" " " "
" "	Ferry Adams	Groceries	400	—	Cinn Ohio Paducah "
" "	Beadles & Bodger	Dry Goods	2,700		" " " "
" "	Scott Laurie	Hardware	40		Louisville Ky " "
" "	W. D. Robertson	Wool Cards &c	231	75	Cairo Ill Ballard's Ill
" "	John Dickens	Buildy material	600		Evansville Ind Smithland Ky
" "	John Rock	Boots & Shoes	1,000		Cinn Ohio Paducah "
" 14 <sup>th</sup>	H. Trideau & Co	Cotton Cards	36		Cairo Ill " "
" "	H. Hansbro	Dry Goods	7,000		Cinn Ohio " "
" "	Kane & Simmons	Groceries	600		" " " "
" "	W. M. Nolan & Co	Hardware	400		" " " "
" "	C. C. Collins	Tar	100		Evansville Ind " "

Date	Names	Class	Amt	Permitted from	Permitted to
Dec 5/64	F Nagle	Groceries	791 25	Cairo Ill	Columbus Ky
" " "	Francis Miller	"	400	" "	" "
" " "	Chas B Shrop	Liquors	500	Frankfort Ky	" "
" " "	A Dickens & Co	Merchandise	10000	Cincinnati Ohio	" "
" " "	Hellers & Subler	"Goods"	1000	Cairo Ill	" "
" " "	J H Davis	Dry Goods	1500	" "	" "
" " "	O C Stoner	Groceries	800	" "	" "
" " "	Black & Co	Stationery	1000	" "	Paducah "
" " "	Smith Johnson & Co	Butter	500	Cincinnati Ohio	" "
" " "	J F Kelly & Co	Groceries	200	Wheeling Va	" "
" 16 "	J Lillard Jr	One Skiff	20	Seaman's End	" "
" " "	Bradshaw & Pinyon	Medicines	156 70	Evansville "	" "
" " "	Morton Walker	Dry Goods	3290	Cincinnati Ohio	Columbus "
" " "	Scott Lammie	Hardware	350	" "	Paducah "
" " "	Wm Egn Leard	Clothing	11	Paducah Ky	Camp Morton Ind
" " "	Hansen & Smith	Groceries	3000	Louisville	Paducah Ky
" " "	J B Walker & Co	Merchandise	14000	Cassville	" "
" 17 "	Geo Beeler	Groceries	1000	Cincinnati Ohio	Columbus "
" " "	Henry Adams	Pen & Whisky	800	Louisville Ky	Paducah "
" " "	L E Cressap	Dry Goods	500	Paducah	Clinton Ky

E. L. Chapman  
 Capt. Pro. Marshal  
 Dist. West. Ky

Barracks No 1

Famille of Dieppe

Magander Alex

Maj Carriandg

Sends you West Harvey &  
Care also mitraps in their  
cases Shannon and fields

The principle mitrap is Serge  
Kipler of your Office

Cits

BARRACKS NO. 1,  
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky, Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt Pompelley

I send you West, Harvey &  
Care. also witnesses in their cases and Mr  
Shray & Field the principal witness against  
West is sergt Kessler of your Office

Yours Respectfully

Alex Magruder

Forward

May. Candy

1<sup>st</sup> Lieut & Adjut



Commonwealth

vs 3 Robbery

Robert Sisk & others  
City

A true Bill

Thos H Henley

foreman Grand Jury

1864 Nov 26 Returned  
by Grand Jury. Bail  
indid. B. W. Ord to issue  
& filed

a copy att

of Mr Comptroller

See for copy &c

Louisville Kentucky

Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1865:

Respectfully referred to St. Peter  
Caves P. M. S. W. Ky. as throwing  
some light upon the case of  
Isiah Hunt's ownership (as  
it is understood) since quoted  
as Livington

Stephen E. Jones.

Esq. & Co. W. Va.

Hopkins Circuit Court

The Commonwealth of Kentucky

against

W. J. Mitchell, James Vance William C. Southard  
Josiah Howell, Robert Sisk and George Kington

The Grand Jury of Hopkins County in the name  
and by the authority of the Commonwealth of Kentucky  
accuse W. J. Mitchell, James Vance William C.  
Southard, Josiah Howell, Robert Sisk and George  
Kington, of the crime of Robbery, committed as  
follows to-wit: The said W. J. Mitchell, James Vance  
William C. Southard, Josiah Howell Robert Sisk and  
George Kington on the 4th day of April 1865 in the  
County aforesaid feloniously took and carried away  
two hundred and eight dollars in gold, of various  
denominations & amount, also United States Treas-  
ury notes, the personal property of Nedham Bailey  
and in his presence and against his will by putting  
him in fear of some immediate injury to his  
person, against the peace and dignity of the  
Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Information by  
Nedham Bailey  
Eliza Bailey  
Mrs Bailey  
George Oldham

John Barrett  
Commonwealth's Attorney 14th  
Judicial District

The above with the indorsements hereon are a  
copy of the Original on file in my office

Attest

James M. Compton Clerk  
Hopkins Circuit Court

Bail is fixed on this indictment at \$500 each

W. P. Hodler  
Judge

Copy att  
J. W. Compton att

Madisonville Decr 26th 1864

Capt Stephen E. Jones, Sir - Inclosed please find a copy of  
Indict. v Robt Galt, Josiah Howell & al, owing to the delay  
of our mails, caused by the late raid of Gen Lyon who passed  
our place and burnt the Courthouse on the 18th Inst. of which  
you have doubtless learned ere you receive this, Gen Lyon's favor  
did not reach me till the 24th Inst and I send as you  
request a copy of Indict by the 1st Mail. It is proper to  
state that Howell was at our May Term 1863, Indicted  
for Robbery and also for conspiracy, but those Indictments  
were taken by Gen Lyon on his first trip through this  
place and burnt and this one was presented at

our late Nov Dem for the same office, Hoping  
that no inconvenience has occurred by the delay of  
receiving your favor and that this will arrive in  
due time for your purposes I am Truly

Yours Obedt Servt  
James M. Compton

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Office of the Judge Advocate  
Cincinnati O.

Dec 19 2. ~~Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 1864~~

Bond L. V.

Gr. U. S. Vol's & Apt Judge Advocate

Forwards Subpoenas for E. R. Wood  
and Samuel A. Turner and  
requests that they be found if  
possible and enforced to attend  
as witnesses in a very important  
case to the Government.

(Two Enclosures)

W. T. S.



Office Assistant Judge Advocate,  
NORTHERN DEPARTMENT.

Cincinnati,  
Columbus, O., Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>, 1864.

Commanding Officer,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Sir:— I have the honor to transmit  
inclosed two subpoenas for witnesses in a case  
of the greatest importance to the Government.  
The witnesses were formerly Steamboat Captains.  
Newell was on the steamer "Lycoon", but is  
not on the river now I believe. Please ad-  
vise <sup>me</sup> of the result of your inquiry for these  
men and if possible enforce their attendance.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt  
SAMUEL L. H. & VOIS <sup>Am</sup>

Asst Judge Advocate N. D.



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Room of General Court Martial,

Cincinnati

Columbus, Ohio, December 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

To Samuel H. Turner Little Rock Ark

You are hereby notified to appear ~~on the forthcoming day~~  
of ..... 186..., at ~~10 o'clock P.M.~~, before a General  
Court Martial now in session at <sup>Cincinnati</sup> Columbus, Ohio, (convened by Special  
Orders, No. 212, Head Quarters, Northern Department,) there to  
give testimony and the truth to say, touching a certain complaint made on  
behalf of the United States, vs. Capt. Chas. W. Seymour U.S.A.  
and hereof fail not.

G. C. M. Judge Advocate G. C. M.

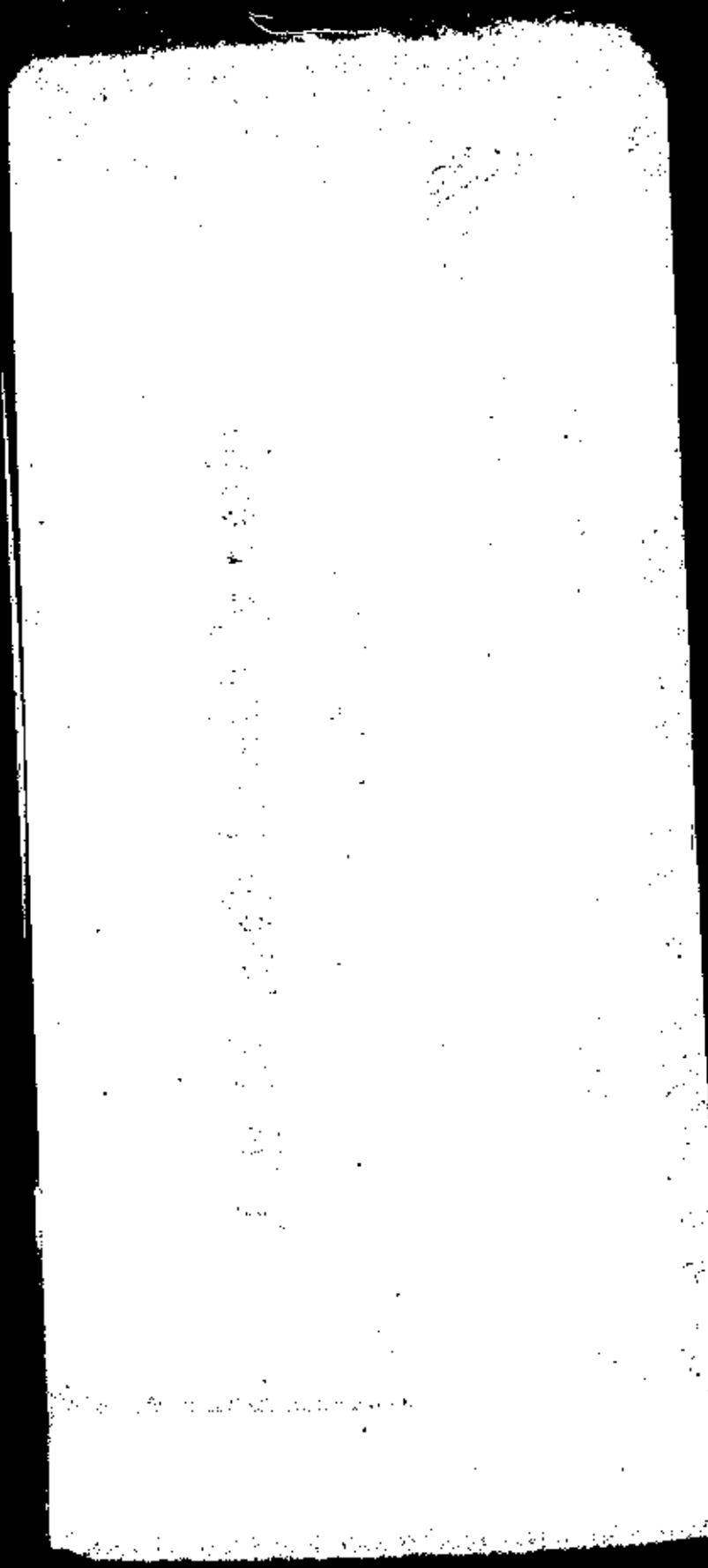
Judge Advocate G. C. M.

Room of General Court Martial,

Columbus, Ohio, ..... 186...

I Certify, that ..... was  
subpoenaed by me as a witness, from .....  
before a General Court Martial, convened at Columbus, Ohio, by Special  
Orders, No. ...., Head Quarters, Northern Department, Columbus,  
Ohio, ..... 186..., and that the said .....  
has been in attendance on the General Court  
Martial, ..... days, as a witness, from the ..... day  
of ..... 186..., until the ..... day of ..... 186...  
both days inclusive.

Judge Advocate G. C. M.



Room of General Court Martial,

Cincinnati

Columbus, Ohio, December 7<sup>th</sup> 1864

To E. R. Hart Little Rock Ark

You are hereby notified to appear on the forthwith day of ..... 1864, at ..... before a General Court Martial now in session at Cincinnati, Ohio, (convened by Special Orders, No. ... 212, Head Quarters, Northern Department,) there to give testimony and the truth to say, touching a certain complaint made on behalf of the United States, vs. Capt. Chat. N. Symmes et al., and hereof fail not.

L. M. Bond, Lieut. U. S. Vols and

Judge Advocate G. C. M.

Room of General Court Martial,

Columbus, Ohio,

186

I Certify, that ..... was subpoenaed by me as a witness, from ..... before a General Court Martial, convened at Columbus, Ohio, by Special Orders, No. ...., Head Quarters, Northern Department, Columbus, Ohio, ..... 1864, and that the said ..... has been in attendance on the General Court Martial, ..... days, as a witness, from the ..... day of ..... 1864, until the ..... day of ..... 1864, both days inclusive.

Judge Advocate G. C. M.

J. 398 - <sup>13570</sup> D.O. Vol 2/4  
Wicksburg, Miss. Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Invoice. Wicksburg, Miss. & Wicksburg, Ark.  
Maj. Gen. Dana. Comd'g  
by Lt. Col. J. H. Starnes, U.S.A.  
(1 Enclosure).

Returns permission for Mrs  
Bettie Bailey and Mrs Elisabeth  
Smith, to proceed South and  
inform Gen. Burbridge, that the  
ladies remaining under it have  
been returned to Cairo, the  
lives being closed by order of  
Comd'g General. Will. H. T. of  
Wicksburg.

W.H.T.

Recd D.O. Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864

Head Quarters C. O.  
Louisville, Ky, Dec 15<sup>th</sup>

Respectfully transmitted to Comd  
General, Mil. Dist of Ky.

By command of  
J. Maj. Gen. Sherman  
G. M. Barcom  
Lieut. Col. U. S. A.

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file.

Head Quarters,  
Districts West Tennessee <sup>and</sup> Vicksburg,  
Vicksburg Miss. Dec. 3, 1864.

Brig. Maj. Genl. S. H. Burbridge,  
Com'dg. District of Kentucky,  
Louisville Kentucky,  
Thro the Ad. Ins. Dept. of the Ohio,  
General,

I am directed by Maj. Genl. Dana, Com'dg. Districts, to inform you that the two women arriving under the enclosed papers have to day been ordered back to Cairo, and that under the General Orders from the Head Quarters Military Division West Mississippi, his Lines are closed.

I have the Honor to be General,

Very respectfully

Your obt. Servt,

T. H. Harris,  
Lieut. Col. A. A. G.

24  
Sick Courts Dist of Ky  
Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Permission is given  
to the ten other ladies  
to go south and not  
to return during the  
war. The commander  
aticksburg will  
please see that they are  
put through our lines.

S. S. Burbridge  
Comm Dist of Ky  
Lieut J. Gray  
A. D. C.



Nov 1864

I take pleasure in  
indicating Mr J. Smith  
as a sound and legal  
man

Mundy

City

F. 398 - 10.10.1864  
/04

Lancaster Nov 2<sup>d</sup> 1864  
Mr General Burbridge  
Dear Sir

I with a pass for  
my wife & child to  
go south to her  
husband she has  
been at my house  
ever since last January  
she came from her  
native place in Can  
County & now wishes  
to return to her hus  
band Mr. S. Bailey  
Her name is Betty  
Bailey also went for  
Mrs Elizabeth Smith  
and three children  
3 in number the oldest  
is some eight years of  
age also three boys  
These Ladies are very

Anxious to return to  
those husbands  
Mrs Smith has never  
been South Mrs Bailey  
came home under  
a flag of Truce  
and now wishes to  
return the Recruit  
Mr Frost will present  
this to you when  
you will confer  
a favor as well  
a pleasure as  
your humble servant  
G. Gornett

Green 18071. D.

December 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

GRIER, Wm. C.

Capt. and Pro. Mar. 9th Dist. of Ky.

Mentioned names of citizens of  
Vanceburg to whom permits were  
granted by him.

etc

Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1864. 200 of 1864

U.S. Marshal's Office, Ninth District,  
STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Cincinnati, Ky., Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Brother May Genl Embury  
Lexington Ky

Sir:

In Answer to your  
communication of the 24<sup>th</sup> inst. I have the honor to  
state that I have never granted permits to but two  
of the persons named by the Board of Trade at  
Vanceburg, they were, <sup>for</sup> G. W. Ince and W. R. Strickland  
and they have expired by limitation, as have all  
permits granted by me the few days I acted in  
the capacity of permit Agent

I am Very Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant  
Wm. S. Grier  
Capt. 1<sup>st</sup> Reg. Min.  
9<sup>th</sup> Dist of Ky.

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Paducah Ky, Dec 21/64

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City

Chapman C. S. Capt  
and Ins. War Dist W. Ky.

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Transmits weekly reports  
of permits granted from  
these Head Quarters.

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Recd. W. H. H. Co. Dec. 21. 64

Office of District Postmaster,

Paducah, Ky. December 4<sup>th</sup> 1864.

J. Bates Dixon  
Capt. <sup>and</sup> Adj. Genl.  
Lexington Ky.

Sir

I have the honor to transmit you  
herewith enclosed the Weekly Report of  
Permits granted from Dist. Head Quarters.  
I am Capt

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servant  
A. Chapman  
Capt <sup>and</sup> Pres. Man  
Dist. West. Ky.  
Per W. B. Burges  
W. B.

Weekly report of Permits granted for the week ending Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Date	Name	Class	Amt	Permitted to	Permitted from
Nov 28	Frank Wilcox	Photograph Materials	\$175.00	Madison, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
" "	J. F. Harris	Angl. Ampells	\$200.00	Paducah, Ky.	Louisville, Ky.
" "	" " "	Grocery	\$300.00	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	Scott Laurio	Hardware	\$200.00	" " "	" " "
" "	W <sup>ms</sup> Richards	Tobacco	\$1500.00	" " "	Donatham, Ky.
" "	L. S. Trumble	Grocery	\$2500.00	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	A. L. Shotwell	Powder	\$350.00	Union, Co. Ky.	Cairo, Ill.
" "	L. S. Dennis	Cane	\$100.00	Hardin, Co. Ill.	Priest Ldg, Ky.
" "	D. H. Hawkins	Grocery	\$1000.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
" "	G. Repetes	Soap	\$60.00	" " "	Cairo Ill.
" "	" " "	Oil &c	\$150.00	" " "	Saint, Louis, Mo.
" "	William Rodgers	Grocery	\$400.00	McLeakin, <sup>Co</sup> Ky.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	Morton & Walker	Dry Goods	\$15,300.00	Columbus, Ky.	Cincinnati, O.
			\$34,735		
Nov. 29	A. M. Biggs	Grocery	\$430.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
" "	" " "	Flour	\$200.00	" " "	Metropolis, Ill.
" "	Mrs. B. Lehrer	Boots & shoes	\$500.00	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	R. W. Bloom	Leigars, &c.	\$1,500.00	" " "	" " "
" "	E. Rehkoff	Leather &c	\$200.00	" " "	Evansville, Ia.
" "	George Everett	Confectionary	\$1,500.00	" " "	" " "
" "	Ashbrook Ryan & Co.	Coffee &c.	\$7,000.00	" " "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	" " "	Lard &c.	\$375.00	" " "	" " "



"	"	Mrs. B. Dehner	Hats + Shoes	\$500.00	"	"	Cincinnati, O.
"	"	R. W. Bloom	Cigars, &c.	\$1,500.00	"	"	" " "
"	"	E. Rehkoff	Leather &c	\$200.00	"	"	Evansville, Ind.
"	"	George Everett	Confectionary	\$1,500.00	"	"	" " "
"	"	Ashbrook Ryan & Co.	Coffee &c.	\$7,000.00	"	"	Cincinnati, O.
"	"	" " "	Lard &c.	\$375.00	"	"	" " "
"	"	L. Petter	Furniture	\$150.00	"	"	Evansville, Ind.
"	"	George Bolen	Shot, Gun	\$15.00	McCrackin Co	Ky	Paducah, Ky.
"	"	George Evans	Grocery	400.00	Paducah, Ky.		Cincinnati, O.
				\$15,870.			

Nov. 30	"	H. H. Jones	Leather	\$26.00	Fort Donnalum <sup>Ind</sup>		Paducah, Ky.
"	"	J. Bodenheimer	Coal Oil &c	\$800.00	Paducah, Ky.		Cincinnati, O.
"	"	J. H. Ryan & Co.	Whiskey &c	\$500.00	"	"	Evansville, Ind.
"	"	L. S. Wilson & Co.	Baggy & Hubs	\$130.00	"	"	Saint Louis, Mo
"	"	Byrd & Anderson	Grocery	\$1,000.00	"	"	Cincinnati, O.
				\$2,456.			

Dec 1st	"	Smith Johnson & Co.	Grocery	\$2,500.00	Paducah, Ky.		Cincinnati, O.
"	"	Park & McCrackin	Merchandise	\$1,000.00	Columbus, Ky.		Saint Louis, Mo
"	"	" " "	" " "	\$3,000.00	"	"	" " "
"	"	Key Parkey	Corn	\$200.00	Paducah, Ky.		Evansville, Ind.
"	"	H. G. Crockett	Dry Goods	\$29.45	Carroll Co Tenn		Paducah, Ky.
"	"	H. M. Starks & Co.	Leather &c	\$1,500.00	Paducah, Ky.		Cincinnati, O.
"	"	Starks & Co. & Co.	Dry Goods	\$10,000.00	"	"	" " "
"	"	J. F. Mars	Cottons & H	\$17,100.00	Cairo, Ill.		Hickman, Ky.
"	"	Chas. A. Rieck	Dry Goods &c	\$2,000.00	Columbus, Ky.		Cincinnati, O.
"	"	J. Madgen	Tobacco	200.00	Edgemoor, Ind.		New York
"	"	Smith Johnson & Co.	Salt	\$300.00	Paducah, Ky.		Evansville, Ind.
"	"	A. B. Kinkead	Drugs & Meds.	\$250.00	"	"	" " "

"	"	J. F. Mars.	Collins 38 H	\$17,100.00	Cairo, Ills.	Hickman, Ky.
"	"	Chas. H. Rieke	Dry Goods &c	\$2,000.00	Columbus, Ky.	Cincinnati, O.
"	"	J. M. Edgen	Tobacco	2,000.00	Edgemoor, Ky.	New York.
"	"	Smith Johnson	Salt.	\$300.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
"	"	A. B. Kenhead	Alms & Meds.	\$250.00	"	"
"	"	J. A. Inrentino	Clothing	\$35.00	Point Lookout, Md	Smithland, Ky.
"	"	L. Petter	Furniture	\$200.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
				\$43,114.45		
Dec 29		Bridgman & Poyser	Alms	\$8.60	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
"	"	J. H. Kackell	Cigars &c	\$400.00	"	Cincinnati, O.
"	"	Ray & Zimmerman	Dry Goods &c	\$8,000.00	"	"
"	"	W. G. Crank	Rope &c	\$1,100.00	Hibron Co. Ky.	Paducah, Ky.
"	"	E. B. Jones & Co.	Clothing	\$2,000.00	Paducah, Ky.	Cairo, Ills.
"	"	H. Thibault	Lard	\$400.00	"	Louisville, Ky.
"	"	Coir Dinant	Clothing	\$150.00	Rock Island Ills	Paducah, Ky.
"	"	E. Rehkoff	Saddlery	\$100.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
"	"	W. H. Parker	Furniture &c	\$500.00	Hickman, Ky.	Metropolis, Ills.
"	"	D. Goussier	Lumber	\$150.00	Paducah, Ky.	Cairo, Ills.
"	"	Jas. M. Pridy	Whiskey	\$300.00	"	Evansville, Ia.
				\$3,108.60		
Dec 30		C. C. Shalis	Leather &c	\$306.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
"	"	E. D. Richmond	Wines & liquors	\$6,506.00	"	Cincinnati, O.
"	"				Smithland, Ky.	"

" "	O. Bekhoff	Saddlery	100.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
" "	W. H. Parker	Furniture	500.00	Hickman, Ky.	Metropolis, Ill.
" "	D. Terwieser	Lumber	150.00	Paducah, Ky.	Cairo, Ill.
" "	Jas. M. Piddy	Whiskey	300.00 13,108.60	" "	Evansville, Ia.
Dec 31	C. C. Shalis	Leather	306.00	Paducah, Ky.	Evansville, Ia.
" "	E. D. Richmond	Wines & liquors	6,506.00	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	A. Hunter	Saddlery	515.00	Smithland, Ky.	" " "
" "	A. Caraway	Clothing	52.00	Rock Island, Ill.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	L. H. Law	"	45.00	Camp Douglas, Ill.	" "
" "	" " "	"	45.00	Camp Morton, Ia.	" "
" "	A. Caraway	"	49.00	Rock Island, Ill.	" "
" "	G. F. Kelley & Co.	Grocery	900.00	Paducah, Ky.	Wheeling, Va.
" "	" " "	"	500.00	" "	New York City.
" "	" " "	"	400.00	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	J. H. Fisher	Wine & Liquors	200.00	" "	Evansville, Ia.
" "	L. Lewis	Malt	300.00	" "	" "
" "	C. B. West	Clothing	40.00	Camp Morton, Ia.	Paducah, Ky.
" "	Scott Laurie	Hardware	100.00	Paducah, Ky.	Louisville, Ky.
" "	J. H. Young & Co.	Pharmaceuticals	1000.00	" "	Philadelphia, Pa.
" "	" " "	"	1000.00	" "	Cincinnati, O.
" "	J. F. Bolinger & Co.	Grocery	382.00 16,734	" "	" " "

E. J. Chapman  
Capt & Provost-Marshal  
Dist. Western Ia.

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Military Commission  
City Council Room  
Paducah, Ky.  
Dec 9 / 64.

Lowe E. M. Lieut. Col.  
President Commission

Report of P. Haines acted  
upon by the Commission  
from Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1864. to Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1864.  
and ~~referred~~ <sup>forwarded</sup> to Dist Head quar  
arters for <sup>the action of the General</sup> ~~the action of the General~~  
Commanding

P.O. Ots  
Paducah, Ky.  
Dec. 1864

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Report of Claims  
in cases of  
Wm. A. Steger,  
A. S. Jones,  
A. W. Chestnut  
G. G. Royster  
Ellen Moore for  
John Moore  
Robert Street  
Barnett Hill  
Henry Stonebreaker  
Sarah M. Lawley

Proceedings of a Military Commission  
Convened at Paducah, Ky. Pursuant to the  
following Special Orders.

Special Orders, ( Head Quarters Dist. West. Kentucky  
Paducah Ky. Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.  
No-113 ) Extract.

xxxxx A Military Commission is hereby  
ordered to convene at Paducah, Ky. on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
Nov 1864, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the  
purpose of investigating into such claims as may  
be referred to it.

Members of the Commission.

Lieut. Col. E. M. Lowe ( 55<sup>th</sup> U.S. C. Inf. )  
Capt. Edward Devlin ( 30<sup>th</sup> Wis. Inf. )  
1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Tho. L. Scott ( 1<sup>st</sup> La. Inf. )

The junior Member will act as Recorder.

By Command of Brig. Genl. S. Meredith  
(Signed) James Graham  
Capt. & a. a. g.

Head Quarters Dist. West. Kentucky  
Paducah, Ky. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Special Orders, ( Extract  
No-119 )

xxxxx 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Tho. L. Scott 1<sup>st</sup> La. Inf.  
is hereby relieved from duty as Recorder Military  
Commission convened by Special Orders No. 113. Extract.

xxxxx Dated Paducah, Ky. Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 1864. xxxxxxxxx  
Lieut. H. C. Gording 122<sup>d</sup> Ill. Inf. will act as Recorder  
Military Commission of which Lieut. Col. E. M. Lowe is  
President, and will report for duty forthwith.

By Command of Brig. Genl. S. Meredith  
(Signed) James Graham  
Capt. & a. a. g.

Friday Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1864.

The Commission met pursuant to the foregoing: Special Orders, and report the following Claims, as acted upon from Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1864 to Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1864 inclusive. - and forwarded to Dist Head quarters for <sup>the action</sup> settlement of the General Commanding.

Claim ( Nov 29/64.  
No 1 } William A. Steger of Mc Cracken County, Ky. 2000. 00.  
States that his Mule valued at \$ 150 00  
was taken for Government use. He now Petitions  
that said Mule may be returned to him.  
The Commission find the Petitioner  
a Loyal Man. - his Statement true. - and  
recommends that the Mule be returned.

Claim ( Nov 29/64.  
No 2 } A. S. Jones of Mc Cracken County, Ky.  
States that his Wagon valued at \$ 70 00  
was taken for Gov. use, and is now in  
Paducah, Ky. He now Petitions that said  
Wagon may be returned to him.  
The Commission find the Petitioner  
a Loyal Man. - his Statement true. - and  
recommends that the Wagon be returned.

Claim  
No 3

Dec 2/64.

A. N. Chestnut of Livingston County, Ky.

States that his double bar gun and equipments valued at \$400.00 was taken without authority by two Privates of Capt. Gregory's Company, named James Coy, and Joshua Gamble.

The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal Man, - his Statement true, - and recomm-end that the two above mentioned Privates of Capt. Gregory's Company, be compelled to return said gun and equipments, or pay for the same at the above valuation, viz Forty Dollars. (\$40.00)

Claim  
No 4

Dec 2/64.

A. J. Royster of Ballard County, Ky.

States that his Horse valued at \$150.00 was taken by Soldiers belonging to Capt. Jones Gregory's Company in May 1864, and brought to Paducah Ky, and there turned over to Capt. Coffin Post 2. M. for Gov. use. He now Petitions said Horse may be returned to him.

The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal Man, - his Statement true, - and recommend that the Horse be returned.

Claim  
No 5

Dec 2/64.

Ellen Moore of Marshall County, Ky.

In behalf of her Husband Jos Moore who is a criple States in the early part of Nov. 1864 A squad of Capt. Gregory's Men, took and brought to Paducah Ky, their Horse, valued at, \$150.00. She now Petitions that said Horse may be returned to them. - The Commission find the Claimants Loyal, - their Statement true, and recommend that the Horse be returned.



Claim (

Dec 2/64.

dols. cts.

No 6 Robert Street of Union County Ky.

States that he is the Post Master at Union Town Ky.

That on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1864 his office was broken open and Robbed of the following property

To-wit; Bank Notes to the amount of.

\$ 61 00

Postage Stamps to the value of

0 00

Sundry articles of Dry Goods valued at

15 00

Total

\$ 82 00

It appearing in evidence that the 34<sup>th</sup> Reg. Vols. were the parties guilty of the above Robbery. The Commission recommend that the pay of the 34<sup>th</sup> Reg. Vols. be stopped until the damages sustained by the Claimant be paid. The Commission find the damages claimed To-wit; Eighty Two Dollars (\$82.00) the sum to be paid.

Claim (

Dec 5/64.

No 7 Barnett Hill of Mcracken County Ky.

States that his <sup>mare</sup> Horse valued at.

\$ 200 00

Was taken by Federal Soldiers under Command of Capt. Parsons, in June 1864, and brought to Paducah, Ky. and turned over to U.S. Gov. He now

Petitions that said Mare may be returned to him.

The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal Man. his statement true, and recommend that the Mare be returned.

Claim (

Dec 6/64

No 8 Henry Stonebraker of Livingston County Ky.

Claims for a Horse now in possession of Major Shook Commanding Troops at Caseyville Ky. The Petitioner now asks said Horse to be returned to him.

The Commission find the Petitioner a Loyal Man. his statement true, and recommend that said Horse be returned.

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Claim

Dec. of Sect.

Advs. etc.

Ch: 9 Sarah McLawley of Blandville Ky.

States that her Horse valued at

\$150.00

was taken from her by a Detachment of the 3<sup>d</sup> Ill.

Regt. on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1864. She now Petitions

that her Horse may be returned to her.

The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal

Woman, her Statement true, - and recommend

that the Horse be returned.

E. M. Low  
Lt. Col. & Capt. Genl.

Henry C. Gooding  
Supt. of Records of Court

No 1485 O P M G 2<sup>nd</sup> / 4

13874

St. Louis Mo  
December 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mo - Dept. of the -  
J. M. Barnes A. A. G.

S. O. 359 # 2.

Granting permission  
to Melzer Davis M. J.  
Coffman and Emma  
Wade to go to McLain Co  
Texas.

File.

O P M G. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864



Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

SPECIAL ORDERS,

No. 259

(EXTRACT.)

2. Nelson Davis, Nancy Jane Coffman  
Emma Wade and three children, - all of  
Clinton Co. Mo., are hereby granted  
permission to go to McLain Co. Texas, -  
not to return during the war.

They will be allowed to take with  
them their bedding, silver-spoons and  
other articles of household goods, -  
not contraband of war.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL ~~ROSECRANS~~

*Dodge*

*P. M. G.*

*J. M. Barnes*

Assistant Adjutant General.

Ms 1482 OPM 9 1/2 1864

13875

St. Louis Mo.  
December 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mo. Dept. of the  
J. W. Furness A. A. G.

Granting permission  
to James B. Urbree to  
go to Gallatin Tennessee  
with Eliza J. Moore  
accompanying him.

File

OPM. Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

No 1482 CP 214 2/4

Head Quarters, Department of the Missouri,

St. Louis, Mo., Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

James C. Vertrees is hereby  
granted permission to go to  
Gallatin, Tenn. Mrs. Eliza J. Moore  
accompanying him. By Order of

Major Genl Dodge  
J. W. Dames  
Adj Genl

Chief of Police, Marshal General,  
St. Louis, Nov. 15, 1864.  
[Extract.]  
By direction of the General commanding,  
the following female residents of Clay county,  
Mo., will report within thirty days after they  
receive notice, at the headquarters of the As-  
sistant Provost Marshal, of the Seventh Sub-  
District of North Military District, for the  
purpose of being sent beyond the lines of the  
United States forces: Mrs. B. Roberts, Mrs.  
John D. Holt, Mrs. I. K. Dougherty, Mrs.  
Lewis Dougherty, Mrs. W. H. Arnold, Mrs.  
W. E. Price, Mrs. J. J. Moore, Mrs. Garret  
and family, Mrs. G. W. Thompson,  
at  
Adj. Provost Marshal General.



13876

No 1450 C P M 1/1/14

St Louis Mo  
Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 1862

Mason W. et al.  
Atty. at Law.

States that Wm. H.  
Munnelle and George  
H. Groves, now con-  
fined at Gratiot St.  
Prison, had taken from  
them by the Pro. Marshal  
at Wellsville \$350.00 be-  
longing to Munnelle and  
a Gold watch belonging  
to Groves.

file:

O'Prilly, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 1862

WM. T. MASON,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
921 PINE STREET.

St. Louis, 17. December 1864

Col. Davis

Provost Marshal Genl

Dear Sir

Wm. H. Munnely and George  
H. Moore are now confined in grated St  
Prison to await their trial. After they were arrested  
the Provost Marshal at Wellsville sent to a party  
having \$250.00 belonging to Munnely and a  
gold watch belonging to Moore and made  
them give them to him. As the prisoners  
are here their effects should be here too and  
I therefore respectfully request that you  
order the money and watch to be sent down  
here to be disposed of as in your judgment  
seems best. I give the command of these men

Your Obedt Servt-

Wm T Mason

" "

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

Y. N. 13878

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Wm. P. ...  
Indianapolis Ind  
December 14<sup>th</sup>

Gen. J. W.  
U. S. Post Adj.

Reply and for in ...  
will take care of  
petitions against  
and H. Newman for  
selling clothes to sol-  
diers

Wm. P.

Gen. J. W. ...

Wright's Dec 14, 1864  
Col. A. Warner  
Coney Port  
Colonel

On examining the  
outmap sent, I find that he  
gives the letters of the clothing  
no information of the object of  
his purchase.

Unless the fact appears  
that the person selling the  
clothing did so with the intent  
of aiding in the desertion of  
the soldier, no offence is  
committed punishable by  
the civil courts, Guilty intent  
or knowledge is absolutely  
necessary to convict.

While I think many violations  
of the spirit of the law occur, yet  
as this is a criminal proceeding  
strict proof is required.

Respectfully  
Yours  
Geo. W. Ray

Headquarters Post Commander,

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 1864

Mrs. M. Ray,  
U.S. Commissioner,  
Indianapolis;  
Sir:

By direction of Col  
Warner, Comdg Post, I have the honor to send you  
John Linn, who will make affidavit against  
J. Newman and H. Newman for selling citizens  
clothing as a soldier.

I am, Sir,

Very respectfully, your Obedt Servt.

J. W. Linn

J. H. Newman

"SS" M. 98 "1864" Vol 2  
H. 202. Mid. Md. Div. 31  
J. H. Sheridan

Cts

Head-Quarters Third Regt  
Patrolmen Dec 31/64

Respectfully referred  
to the Provost Marshal  
J. H. Sheridan who is hereby  
directed to send these  
women to General Sheridan

by the first train.  
By command of  
Major General Mullan  
J. H. Blawie

"W"  
[Signature]

Recd 31st Dec 1864

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL

Baltimore, Md. Dec 27 1864

Respectfully referred to Department Ad. Gen.

with information that these ladies were  
forwarded to Major Gen. Sheridan on the 9  
40 pm. train Dec 27 1864.

"B"  
John W. Volley  
Lieut. Colonel & Prov. Mar.

re. [unclear] 53

United States Military Telegraph.

By Telegraph from Winchester Va  
Dec 31st 1864.  
To Gen Lew Wallace

Send out Ellen Carroll  
& Mrs Mary E Zelden  
to these Hd Qrs  
without delay there  
is a big snow storm  
here & it will be a  
good time to send  
them through the lines  
I am satisfied that  
these women cannot  
be depended upon  
they attempted to



United States Military Telegraph.

By Telegraph from \_\_\_\_\_

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

1864.

To \_\_\_\_\_

(2)

decide me while <sup>here</sup> ~~she~~ &  
I had them arrested &  
brought back from  
Harper ferry & put  
them beyond my lines  
Afterwards I was  
induced to let them  
come in & I now  
see my mistake

P. S. Sheridan  
M. G.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

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Captain

The two (2) men accompanying the  
party, Campbell and Johnson are to be sent off  
tomorrow morning.

Capt Potter

Rem

~~Head Quarters Army of Potomac,~~

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL

City Pt. Va Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

*A. M. B. Smith*

PROV. MAR. GEN'L,

ARMY OF POTOMAC.

RMH

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Head Quarters Army of Potomac,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL

City Pt. Va Dec. 19 1864

Captain:

The two (2) men accompanying this note, Campbell & Whitman are to be sent off tomorrow morning.

*M. B. Patrick*  
Prov. Mar. Gen'l,  
Army of Potomac.

Capt Potter  
Rm

Office Post Mar Genl  
DEC 20<sup>th</sup> 1864

Whitman Robert

Campbell Henry

Citizens

Discharged and sent out of the  
Lines by order of Brig Genl  
M. R. Patrick Post Mar Genl.

DEC 20<sup>th</sup> 1864

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C. S.

U. S. Military Commission

Baltimore, Dec. 1, 1864

Respectfully returned to Dept  
Head Quarters with the inform-  
ation that the within named  
Frederick Egers or Swan  
has been tried by the Commission  
and the proceedings in the case  
forwarded to, Dept. Hd. Qrs

G. L.

W. P. Lord

Major and Judge, Advocate

Head Quarters  
Bach. Dec. 5/64

Respectfully referred to  
Maj Marshall J. G. S. a. a.

By com<sup>d</sup> Maj Geo. Wallace

Adj<sup>t</sup> R. S. S. a. a.  
L. S. S. a. a.



Enter xofu  
A May Marden  
A. C.,

Room's Military Commission  
Ball Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 1864

Lt Col Lawrence

A. A. G. 8<sup>th</sup> A. C.

Col.

I have the honor to state that the names mentioned on the endorsement were witnesses in the cases of Sudewitz and Mrs. Fredrica Egers alias Swann, and not parties thereto. The error was made by the clerk in writing the endorsement, and overlooked by me when I put my signature.

I have the honor to be  
Your Obedt. Servt.

Wm. P. Linds

Major and Judge Adv.

Charges against

Frederick Lysson Swan

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With

AJ - B - 31 1864.

Charges and specifications against Frederica Egers otherwise  
called Frederica Swan

to charge

Aiding and enticing a soldier of the United States  
to desert.

Specification - In this that Frederica Egers other-  
wise called Frederica Swan on or about the 25<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1864 at Baltimore Maryland did entice and  
aid and George Thompson otherwise called George Miller  
a soldier in the military service of the United States  
to desert the same, by furnishing him with citizens  
clothing.

W. L. Brewster

Judge Advocate

& Army Corps

Witness  
Geo Thompson  
Wm Calhoun

Attest Reg (N.Y. Reg Army

Work

"A J " B " 31 " 1864

Office Prov. Mar. 3<sup>d</sup> Dist. Ct.  
Baltimore, Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

I, George Thompson, being duly sworn do declare, that I am Twenty three years of age, am a painter by trade & live at No. — Prince St. one door from the corner of Wooster St. New York City.

I enlisted for the 91<sup>st</sup> New York Heavy Artillery on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864, at Albany, N.Y. and received \$300.00 Bounty, was put in uniform, & was sent to Hart Island, where I done guard duty six or seven weeks, I am not sure which. I was sent from Hart Island on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of this month by Rail Road, to Fort Federal Hill Balto. where I remained seven days, when I was sent to Fort McHenry Balto. where I joined my Company, ("D") & went to duty, on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst.

On Tuesday night last the 25<sup>th</sup> inst. about 8 or 9 o'c, I deserted Fort McHenry by getting over the wall. During Wednesday the 26<sup>th</sup> inst. I strolled through the city & about 10 o'c a.m. 26<sup>th</sup> inst. I went to the Philada. Depot, for the purpose of taking the train to Philada. from thence to Albany N.Y. when I was arrested & taken to the Station House.

○ I have known Fredericka Swan for more than a year; she is not my wife.

I became acquainted with her in New York City, at Corner King and Hudson; <sup>St</sup> where she then kept a porter House.

Four or five weeks after I enlisted for the 9<sup>th</sup> M.B. Heavy Artillery, and was on Hart Island, Frederica Swan came on the Island to see me. & brought me something to eat, said she was very sorry that I had enlisted. She remained on the Island with me an hour or two & then went away. I wrote two or three letters to her after that while I remained on the Island; in one of these letters I told her that I would be sent to Balto. & for her to come there & see me.

I arrived at Fort Federal Hill, Balto on the 15<sup>th</sup> of October 1864, which was Saturday. On the 17<sup>th</sup> Oct/64 which was Monday, Frederica Swan came to Fort Federal Hill to see me, which she did; and while she was there, I told her to bring me my Over Coat, - a Citizens Over Coat - the one I have on. She said she would. - I do not know whether she had it in her trunk, which she brought to Balto, with her, or whether she returned to New York for it.

~~On the 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. I went~~ I told her to bring me the Coat & I would meet her on Eastern

near Caroline S<sup>t</sup>  
avenue, - was not to meet her at any  
house, - but on the street.

~~I was sent from~~ On the night of the  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct/64 I met Frederica Swan, -  
according to arrangement made with  
her at Fort Federal Hill, on the 17<sup>th</sup> Oct/64,  
on Eastern Avenue near Caroline S<sup>t</sup>,  
when she gave me my over coat;  
I then told her to meet me at the Philada.  
Depot in Balto, on the following night,  
she said she would. On the 26<sup>th</sup> Oct/64  
I met Frederica Swan just outside the  
Philada. Depot; we then went in the  
Depot, ~~I got in a car, where I left her,~~  
~~got out of the car again,~~ for the purpose  
of purchasing tickets for her & myself;  
when I saw William Cahoun, a member  
of my Company & Regiment, & who was  
with me, arrested by a detective; I then  
went back to the Ladies Room, without purchasing  
tickets, & took Frederica Swan to a Car &  
we both got in & was only in the Car  
about two minutes when I was arrested  
& taken from the Car, from thence to the  
Station House, & on the following day  
the 27<sup>th</sup> Oct/64 I was taken to Prov. Marshall's  
Office.

Sworn & subscribed to before me  
this 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 1864.

George Thompson

Spencer M. Murcher



Office Prov. Mar. 3<sup>d</sup> Dist. Md.  
Baltimore, Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

After the foregoing statement was sworn & subscribed to, I learned through the statement of William Cahoon, a deserter from the 9<sup>th</sup> N. York Heavy Artillery, who was arrested with Thompson & Frederica Egger, that the sworn statements of both are false. That the changing of clothes &c took place at the house of John Ludwig No 53 North Frederick St, Balto. City. The parties themselves afterward acknowledged that their statements were false.

Spencer Mumby  
Capt & Prof. Mar. 3<sup>d</sup> Dist. Md.

OFFICE OF THE  
Acting Assistant Provost Marshal General  
FOR MARYLAND AND DELAWARE

Baltimore, Oct 29 1864.

Respectfully returned to Capt. L Blumentberg, Prov. Mar. 37<sup>th</sup> Dist Md. with the request granted  
By order of Col. Wm. H. Burrows

*[Signature]*

Pro Mar Office Dist  
md  
Baltimore Oct 29/64

Respectfully turned over  
to Lt Col pro Moolby  
Mar. with military statements  
recharges for trial.

*[Signature]*

~~Office of the~~ Office

Provost Marshal 3<sup>rd</sup> Dist Md  
Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded  
to Col. Wm. H. Burrows  
At Pro Mar. Court for M. & Del  
with the request that I may  
be permitted to turn the  
written demand parties over  
to Col. Woodley Pro Mar 8<sup>th</sup>  
Army Corps for trial by a  
Military Commission

*[Signature]*

Capt. Wm. H. Burrows

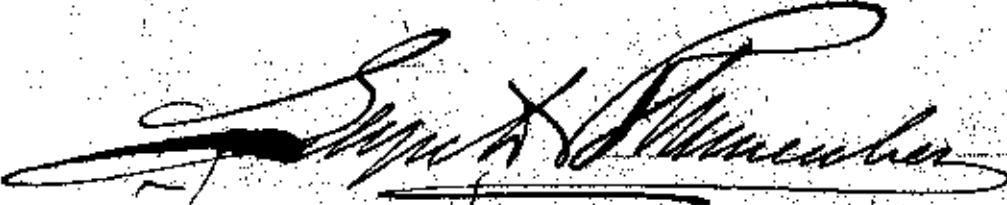
Oct 31 1864

Office Prov. Mar. 3<sup>d</sup> Div. Ill.  
Baltimore Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

I, Frederica Egers, being duly sworn do declare, that I ~~never~~ have no permanent place of Residence, I became acquainted with George Miller, now calling himself George Thompson, at the corner of King & Hudson St. New York, where I kept a Porter House, he came to tend Bar for me. We had a falling out; he then went off & enlisted, - I did not hear from him for four weeks, when he sent me a pass from Hart Island, New York Harbor, for me to come and see him. I went to see him nearly every day while he remained there. He <sup>was</sup> sent to Balto, I ~~went~~ to Baltimore & brought his overcoat & a pair of Boots in my Trunk. I went to Fort Federal Hill to see Miller, several times. On the 25<sup>th</sup> ~~or~~ he came to the house I had rented on Forrest St. near Enoch & got his <sup>over</sup> Coat, & he told me I could not remain in Balto & must go to Philada. We went to the Depot together, where <sup>Mr. Miller</sup> ~~we were~~ <sup>another</sup> ~~both~~ arrived together with a young man & taken to the Union House.

I went to the office of Prov. clark 3<sup>d</sup> dist. ill.  
on the day following, when I was placed  
under arrest. Frederick Jones


Sworn & Subscribed to  
before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1864.

  
Capt. P. M. Jones 3<sup>d</sup> dist. Ill.

Office Prov. clark 3<sup>d</sup> dist. ill.

Baltimore Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

I would state that after the above  
statement was sworn & subscribed to;  
I learned through the statement of  
William Cahoun, 9<sup>th</sup> U. S. York Heavy Artillery  
a deserter, arrested <sup>with</sup> Thompson & Frederick  
Egers, that the sworn statements of both  
Egers & Thompson are false: that the  
changing of clothes &c took place at  
the house of John Ludwig, No 53<sup>d</sup> north  
Frederick st. Balt. city. The parties  
themselves afterward acknowledged that  
their statements were false.

  
Capt. P. M. Jones 3<sup>d</sup> dist. Ill.

"S" B "31" 1864

BALTIMORE, MD.

October 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

BLUMENBERG, L.

Captain and Probost Marshal

3d DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

Forwards four prisoners

From Mass Office  
Mid Dept. Bal.  
Balt. Oct 30, 1864.

Respectfully forwarded  
to Major W. L. Marshall  
Judge Advocate through  
Dept. Head Quarters

L. John Woolley  
Wolfford

Head Qu. M. Dept.  
Balt. Oct 31<sup>st</sup>

Respectfully forwarded  
to Major W. L. Marshall  
Judge Advocate & ad

By com. & Maj. Gen. Waller  
E. J. Miller  
Maj. ad.

Head Qu. M. Dept. Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Provost Marshal Third (3) District of Maryland.

Baltimore, Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

Let Col Geo Hoolly  
Bro Wm B Stal  
let

Send you  
under guard, the following  
named persons:

George Thompson. 360<sup>th</sup> 91. St. 9.  
William Calver 3<sup>rd</sup> St. arty Regt  
to be retained as witnesses  
John Ludwig & Frederick Egger  
citizens charged with aiding  
soldiers to desert furnishing  
them with citizens clothing &c

Please send receipt return. Very Respectful  
Yours  
Wm B Stal

Friend Anna Johnson  
1076 Saratoga St.

Provost Marshal, 3<sup>rd</sup> District, Md.

Mapper & Co

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to

Major Wm P Lord

Judge Advocate Genl's Office  
to know where the proceedings  
in these cases were forwarded  
to these Head Quarters  
cannot be found in this  
office.

Please return these papers  
Br. Command of  
Major Genl. Wallace  
Saml B Lawrence  
A. G.

U. S. Military Commission  
Baltimore Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dept  
Head Quarters with the information  
that the within named  
Geo Miller & Wm Cahoon  
has been tried by this Commission  
and the proceedings in the  
case forwarded to Genl's Head  
Quarters, Baltimore Md.

(Signed) Wm P Lord  
Major and Judge Advocate

Hermitage Mo Dec 13<sup>th</sup> 1864  
13883

"E. 538. DSW"

Jacob Cassan's

Sept 8<sup>th</sup> MS M. Cav.

Sends charges against Richard  
Haines, Joseph Crum and  
Thomas Corner Citizens of  
Pickory Co. Mo.

Sends also prisoners in charge of Corp  
H. P. Richards to J. S. MS M.  
and wishes to have them well  
secured until their trial

Capt. W.

Rec'd by the District of Mo. Dec 13<sup>th</sup>



Lead Quarter  
District Court  
Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully referred to  
Proctor Marshal Dist  
Court who will examine  
the report & specification  
herewith enclosed & if deemed  
sufficient will confine the  
Prisoner for trial

J. G. Hardy 60  
Candy.

2 or more  
Citizens

Dec. 1864,

Camp at Hermitage Mo  
Dec 13<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col J. J. Grady  
Comd<sup>g</sup> Post Springfield Mo

Sir

Enclosed

please find Charges and Specifications  
prepared against Richard Haynes  
Joseph Evans Thomas Cannon Citizens  
of Rockaway Co, Mo.

Also send prisoners in Charge of  
Corp H. T. Richards Co 'I' 8<sup>th</sup> Mo S<sup>th</sup> Cav  
you will please have these men well  
secured until their trial as they are  
bad men and I think that charges  
and specifications will fully prove

Respectfully

Jaynes out Supt  
Jacob Cassarit  
Capt 8<sup>th</sup> Mo S<sup>th</sup> Cav

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Military Commission  
City Council Room  
Paducah, Ky.  
Dec 24, 1864.

Gen. E. W. Hunt. Col.  
President Commission

Report the within as their  
action on the within claim  
and referred to the Adjutant  
Department for settlement.

Proceedings of a Military Commission Convened  
at Paducah Ky by virtue of the following orders.

Head Quarters Dist West Kentucky  
Paducah, Ky.

November 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Special Orders, ( Extract. )  
No 113

A Military Commission is hereby  
Ordered to convene at Paducah, Ky. on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
Nov. 1864 or as soon thereafter as practicable for the  
purpose of investigating into such Claims, as may  
be referred to it.

Members of the Commission.

<u>Lieut. Col. C. M. Lowe</u>	<u>55<sup>th</sup> U. S. I. Regt.</u>
<u>Capt. Edward Berlin</u>	<u>30<sup>th</sup> Wis. Regt.</u>
<u>1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Chas. L. Scott</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> La. Regt.</u>

The junior Member will act as Recorder.

(Signed) By Command of Brig. Genl. S. Meredith  
James Graham  
Capt. & a. a. g.

Head Quarters Dist West Kentucky  
Paducah, Ky. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> 1864.

Special Orders, ( Extract. )  
No 119

1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Chas. L. Scott 1<sup>st</sup> La. Regt. is

hereby relieved from duty as Recorder Military Commission  
convened by Special Orders No 113 Extract x x x Dated  
Paducah, Ky. Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1864. x x x, Lieut. N. C. Gording 122<sup>nd</sup>  
Ill. Regt. will act as Recorder Military Commission of which  
Lt. Col. C. M. Lowe is President, and will report for duty forthwith

By Command of  
Brig Genl S Meredith  
James Graham  
Capt & a. a. g.

(Signed)

The Commission met pursuant to the foregoing Orders, and report the following, as their action on Claims, as herein mentioned, and recommend that they be referred to the Comptroller Department, for settlement.

Claim } No 1 } John Jeffries of Calloway County, Ky. Apr 29/64.  
Claim for One hundred lbs (200) Fresh Beef \$120.00  
Taken for Government use (as per vouchers signed by James P. Howlett Lt. 3<sup>rd</sup> Men. Regt. 8<sup>th</sup> A. C. S. and filed with the affidavits)  
The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal Man, his Claim correct, and just, - and recommend that it be paid in full.

Claims } No 2 } Estab. Nancy J. Millins of Hardin County, Tenn. Dec 2/64.  
Claim for Nine hundred and fifty lbs (950) Fresh Beef \$42.75  
Taken for Government use (as per vouchers signed by George C. Seidman 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. 5<sup>th</sup> act Commissary 1<sup>st</sup> Div for Corps. Dist. West Tenn. and filed with the affidavits)  
The Commission find the Claimant a Loyal Man, his Claim correct, and just, - and recommend that it be paid in full.

E. M. Low  
Lieut Col. 55<sup>th</sup> Ill. Inf. Regt.  
and President Com.

H. C. Gooding  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. 11<sup>th</sup> Ill. Inf. Regt. Recorder



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Baltimore Md.

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Ad. Qu. M. C. Wash.  
Recd - 13 Dec. 13 1864

A. W. Sharp. Sg. & Adjt.

States that Thos. Riley will  
be sent to the rooms of Capt  
W. S. Fuller J. Adv. and that  
Lucy (Doris) W. H. Hall was  
paroled by Major Genl. Augur Nov.  
24 1864.

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HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON,

22d Army Corps

Washington, D. C.

Dec 14 1864

Respectfully returned to

Major Gaines

Judge Adv 22<sup>d</sup> A. C.

Riley will be tried. <sup>in case of Hall see original</sup>  
BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL AUGUR.

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*[Signature]*

Asst. Adj't. General,

22d Army Corps, Washington

DEC. 14, 1864.

40 Gros. Dept Washington  
2d No Army Corps.  
Office of Judge Advocate  
Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Major  
C. H. Raymond Adjt. for  
instructions

Charges have been preferred  
against Davis alias Hill  
and trial ordered in  
compliance with directions  
of Major Raymond

Thompson Ewing  
Major Judge Advocate  
2d No Army Corps.

A 210 Feb 22, 1865

Ad. Gen. Post Office of Washington  
Post-Office  
Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

Captain

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of 5<sup>th</sup> day in reference to Lucky Davis alias W. W. Hill and Thos. Riley and to say that Thos. Riley will be sent to your rooms at the time you specified - Lucky or James W. Davis alias W. W. Hill, as shown by the records of this office was paroled by Major Gen. Augur Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> 1864 - and is not in our custody -

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servant  
J. W. Sharps  
Lieut. & Adj't

To

Capt. A. S. Fuller  
Judge Advocate

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Baltimore, Md.

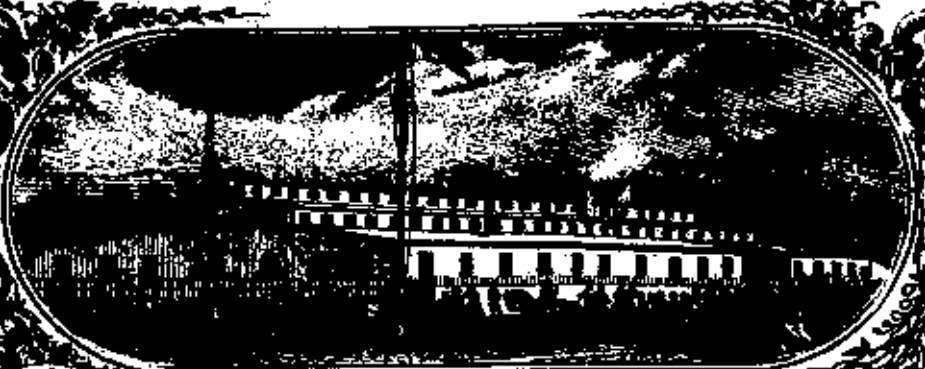
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Citizens Vol. Hospital  
Phila Dec 5/64

Kenderdine P.S.  
Surg U.S. in charge

Recommends Sergeant  
Monroe & Levt Patten  
for passes

Citizens



CITIZENS  
VOLUNTEER  
HOSPITAL  
PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia Dec 5 186

Capt

Sgt Monroe

& Geo A Patten are both  
men that can be trusted  
of consistent with your  
regulations I should like  
them to have passes, they  
can join the Squad at the  
depot at when I get down  
The other I will not  
answer for

Very truly yours  
R. M. McClure  
M 27

Capt Doubleson  
M 27



W. No. 67-DW-1864

13900

Memphis Tenn Dec 12th 1864

Wm. J. P. Ebal  
Citizens

State respectfully, that they were  
at the home of J. H. Allen, there is  
a lady there who is unable to be re-  
moved at present on account of ill-  
ness but will be able to move in a few days  
and that J. H. Allen was ordered out  
of the U.S. Lines for refusing to take  
the oath of allegiance, and that he is  
a notorious Rebel.

Cts

Dist. West Tenn

Dec 15, Dec 15

See Spec Ord 226 for III

Rec'd No. 2, Dec 15 1864

City of West Tenn 353  
Part of Memphis 3

Personally appeared before me J. B. Voke who deposes and says, I am a loyal citizen of the United States and am connected with the U. S. Police Force of Memphis Tenn. on or about the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. I went to the house of Thos. W. Allen, now occupied by one Mrs Bailey, who keeps Boarders, there ~~are~~ is one lady, who is Boarding at said house, and has lately been confined, and upon examination I find her unable to be moved at present. She is improving in health, and will be able to move in a few days. — there is another lady, Boarding at the same house who is confined to her bed with Erysipelas and is quite sick and will not be able to move for several days.

J. B. Voke

Subscribed & sworn  
to before me this 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of December 1864  
Jacob Swind  
Capt 2<sup>nd</sup> Tenn Inftry  
& Chief of S. Police

David of  
P. Ware & Co  
Gilbert

V. S.

No. Allen

Dist of West Tenn, 353  
Post of Memphis 3

Personally appeared before me J. P. Ware, who deposes and says, I am a loyal citizen of the United States and reside in the city of Memphis Tenn. I know one Thomas W. Allen, who owns a certain dwelling house on second street bet Monroe & Union streets in the city of Memphis Tenn. the said Allen, was ordered out of this Dept. South, for refusing to take the oath of Allegiance to the U.S. Govt, and said Allen is now in the Southern confederacy, and is a Notorious Rebel, —

I August Gilbert, U.S. A., fully concur in the above statement in reference to Thomas W. Allen.

Subscribed & sworn to  
before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of December 1864  
M. S. W. Demott  
Capt & 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. 1<sup>st</sup> Regt  
Chief U.S. Police  
Capt & Asst P.M.

A. Gilbert  
J. P. Ware

13901

Washington D.C. 1864

J. S. Smith

Written in behalf  
of three persons who  
have conscientious  
objections against  
taking the oath  
of allegiance.

file  
See D. B. no. 7.

Citizens



Castville 19<sup>th</sup> Decemb. '64  
General,

Will you allow me, most respectfully, to appeal to your clemency in behalf of three cases of non-jurors which, I think, justly merit your attention. They decline taking the oath of allegiance, not from obstinacy or any feeling of hostility to the North, but their sympathies being with their friends and relatives in Virginia, they can not look upon the oath but as perjury - a mistaken view, I admit. I have exhausted argument in vain to induce them to comply, but argument is lost when it comes in the way of Conscience. Many a pious Christian has suffered at the stake for Conscience's sake.

The first is that of a young lady, Miss Juliet Mattingham, who keeps here a children's school, living with an aged mother, her only stay in life.

The second is a young student of  
Divinity, whose great desire is to enter the  
Theological Seminary in Pennsylvania.

The third is that of three young  
men, considering them as one case, named  
Corbin, two of them mere lads, the support  
of an aged father who has implored them  
with tears to take the oath, but their answer  
is, "Father, would you have us committed  
perjury?" — The parties are nearly  
strangers to me — my only motive for  
thus engaging in their behalf is the hope  
of doing good.

Very respectfully  
Yours Obedient  
E. W. Smith

Maj<sup>r</sup> Genl.  
B. F. Butler

18909

Louisville, Ky.

Decr. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864.

J. Q. B. 2<sup>o</sup> SW M. L. 216 1864  
Victor,

V. 15 - ~~Sp. 15~~ 1864

States that Philip M<sup>rs</sup> Geo. W. Victor having been in the service of the so-called Confederate Government, voluntarily returned, took the Oath of Allegiance & were sent north of the Ohio river there to remain during the war. Requests that they may be permitted to return to Ky, or at least to Louisville, upon their parole or otherwise if consistent with existing regulations. W. B.

J. Q. B. Mil. Comm. under  
Louisville, Ky, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully forwarded and recommended.

W. B. Fairleigh  
Lt. Col. 26<sup>th</sup> Ky. V. S. Vols,  
Mil. Command.

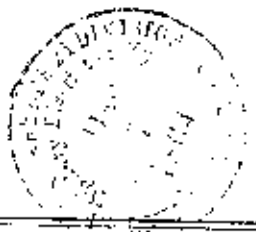


Head Quarters 2<sup>d</sup> Div.  
Med. Dept of Kentucky  
Louisville Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1864  
237212

Respectfully forwarded,

J. B. Harlan  
Lt. Col. of 1<sup>st</sup> Div.  
Long Gulch

Comdg. Div.  
(J. B. K.)



Adj. Gen. Mil. Dist. Ky  
Lexington, Ky Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully referred to  
Lieut. R. Vance I. M. Genl.  
MDK for remark

By Order of  
Bot. Maj. Genl. Burbridge  
H. A. Dietz  
Capt. G. A. G.

Trans. Bureau Mil. Dist. Ky.  
Prov. Pur. Office  
Lexington, Ky. Dec. 18. 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Capt J B Donelson A. A. G.  
Very diligent inquiry has  
been made at this office in  
regard to the the depart-  
ment of returned rebel sol-  
diers, and the result has  
been to show that those  
who ~~return~~ must prove  
loyal citizens invariably  
enlist in the union army  
for the war, & turn out to  
be violent abolitionists:  
and all such as do not  
here abandon the rebel  
cause merely for personal  
conveniences, and are  
just loyal enough to  
want their needs,

There is the greatest abun-  
dance of proof that those  
rebels who return ever  
do not join the union  
army ever turn to be  
administrationist, and  
unworthy of the clem-  
ency of the government.  
and it would not happen  
that they should ask  
for favors unless they  
are willing to assist in  
repairing the damages  
they have wrought in  
doing to the government  
and to humanity.

A. Vance  
Gov. of Va.  
Richmond Va.

Rec'd back (MDK) Dec. 16, 1864

Louisville Ky Dec 5 1864  
Maj Genl Burbridge  
Genl

Phillip. M. & George  
M. Victor having been in the services  
of the so called Confederate Government  
and having voluntarily returned and  
taken the oath of Allegiance but  
they were ordered North of the Ohio  
River there to remain during the war

Would most respectfully request  
that they be permitted to return to  
the State of Kentucky or at least  
to the limits of the City of Louisville  
upon their parole or otherwise if it  
is consistent with regulations and  
Oblige most respectfully & Obedt

Yours

Callie A. Victor

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec. 5, 1864.

Victor, Philip W.  
and  
George H.

State that they were officers in  
the Rebel Army forty-four months,  
and on last Friday  
they returned under the President  
Amnesty Proclamations, reported  
to the Provost Marshal, Louisville  
took the oath and went out north  
of the Ohio river. Request that  
they may be permitted to return  
to their former home in Louis-  
ville, promising to comply with  
all the military orders for  
their future government.

V. 15 - MDR - 1864

Louisville, Dec. 5, 1864

Lt. Col. Thos. B. Haileigh -

Post Commander &c

Colonel - The undersigned would most respectfully state that after an absence of forty-four months from their homes in Louisville, Ky. during which time they served as officers in the Rebel army - and under the Amnesty Proclamation of the President of the United States they laid down their arms and returned to the city of Louisville on Friday last. reported to the Provost Marshal of this city, took the amnesty oath, and complied with all the regulations of the Department here - and were sent across the Ohio river, which separates us from our friends - We therefore most earnestly request that you make an order allowing us to return to our former home, that we may do something for our two simple sisters, and at the same time better our own condition - promising to pay every respect to the laws and comply with every military order that may be made for our future government - Trusting we may have an early reply, we are

Very Respy,

Phil W Victor

Geo W Victor

We, the undersigned, Union  
citizens of Sammamish, Ky, recommend  
that the prayer of the  
petitioners be granted

for

Wm. J. May  
Joseph Griffiths  
Wm. Griffiths

U.S. N. Ste. Com. Mails  
Robert Lee County  
13903  
forwarded  
Emuel Lucken and  
Fred Luppert, Cred  
December 9/24

2 or more names

City

Oct 20 - Pch

Wm L. G. Morris

James River Va  
Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Sir

I have the honor to forward  
to you Samuel Tucker, and Fredk  
Thippin (Cold) Refugees from  
Richmond Va.

Very respectfully  
Your Obedt Servant  
Robert G. Lee

Actg Master

To

Comdg

Gen H. Sharp

Col & Dep Com. Marshal  
City Point

Va



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| Fulton Market, 83 Fish Market.                | St. James Hotel  |
| Astor House.                                  | N. H. R. R. D.   |
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| Westchester House, cor. Broome & Bowery.      | and 4th S        |
| Metropolitan Hotel.                           | Brooklyn, 269    |
| Lafarge House.                                | Atlantic Dock,   |
| New-York Hotel.                               | Fort Hamilton    |

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Words, 8

CAMBRIDGE LIVINGSTON, Sec'y.

E. S. SANFORD, Pres.

Received at LAFARGE HOUSE,

*Dec 27* 1864

Dated

*Wilmington, 27* 1864

To

*Wm. G. ...*

I seized all the baggage that Mrs. Womack had in charge her trunk & Mrs. Jennings trunk I released & released after an examination of their contents. One of baggage one D trunk & one Carpet bag I have forwarded to you by Express - Edson

40 call 1/10 No

172 Edwin Nelson

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 International Hotel, cor. Broad'y & Franklin.  
 Foot of Vestry Street, North River.  
 295 Canal St., corner Broadway.  
 Earle's Hotel, cor. Canal & Centre Streets.  
 St. Nicholas Hotel, cor. Broadway & Spring.  
 Westchester House, cor. Broome & Bowery.  
 Metropolitan Hotel.  
 Lafarge House.  
 New-York Hotel

Dry Dock, corner Avenue D & 10th St.  
 Everett House.  
 95 Eighth Avenue, near 14th Street.  
 945 Broadway, near 22d Street.  
 Fifth Avenue Hotel.  
 Harlem R. R. Depot, cor. 26th & 4th Av.  
 St. James Hotel, cor. Broadway & 26th St.  
 N. H. R. R. Depot, cor. 4th Av. & 27th St.  
 Hudson R. R. Depot, 30th St. near 10th Av.  
 Corner 6th Avenue and 42d Street.  
 West Allerton's, 10th Avenue & 41st St.  
 Yorkville P. O., cor. 3d Av. & 86th St.  
 Harlem: cor. 3d Avenue & 130th St.  
 Astoria: Fulton St., near junction of Main.  
 Williamsburgh: Wall House, cor. South 5th  
 and 4th Streets.  
 Brooklyn, 269 Washington Street.  
 Atlantic Dock, 21 Hamilton Avenue.  
 Fort Hamilton: Church's Store,

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Received at **LAFARGE HOUSE,** *Dec 8th* 1864.

Dated *Providence 8th* 1864.

To *Maj Gen Dix*

*No books or papers criminalizing Byron Sprague can be found at his office on Examination or the Reynolds office showing transactions with Hays of venture to & from Gen's Reynolds left here yesterday at noon for New York & Washington*

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295 Canal St., corner Broadway.  
Foot of Vestry Street, North River.  
International Hotel, cor. Broadway & Franklin.  
293 Broadway, (Mercantile Agency.)  
Hudson River R. R. Depot, Warren St.  
Astor House.  
Fulton Market, 83 Fish Market.  
Fort Hamilton: Church's Store.  
Atlantic Dock, 21 Hamilton Avenue.  
Brooklyn, 269 Washington Street.  
and 4th Streets.  
Williamsburg: Wall House, cor. South 5th  
Astoria: Fulton St., near junction of Main  
Harlem: cor. 3d Avenue & 130th St.  
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Harlem R. R. Depot, cor. 26th & 4th Av.

E. S. SANFORD, Pres.

Received at LAFARGE HOUSE, 1864.

Dated 1864.

To,  
Shall Taylor the  
partner of Reynolds  
be arrested - I expect  
to get through  
Examinations on  
Saturday I await  
your orders about  
Taylor & Sutton

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Baltimore, Md.

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City

Gen. Geo. F. Drayton, Gen.  
of. Co. Potomac -

Alexandria Va. Dec. 27/61

Wells. H. H. Col. & Dr. Man

States that he has forwarded  
2 disloyal citizens, Wheat  
& Parsons to be sent out of  
our lines -

SRB pd - 308

Headquarters Provost Marshal General,  
DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC,

Alexandria, Va., December 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col. Geo. Gamble.  
Comdg. 1<sup>st</sup> Sep<sup>te</sup> Brigade.

Col.

With this I have the honor to forward two disloyal citizens, to wit: H. H. Wheat and W. Packard, ordered to be sent south of our lines, not to return during the war; also certified copy of instructions from Dept. Hd Qrs. in their cases.

I have the honor to request that you will send them south outside of your lines and return receipt.

Very respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt.  
W. H. M. S.  
Col. & Prov. Mar. Genl.  
Def. L. of Potomac



Headquarters Dept. of Washington

2<sup>d</sup>. Army Corps.

Washington D.C. Dec 26. 1862

Col. H. H. Wells.

Pro. Mar. General

Def. South of Potomac.

Col.

The Major General Comdg:  
directs me to inform you that the Secretary of War has  
approved his recommendation to the effect that H. H.  
Wheat and J. Packard disloyal citizens of Alexan-  
dria be sent South of our lines, not to return  
during the war: he directs that these men be  
sent South via Fairfax Co House, and charges  
you with the execution of the order.

I am Col.

Very respectfully Yr. Obedt. Servt.  
Signed J. H. Taylor  
Chief of Staff A. A. G. 1862

Head Qrs. Prov. Marsh. Genl.  
Defences Is. of Potomac  
Alexandria Va. Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Official

H. H. MMS

Col & Prov. Marsh. Genl.

Def. Is. of the Potomac.

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Baltimore, Md.

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C. C.

Columbus Oh Dec 21 1864

Ray and Brown

C. H. and J. B.

Citizens of Columbus.

Request permission  
to ship from Lebanon  
Oh to Columbus Oh  
Ten Uls Whiskey

Brig Genl Meredith  
Commanding Western  
District of Kentucky  
He is under great want  
permission to ship from  
Lebanon Ky. to Columbus  
or Paducah Ky. 63126  
Whisky and oblige  
Roy & Brown

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Original

Columbus Kentucky Dec 21 1864

S Meredith

Commanding Western

District of Kentucky

Paducah Ky.

The undersigned

would respectfully ask permission to ship  
from Lebanon Ky to Columbus ~~and Paducah~~  
Kentucky some Fla. Whiskey

and ship Yours and etc P. W. S.

B. R. Roy

Geo B Brown

of  
Columbus  
Ky  
to  
Lebanon  
Ky  
for  
shipment

Genl S Merdith

Paducah

Kentucky

Columbus Ky. December 28 1864  
Brig Genl S Merdith

I herewith send  
you those of Bill of which I spoke to you  
when I was up. you will please present  
the original and return to me at  
Columbus (ind) oblige  
Your friend  
E. R. Kay.



Columbus Kentucky Dec 21 1864

Brig Gen S Meaditt

Commanding Western

District of Ky

Paducah Kentucky

The undersigned

would respectfully ask permission to ship from  
Lebanon Kentucky to Columbus or ~~Paducah~~

Kentucky ten BBs Whiskey worth three

hundred Dollars, and obliged yours

L R Ray

Geo B Brown

Copy

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13909  
Paducah, Ky. Ct.  
Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Hughes Sand. R.

States that sometime  
in the Spring of 1864  
the Steamer Sigma boat  
was burned near John  
sonville. That her boiler  
and hog chains were  
brought to Paducah  
and asks that a spe-  
cial Order be issued  
authorizing him to take  
possession of said pro-  
perty.

Amount upon the Surplus - to be paid  
upon bond of 5000 dollars. So that  
it may, "in the hands of the Government"

For any Claim by me.

Dr. Surg. Gen. S. Meredith  
Commanding "Dist. Western Kentucky"

Paducah. Ky Decr. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Dear Sir

I would respectfully state in  
behalf of Messrs. Wainwright & Co. Bankers in this City & W.  
Price of Eastport Mississippi and C. C. Smedley of this  
City, as well as in my own behalf, that we were  
the sole owners of the Steamer "Lyman Boyd" her Engines  
furniture tackle &c. built for an run as a Packet  
on the Tennessee River between the Ports of Paducah  
and Florence Ala. Some time in the Spring or  
Summer of 1862 said Boat was in the Tennessee  
River, at a point not far distant from the Town  
of Johnsonville, by some means unknown to me and  
so far as I can learn unknown to the other owners  
took fire and was consumed, leaving nothing as  
I can learn, except the Machinery Boilers Shaft  
Hog chains &c.

That after the burning the owners made repeated  
efforts to save the Machinery &c. out of the wreck, but  
owing to the difficulties in that region of Country  
they were unable to employ any one to secure the same  
and for which reason said property remained at  
the wreck, until it was taken possession of by the

Military, by whose authority, I am unable to say.  
I understand the Engines were taken to Johnsonville  
and used by the Government. On the 21<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> last the  
Boiler, three in number, Shaft Hog Chains &c were landed  
at Paducah, on a Government Barge, and received by  
the Acting Qu. Master at this Post, having been sent here  
by Capt Stubbs from Johnsonville. Said Boiler &c still remain  
at this Post without any legitimate disposition having  
been made of them, and consequently deteriorating in  
value by reason of exposure to weather and other causes.

For what reason the same was taken possession  
of by the Military, I am unable to divine, unless  
for the use of the Government, or to keep the same from  
falling into the hands of the Confederates, neither myself  
nor Co. Owners ever abandoned said savings from the  
Wicks, but on the contrary always looked forward to a  
time for securing said Boiler Engines &c. when assurances of  
safety could be given us.

I am, and have always been an unwavering  
Union Man, devoted to my Country and its interests,  
and I believe from all I know, and the information I  
have of the other owners, that they are also Loyal men.

In conclusion I would respectfully ask that you  
if you or cause to be made an Order restoring said  
Boiler Shaft and Hog Chains &c to me for myself, and  
the other owners of the Steamer Queen Boyd

I remain Respectfully  
Yours  
Sam<sup>l</sup> B. Hughes

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Heav. L. War. at King Point. N.

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Jan. 4<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully Returned

To Capt. C. H. Drew. Asst. Surg.

St. Marys Dist. with the following information. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst. I visited the store of Bond, Schofield, and

Taylor, and find that Bond and Schofield have been selling Whiskey to employees of the Quartermaster Dept. Bond in particular has let them have all the whiskey that they could get.

I seized his whiskey and ~~also~~ have taken his license over and sent him and Schofield under guard to Maj Brady today.

I could not take Mr Schofield's

Whiskey away on account of not having transportation I will send it at Annapolis I did not find anything against Taylor so we must take care.

Very Respectfully  
J. W. F. Ward  
2nd Lt. 1st Reg. C. W. I.

Cits

Dec 27/64

C. 25 (S.M.D.) 1864

Head-Quarters, St. Mary's District,  
Pays  
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27<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864

Gordon, A. C., Captain  
Act. Quartermaster.

State that a gang of labourers  
is employed building a wharf  
at Yellow Bank Landing, St.  
Mary's river, and that the  
work is very much retarded by  
the store-keepers in the vicinity  
selling liquor to the workmen.  
Requests that Brand, Taylor,  
and Schofield, - store-keepers,  
be forbidden to sell liquor to  
employees of the S. M. Dept.

Recd. 17. 8. St. M. D. 12<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> - 1864

E. B. - I - P. - 167.

Head-Quarters, St. Mary's District,  
Pays

28<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1864.

Respectfully referred to Lieut.  
McClellan, commanding det. at Pays  
a Point, for investigation and  
report. If in his opinion  
the facts warrant it, Lieut.  
McClellan will seize the  
liquor of the store-keepers  
named within, arrest  
them and send them to  
Major Brady, Provost Marshal  
of this District.

By Command of

Maj. Gen. B. B. ...

C. B. ...

Capt. ...



Depot for Prisoners of War,

OFFICE ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER,

Quantico, Md., Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Capt B H Drend

A. A. A. Genl

Dist of St Marys

Capt

Soyman D

Osborne - Chief Wagon Master 2nd Dept  
at this post, is at present engaged  
with a gang of laborers in building  
a wharf at Belle Bank Landing - St  
Marys River.

Mr Osborne complains that  
the work is very much retarded  
by storekeepers in that vicinity  
selling whiskey to his men.

I respectfully request  
that the said storekeepers be  
prohibited from selling liquor  
to employees of the 2nd Dept  
Their names are

Bond - Taylor & Seaford - located  
near Newport, & within two miles  
of the landing

I am Capt

Very Respectfully

Jurrola Sarra

W.D. Government  
Company

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore, Md.

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Dec 12, 64

W. J. ...

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# U. S. Military Telegraph.

Dec 12 1864 24  
By Telegraph from Smithland 12 1864 4  
To Capt Chapman  
Pro. Mas

Capt

You will  
detain in custody the  
two Barricks and  
Chambers who are  
connected with the  
Ashcroft & Nichols  
plot as they will  
be witnesses sufficient  
to convict them sent  
to Paducah tomorrow  
morning

Very Resp  
Henry P. Reed  
Capt Army Post

Hd. Qtrs Dept of Mississippie  
13913  
Memphis Tenn. Dec. 9. 1864

B. N. (Sup.) D. C. A. Noy.  
Brooks Parkman & Co

In relation to ~~we~~ protection  
in getting out cotton

Head Quarters Department of Miss  
Memphis Tenn Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

Commanders of Districts and Posts in this Department  
will not in any way hinder Postman Brooks & Co.  
while operating under an authority from Hon W.P.  
Fessenden Sec of Treasury and an order from the  
President of the U.S. under date respectively Aug 31<sup>st</sup>  
and Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1864, so long as they confine themselves ex-  
actly to the terms and requirements of the said author-  
ity and order, and are within the limits of this com-  
mand, No papers or Permits will be granted them  
until regulations are established, and announced by  
the War Department. Get a strict obedience and conformity  
will be exacted to the letter of the Presidents order, that  
they must not be hindered by the War or Navy or  
any other department of the Government, or any person  
engaged under any of the said departments,

a true copy

Engene A Saunders

W. J. Dana

Major Genl



H. S. of Louisville  
H. Ripwith Landing  
Nov 14 1864

Captains of the 1st  
Eth District

E. Parkman & Sons  
You will give  
protection in getting out their cotton.

Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant  
(Signed) George Bowen  
Comd'g Eth District  
Miss Squadron

Vertical scribbles and signatures, including names like "C. Parkman" and "Eth District".

Post Office

Postmaster's Office  
Property and Management Dept  
Memphis Tenn Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

The services of Steamer Union Walk  
are not required at this time by this Dept

Signature

Wm. H. Hunt  
Capt. U.S. Army

Dear Sir  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the services of the Steamer Union Walk. I am sorry to hear that the services of this vessel are not required at this time. I have no objection to your withdrawing the vessel from the service at any time.

M<sup>o</sup> 877 1864 Jol 6

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Winchester Va Dec. 16 1864  
M 271 M. M. D. 1864 45

Med. Mil. Division By  
C. Kingbury, A. A. S.

Directs the release of the  
prisoners named herein  
now confined at Fort  
McHenry. Citizens

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Brig. Gen. Morris,  
Comdg. 2<sup>d</sup> Sep. Brig., who will execute  
the orders of the Major General, Comdg.  
Middle Military Division in these ca-  
ses, and return this paper with re-  
port of action.

By command of  
Maj. Gen. M. A. D. B.

*[Handwritten signature]*

Per

Dec. 12 1864

Head of Dept. Dec. 20 1864

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 21, 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C. The order  
for the release of these  
men was issued this  
day. The names of  
Lyle Graham and Char-  
les Fleet do not appear  
on our records.

There are in confine-  
ment here, James Gra-  
ham and Charles  
Fleet whose resi-  
dences correspond  
with those mentioned  
in this order. I  
await further in-  
structions concerning

these two men

L. C. Collins  
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1st Brig Gen W. A. G.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. Dec. 21, 1864

Respectfully returned to

1st Brig Gen. Morris,  
Commanding 2d Sep. Brigade, who will  
release James Graham and Charles  
Fleet, as they are undoubtedly  
the proper parties.

Please return this paper, with  
report of action.

By Command of  
Major Gen. Wallace

Saml. R. Lawrence

for

W. A. G.

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 28, 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C.

Charles Fleet was released  
as above directed, per S.O. No 343  
Par 5 from the Office of the Com of this  
James Graham is to be held  
as a dangerous character, accord-  
ing to instructions received, Dec 27,  
from Hd Qrs Mid: Mil: Div. dated  
Dec 26/64.

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W. A. G.

1st Brig Gen W. A. G.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Lieut Col. C. Kingsbury  
A. A. Genl. Mid. Mil. Division, whose attention  
is invited to endorsement of Brig General  
W. W. Morris, dated Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Sam Wallace  
Maj. Genl. Commanding.

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C

File

Head Quarters Middle Military Division.

Conchester December 16<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Maj. Genl. Lewis Wallace  
Comd<sup>g</sup>. Middle Department  
Baltimore Md.

Genl:

The Major General commanding directs that the following named persons, be at once released from confinement at Fort McKenners.

The order releasing them will provide for their safe return home.

1. Geo. McFarlin of Conchester
2. Orion J. Rowe " do.
3. Lyles Graham near do.
4. James Hoey of do.
5. Charles F. Hunt " do.
6. Benj. C. Finckler " do.
7. Robt. Bucknidge do.

I am Genl.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

C. Ringblum  
Assistant Adjutant General.

M<sup>11</sup> 871<sup>11</sup> 1864 Vol. 6.  
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December 15<sup>th</sup> 1864  
M. 268 M. 710, 1864 48

Mid: Mil: Division  
By C. Kingsbury A. A. S.

Direct the release of the  
~~following~~ <sup>within</sup> named men  
now confined at Fort  
McHenry.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Col. Brig. Gen. Morris,  
Comd'g 2<sup>d</sup> Sep. Brig, who will  
execute the within orders of the  
Major General Comd'g Middle Mili-  
tary Division, and return this paper  
with report of action.

By command of  
Maj. Gen. Wallace

James R. [Signature]  
Major 3<sup>d</sup> Lt. 56.

Recd. M. 268. 48. Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 20 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C.

The order  
for the release  
of these men has  
this day been issued

*W. C. Smith*

*D. H. King, General*  
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Recheck Mid Dept Rec 21786

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec 20 1864

Respectfully returned to Head Quarters,  
Middle Military Division, with  
the remark, that the within  
named men have been released  
as directed.

In absence of the  
Major Genl. Commanding

*Wm. B. Lawrence*

A. A. Genl.

*File*



Head Quarters Middle Military Division,

December 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major General S. Wallace  
Commanding Middle Department  
Baltimore Md.

General

The Major General Commanding directs that the following named men now confined at Fort M'Henry be released. The order releasing them will provide for their safe return home

- 1 Gustav Riley citizen
- 2 Jesse Russell "
- 3 Jas. Gay "
- 4 Geo. S. Spalding "
- 5 A. J. Harford "
- 6 Jas. D. Howell "
- 7 Edward Smith "
- 8 Adam Moley "
- 9 Edward Jenkins "
- 10 Thomas Gordon "
- 11 M. Weaver "
- 12 Jas. Nugent "

(over)

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

Richard King

Asst. Surg. Genl.



Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C.

The name of Michael Rhine  
does not appear on the records of  
the Com. of this. A citizen of Winchester  
Va, named Michael Ryan was  
released Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864 pursuant to  
instructions from Maj Gen  
Sheridan, dated Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1864 and is  
doubtless the man referred to.

Jacob Spillman was released  
Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864. per S.O. 315 Par 1. from  
these Hqs dated Dec 25<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Andrew Williams was released  
according to instructions received  
from the 2d. Mid. Mil. Div. & Hqs. No  
28<sup>th</sup> A.C. of the same date as the  
within.

Robert Loring was released  
Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864. per S.O. 315 Par 2. from  
these Hqs dated Dec 25<sup>th</sup> 1864.

*W W Loring*  
Bt Brig Gen USA  
Comd'g

D 364  
E. Y. L.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. December 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Head Quarters Middle Military  
Division inviting attention to the endorsement of Bvt  
Brig Gen Morris dated Dec 28. 1864.

*L. C. Waller*  
Maj Genl. Commanding.

*(Circular stamp)*

Head Quarters Middle Military Division,

December 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major General Lewis Wallace  
Comd. Mid. Department  
Baltimore Md.

General: The Major General Comd. directs that the following named persons be at once released from confinement in Fort M<sup>c</sup>Henry.

The order releasing them will provide for their return home.

By your  
Michael Rhine of Connecticut  
Jacob Spillman was "  
Audus Williams of Bayville  
Ralph Loring a deserter from the  
rebel army will be released under the provisions of  
Special Order No. 82, U. S. from Headquarters  
Army of the United States.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant

A. J. Haynes  
Adj.

Benjamin Stein's Obit.

having complied with the provisions  
of General Order No. 77, Promot Marshal General's Office, in con-  
forming with Special Order No. 763, Md. Div. Dept't of Ark., by pay-  
ing the sum of Five \$5.00  
cents as a salary and traveling, to sell Government  
free & small beer for one month from date hereof.

Office of Post Promot Marshal,  
Little Rock, Ark. Dec 5 1897.

W. W. O'Neil

Copied and Post Promot Marshal

1863

Benhart Stern Otto having complied with the provisions of General Orders No. 77, Provost Marshal General's Office, in conformity with Special Orders No. 763, Hd. Qrs. Dep't of Ark., by paying the sum of Five \$5.00 dollars, is hereby licensed to keep a Bar and Shelary to sell Beard, Cakes, Pies & Small Beer for one month from date hereof.

Office of Post Provost Marshal,

Little Rock, Ark. Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864.

W. H. DeLoach

Capt. and Post Provost Marshal.

Benjamin Sherman

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Rome Military Commission  
Dec. 2, 1864,

John A. Foster  
Col. & Judge Advocate

Report of cases  
tried.

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Rooms Military Commission

Washington Dec 2<sup>d</sup> 1864

Col. M. S. Weiswell

Military Governor

Sir

I have the honor to report that the Military Commission convened by Special Orders N<sup>o</sup> 41, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, was during the present week tried and disposed of the following cases, viz.

William Posey, Aiding

Soldiers to desert

Charles Posey, Aiding

Soldiers to desert

Patrick Dolan, Aiding

Soldiers to desert

James Ginnell, Unlawful  
communication with the Enemy

John S. Sewell, Unlawful  
communication with the Enemy

R. B. Hook, Unlawful

communication with the Enemy  
James P. Harry } Unlawful  
communication with the Enemy

Benjamin Newman }

Isaac Siekles }

Simon Siekles }

Selling

goods to blockade runners

Lewis Weibon }

Samuel Weibon }

Isaac Kohnstamm }

Selling

goods to blockade runners

The other cases are still on trial

I remain

Your Obt. Servt.

John A. Foster

Col & Judge Advocate

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December 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

Med. Mil. Division  
by A. F. Hayden aadg

Directs the release from Fort  
McHenry of the following named men  
Lylee Grinn, W. H. Eggleston  
J. H. Squire, Elisha Snapp,  
J. Snapp, Alfred Klemmer  
Wm. Brown, & Co. B. Eagle

Chester

Head Quarters and Dept  
Baltimore, 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864

Receipt reference to Capt Henry  
Lee Morris. Co. 2<sup>nd</sup> Inf  
Brigade who will comply  
with the within order &  
return this paper with receipt  
of same.

By command of  
Maj Gen Wallace  
A. S. Lawrence

Resd Med Dept Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1865

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

January 2<sup>d</sup> 1865

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C. The name  
of W. G. (or G.) Eggleston  
does not appear on  
our records. Wm. J.  
Eggleston our books  
show as a prisoner, but  
he says his name is W. G.  
John Liebenberg was  
reported to this office  
as John Liebenberg

The others were  
released as ordered

W. B. Brown

Atty Gen'l

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W. B. Brown

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1865.

Respectfully referred to *Brig. Genl. W. H. Morris*  
*Commanding 2<sup>nd</sup> Sep. Brigade,* who will  
release the men *Eggleston & Linsinger*  
as they are undoubtedly the men intended.  
Please return this paper, with reports.

A

By Command of  
*Brig. Genl. Wallace*  
*Wm. P. Lawrence*

A. A. Genl.

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

Jan'y 4<sup>th</sup> 1865

Respectfully referred to *Comd. of*  
*Prisoners* who will  
carry out the fore-  
going instructions  
and return this paper  
with report

By *Comd. Genl. Morris*  
"W" *J. Gallie Ramsey*  
A. A. G.

M 281 M. W. D., 1865

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Office Commissary of Prisoners,  
FORT McHENRY, MD.

July 4 1865

Respectfully returned to Head  
Qrs 2d Sep Bng &c. the foregoing  
requirements having been carried  
out, W. S. on 4, from this office.  
George McKenna  
Lieut

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Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

January 5 1865

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C. these

instructions have  
been fully com-  
plied with

W. S. McKenna  
Capt

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. January 7 1865

Respectfully returned to Head Qrs.

Mid. Mil. Div. with the re-  
mark that the within named  
men have been released as  
directed

"W"

In the name of the  
Major Genl. Comdg  
Saml. Lawrence

Saml. Lawrence

(Saml. Lawrence)

Head Quarters Md. Mil. Division  
December 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major General Lew Wallace  
Comdg. Middle Department  
Baltimore Md.

~~General~~ The Major General Commanding directs that  
the following named men be at once released from  
confinement at Fort M. Henry. Md.

The order releasing them will provide for their  
return home.

Lykes Green - was convicted  
Wm. G. Eggleston " "  
John Lieberman " "  
Elisha Snapp " "  
J. Snapp " "  
Alfred Clinger " "  
Wm. Brown near or at Bank Royal  
Cornelius B. Slagle convicted

This last named man is probably the one  
ordered to be released Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> under the name of  
'Cornelius Slagle'.

The man 'Lykes Green' may be the

man furiously ordered released under the  
name of "Lyles Graham".

The ignorance of many of the people  
in this section, as regards spelling their own  
names, has caused great confusion.

I am

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant

A. J. Hayden

Capt. & Co. G.

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Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., Sept 1 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dept Head Quarters

with information that this man  
gave the name of Wm R. Horton at

time of his arrest, June 24/64. This

man was ~~sent to the rolls from~~

this office, he was arrested in Co

with John B. McWilliams & Wm H

Hayden. McW. has been tried by

Military Commission and released,

Hayden was released by Major

Hayner. The charge against

all parties was Running the

Blockade, the papers in the

case were forwarded to Major

Marshal June 24 1864.

L. Capt. & Capt. Prov. Marshal

See Harlow instead  
of Harlow

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Baltimore, Dec 15

Capt A. T. Knou

Act. Dir. Div. 8th U.S.

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Am directed by

Major Genl Comdr to inquire if Mr. W. H. Haxton, now confined in Baltimore Jail, was arrested by the 8th U.S. and if so, where his name does not appear upon the report of our field office.

Please give me the date of his arrest, and the charges against him together with any other information you can give concerning the case.

Very Respectfully  
Yours obediently  
James R. R  
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Rev. Mr. Wm. M. D.

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Ad. Gen. Mid. Dept. 8th A. C.

Provost Marshal's Office  
Baltimore Md. December 24/64  
W. 246 M. M. 2. 1864

Woolley Lt. Col. John  
Provost Marshal

Report in the cases of Mrs. Ellen  
Carroll & Mrs. Mary E. Selden,  
who reported themselves at this  
Office, as refugees from Virginia,  
under very strange & suspicious  
circumstances, also encloses report  
of Capt. Meigel A.M. in same case.

Head Qrs Middle Dept. Dec 24

Head Qrs Middle Dept.  
Balt Dec 24/64

Respectfully returned  
to Lt. Col. Woolley, who  
was paroled. Mrs. Carroll  
& Mrs. Seldon to remain  
in this City report  
when called for.

These papers to be return  
ed with report of action

By com. Maj Gen Wallace  
James R. Raf  
Majr ad

Completed

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Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 24th. 1864.

Respectfully returned to  
Mrs. Carroll & Mrs. Seldon were paroled this  
p.m.  
J. M. Woolley  
Lieut. Col. & Prov. Marshal.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 24th. 1864.

Respectfully referred to Major Genl. J. H. Sheridan?  
Commanding Middle Military Division. The  
conduct of Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Seldon was so  
strange and indecent while before my Provost  
Marshal, and their account of themselves so  
unsatisfactory, that I thought it best, to parole  
them, until the wishes and instructions of Genl.  
Sheridan could be obtained.

Your attention is respectfully invited to  
the reports herewith enclosed.

J. M. Wallace  
Maj. Genl. Commanding  
File

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major Gen. Lewis Wallace  
Comdg. Mid Dept & a. c.

Gen.

I have the honor to report in regard to the arrest of Mrs Ellen Carroll and Mr Mary E Selden that they came to this office about 10 o'clock Pm yesterday. I was not present when they arrived but came in shortly after & found Capt Wiegel examining their case. The usual interrogations developed the fact that they had come into our lines near Maj Gen Sheridans head quarters & that they had been able to come to Baltimore without having been required to take the oath of allegiance. This very naturally led Capt Wiegel to inquire how they had managed & in order that a more thorough investigation might be had the Capt.

Very properly proposed to put them on <sup>2</sup>their parole  
& proceeded to fill out the forms. This done the  
party stood up & Capt Meigel commenced repeating  
the parole. At this moment I was standing by  
Mr Thompsons desk looking on & listening, when  
I discovered that Mrs Carroll the prisoner was laughing  
I immediately edged my way to the party, taking  
a position on the left of & in full view of the party,  
seeing that the affair was being made lightly of and  
that Mrs Carroll was laughing I ordered Capt Meigel  
to stop, adding the remark that I would not allow  
so serious a matter to be treated as lightly or so  
disrespectfully, that an oath or obligation of so  
serious a nature could not be made a farce of  
in this office. These parties having come from the  
south, having no papers or other evidence that  
they had taken the oath of allegiance or even been  
paroled I ordered them to be confined under guard  
in a good room at the Washington Hotel oppo



site this office. This morning I have personally  
 Examined the parties & I find that they came  
 into Gen Sheridans lines about three weeks  
 since, they were in custody about two weeks, they  
 first went to Gen. Sterensons N<sup>o</sup> 1 at Harper  
 Ferry, he sent them to Gen Sheridan Head  
 Quarters where they sent him a letter given  
 them by a priest who is in the Rebel army.  
 Gen Sheridan sent them word that the priest  
 was a Rebel & ordered them forwarded to  
 Newton for Examination. Finally the  
 Provost Marshal there gave them a pass  
 to go north, they came to Harper Ferry &  
 their pass was then taken up & one given them  
 to proceed to Baltimore. They state that they were  
 not asked by any one to take the oath of Allegiance. This  
 seems singular to say the least, & possibly it is true,  
 but I do not incline to the belief that any officer  
 in Gen Sheridans Command would allow them  
 to proceed north without their giving some assurance  
 of their desire to acknowledge their allegiance  
 to the Gov<sup>t</sup> of the United States. Be that as it may.  
 I have asked them both if they would take the oath  
 & they both find objectionable features in the oath  
 in short they do not want to take it if they can  
 avoid doing so. They desire to be paroled, Mrs

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Carrol wants to go Europe if she cannot be allowed to stay here, her husband is a staff officer with Gen Ennis. he does not desire to come north but intends (as Mrs C says) to go to the Continent

Mrs Selden desires to be paroled to enable her to look after her property at Norfolk which the Genl has confiscated & is about to sell. She wants also to see her friends & in a short time wants to go South again & says she can go to the Hon Secy of War or Mr Lincoln & get her pass. She claims to be an intimate friend of Professor Henry of the Smithsonian Institute. Both are well bred Educated & intelligent ladies & just such characters as in my humble opinion may be engaged in some affair of importance to the Rebel Confederacy.

From their Expressions & manner & considering their history & family connexions I do not, as they are Rebels, place any confidence in their assertions that they would not do anything against this Government.

They have no papers other than a pass from Gen Stenson to come to Balt. I understand the Genl is in town & if so he may be able to give some information respecting them

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obedt Servt  
John Woolley  
Lover & Am

Ms. A. 9. 6 = m. m. d., 1848

With,  
"SS" 20 "162" 1864

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, December 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

Lieut Col John Woolley,  
Provost Marshal

Colonel.

I have the honor to make the following statement of facts, in connection with the detention of Mr. Carroll & Selden, last night.

About 6 o'clock P.M. Yesterday Mr. Carroll & Selden reported to me, in accordance with instructions which I had given the day before to one Gilmer Meredith a Rebel citizen of Baltimore. I questioned them, was frequently interrupted by others who were with them as friends, and finally sent them to Lieut Smith, to get their statement. The statement which they made to me verbally, was that they had taken the oath of neutrality before Maj Genl Sheridan and were given a pass by him.

to go North, they shortly after contradicted themselves, and on being asked by me, "if they were the subjects of any foreign power," they replied in the negative. Upon which I said, that as American Citizens, they could not take the oath of Neutrality. They both exclaimed that they had not taken any oath, that Genl Sheridan sent them to Genl Stevenson & Genl Stevenson, upon the recommendation of six (6) officers of the 19<sup>th</sup> A.C. gave them a pass to Baltimore. Thinking that they were endeavoring to trifle with me, I concluded to hold them as prisoners of this office, on their "parole of honor," more particularly so because they had contradicted themselves several times, and because of their behaviour, (I mean, that they were winking at each other & laughing constantly, during the examination) more particularly was this so, while I was filling up the Blanks, while they supposed I could not see them, my head being down, and when I got

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up to read the Parole to them, they both, but Mr. Carroll in particular, were convulsed with laughter, which was almost boisterous. Col Woolley had noticed their conduct, and finally stepped up and informed them that so sacred a thing as an oath, should not be made light of, in his office, and refused to allow the parole to be given them, and directed that they should be taken over to the Hotel opposite this office, which was done.

Mr. Carroll stated while on the road to the Hotel, that it was fear which made her laugh, that she always was affected in that way, but when she arrived at the Hotel, she said that she could not help laughing, as she was thinking of her Husband to whom she was but lately married. I left them at the Hotel, where they now are.

They are Rebels of the first Water & all of their Connections, are the same

and those who accompanied them to this office are particularly bitter.

I am satisfied that there is some thing wrong with these women, & that they are here for no good purpose.

The statement made under oath by them, is altogether different from any other made to me.

I have the honor, to be,

Very Respectfully

Your obedient servant

*[Signature]*  
Capt Hapt Cross Marshal

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No 2nd Lt. Dec 22  
Chap. 1st Lt. May 22  
Name in L. Col. Woolley  
G. O. 129

Head. 1st Lt. Dec 22  
Batt. Dec 22/4  
Respectfully referred to Lt  
Col. Woolley, who will  
return this paper with report  
of disposition of prisoners  
mentioned in enclosed order  
By comp. Maj. Gen. Wallace  
James R. R. R.  
May 22



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Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 31, 1864.

Respectfully referred to

attached

Dept. Headquarters,  
with information that Gover & Cassidy  
& Watkins were sent to the Albany  
Penitentiary Dec. 28, 1864.

John Hooley  
Lieut. Col. & Prov. Mar.

Serg & Long

Note of file  
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**HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT**  
**GENERAL ORDERS,** **EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.**  
**No. 129.** *Baltimore, Md., December 23d 1864.*

I. Before a Military Commission convened at Baltimore, Md., by virtue of Par. 4, S. O. 283, current series from these Head Quarters, of which Major George M. DUMERY, 9th Regiment U. S. Colored Troops, was President, was arraigned and tried:

1. *William Grover*, a citizen.

**CHARGE:**

*Aiding and enticing a soldier in the military service of the United States to desert.*

*Specification.*—In this, that *William Grover*, a citizen, on or about the 23d day of October, 1864, at or near the Relay House of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, Md., did entice, aid and persuade one ALFRED GOULD, a soldier in the military service of the United States, to desert the same.

To which charge and specification the accused pleaded as follows:

To the specification,  
To the charge,

"Not Guilty."  
"Not Guilty."

**FINDING.**

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification,  
Of the charge,

"Guilty."  
"Guilty."

And the Commission do therefore sentence him, the said *William Grover*, to be imprisoned at hard labor for and during the period of *three years*, to date from the day of sentence (December 14, 1864,) at such place as the Commanding General may designate.

II. *James Cassidy*, a citizen.

**CHARGE:**

*Aiding and enticing a soldier in the military service of the United States to desert.*

*Specification.*—In this, that *James Cassidy*, a citizen, did, on or about the 23d day of October 1864, at or near the Relay House of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, Md. entice and persuade and aid one *Alfred Gould*, a soldier in the Military service of the United States to desert the same.

To which charge and specification the accused pleaded as follows:

To the specification,  
To the charge,

"Not Guilty."  
"Not Guilty."

**FINDING.**

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification,  
Of the charge,

"Guilty."  
"Guilty."

And the Commission do therefore sentence him *James Cassidy*, "To be imprisoned at hard labor for and during the period of *three years* to date from the day of sentence (December 14th 1864,) at such place as the Commanding General may designate.

III. *John W. Watkins, jr.*, a citizen.

CHARGE:

*Conduct tending to incite insurrection and encourage rebellion.*

Specification.—In this, that *John W. Watkins jr.*, a citizen, did on or about the 10th day of November, 1864, at or near Towson town, Md., tear down the flag of the United States, which was displayed from the dwelling of a loyal citizen, to wit *John C. Longensken*, intending thereby to express and excite disrespect and rebellion against the United States.

To which charge and specification the accused pleaded as follows:

To the specification,  
To the charge,

"Not Guilty."  
"Not Guilty."

FINDING.

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification,  
Of the charge,

"Guilty."  
"Guilty."

And the Commission do therefore sentence him, *John W. Watkins, jr.*, "to be imprisoned at hard labor for and during the period of *three years* to date from the day of sentence, (December 14, 1864,) at such place as the Commanding General may designate.

II. The proceedings findings and sentences in the foregoing cases of *William Grover*, *James Cassidy* and *John W. Watkins, jr.*, citizens, are approved and confirmed and the sentences will be carried into execution.—The Commanding General designates the Penitentiary at Albany, New York, as the place of imprisonment of the prisoners, to which place they will be conveyed under suitable guard.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WALLACE.

SAMUEL B. LAWRENCE,

Asst. Adj. General.

OFFICIAL.

A. D. C.

*Send three copies to  
C. M. W. C.*

*W. C.*

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Head-qs. Milit. Dept. 8. A. C. Co.  
Baltimore Md. Dec<sup>r</sup>. 10<sup>th</sup>. 1864.

Major J. R. Rye  
Aid-de-camp

Request information as to date of  
arrest & charges preferred against  
the following prisoners.

- Benjamin Hoffman
- Alfred Gold
- James Tipper

Very much yours  
Wm. A. R. ...

Wm. A. R.  
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35 May 1864

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 12, 1864.

Respectfully returned to Major J. R. Ruff

A. D. with information that  
Benj Hoffmann, real name Battelle,  
was arrested Nov 9/64 charged  
with defrauding the Govt with  
forged Discharges. he is now in  
City Jail. - Albert Gould, arres-  
ted Nov 4/64 Charge "Desertion"  
now in City Jail. the name  
of James Tupper does not ap-  
pear on our records.

C. P. [Signature]  
Capt & Capt Prov. Mar.

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Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore, December 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Dear John Woolley  
From Mars etc

Colonel:

I have the honor to request information as to date of arrest and charges against the following prisoners: no record of their confinement appearing at this Head Quarters. By

Benj Hoffman

Alfred Gould

James Tipper

Please return this paper with the information requested above as soon as practicable.

Very Respectfully  
Your obedient servant  
James C. Ral  
My V. etc

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 14, 1864.

Respectfully referred to Judge Bond, to know  
if he requires the information for  
which Maj. Ross wrote to Lt Col Woolsey  
& Benjamin Hoffman alias Battelle,  
is to be tried by Court-Martial in  
a few days. Maj. Ross, has left the  
city for a few days.

Please return this paper -

By Command of  
Major Genl. Wallace

E. L. Shaw  
A. A. Genl.

May Ross -

Judge Forest Camp

The General

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Provost Marshal's Office  
HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT.  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore Md. Dec 19 1864

PRISONER  
Wm F Smith  
C. Malston

RESIDENCE.

Worcester Co. Md

ARRESTED.

Dec 18th 1864

CHARGE.

Disloyalty. destroying

Union man's property while searching  
for a colored man to harbor

WITNESSES.

Sidney Powell

Wm L Bowen

1864

Had to Mr Dept

Paets of my 5/6

Respectfully forwarded  
to Judge W. C. C. to  
prepare charges

By J. M. J. W. C. C.  
James R. R.  
J. M. J. W. C. C.

Head-qs. Mid. Dept. 8<sup>th</sup> A.C.  
Provost Marshal's Office  
Baltimore, Md. Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded to Dept. Hd.  
-qs. for information of Comdg' Genl.  
& for instructions  
J. M. Woolley  
S. Col. & P. M.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.  
Baltimore, Md., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Lieut. Col. J. Woolley  
Provost Marshal 8<sup>th</sup> Army Corps, who  
will keep the parties in custody in  
City Jail, & let the papers in this case  
be sent to Maj. Marshall for  
preparation of charges &c.

By Command of  
Maj. Genl. Wallace  
E. J. James  
Maj. & A. P. C.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.  
OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.  
Baltimore, Md., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to through Dept.  
Head Qrs to Major  
Wm L. Marshall Judge  
advocate 8<sup>th</sup> A.C. referring  
him to endorsement from  
Dept Head Qrs Dec 29<sup>th</sup>  
No other papers in case

J. M. Woolley  
S. Col. P. M.

charges against

William F. Smith  
With

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charges and specifications against William F Smith  
a citizen

charges

conduct tending to incite sedition and encourage rebellion against the authority of the United States

Specification - In this that William F Smith a citizen of the United States and owing allegiance thereto together with certain disloyal dis orderly and seditious persons to wit Herbert Marshall Ebenezer Walston and Henry Davis on or about the 8 day of November 1864 at or near Berlin Worcester County Maryland did pursue and hunt for one William Williams a soldier in the Military service of the United States for the purpose of beating and otherwise chastising treating the said Williams because he had enlisted and was a soldier in said service and had fought in the battles of said United States against the rebel army of the so called Confederate States and in their pursuit of said soldier did break up their furniture destroy the property injure the houses and do other great harm to two loyal citizens of the United States to wit Robert Baker and Nathan Riley because they were supposed to have concealed and protected said soldier

W F Marshall

prosecutor

& Attorney

Charge against

Ebenezer Walston

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Will

"Ch. A. S." 1844 No. 3

Charges and specifications against Ebenezer Walston  
a citizen -

Charge

conduct tending to incite sedition and encourage re-  
bellion against the United States.

Specification - In this that Ebenezer Walston a citizen  
of the United States and owing allegiance thereto did on  
or about the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1864 at or near Berlin  
in Worcester Co Maryland in combination with certain  
disorderly and seditious persons, persons and hunt for  
one William Williams a wounded soldier in the Militi-  
ary service of the United States for the purpose of beat-  
ing and otherwise maltreating the said soldier -  
because he was a soldier in said service and had  
fought in the battles of said United States against the  
Rebel army of the so called Confederate States and in  
their said pursuit of the said soldier did break up the  
furniture and injure the houses and destroy the prop-  
erty and ~~do other~~ injuries to two loyal citizens  
of the United States to wit Robert Bader and Matilda  
Riley because they were supposed to have concealed said soldier

W L Marshall

Judge Advocate

& Army Corps

To be confined for the period of ~~90~~ months at labor

L. Cunningham



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13925 EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to Brig. Genl. C. B. Tyler, Command<sup>g</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> N.Y. Brigade, to be returned after March is discharged, and action noted hereon.

By Command of  
Majr Genl. Wallace  
Thos. R. Lawrence

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W. A. G.

Head Qrs 10<sup>th</sup> Dept. Brigade #1 A. C.

Relay House Md. Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 65

Respectfully returned to Dept. Hd. Qrs. with the information that March has been under the charge of a surgeon since he has been here, but sufficiently recovered to be at the Hd. Qrs. yesterday when the order for his discharge was made, and with the further remark that he has not been on duty here since the receipt of the above endorsement.

W. A. G.

March is still unfit to read

Wm. G. Tyler

Send back to Hd. Qrs. 10<sup>th</sup> Dept. 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 65

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Brig. Genl. C. B. Tyler  
Commanding 1<sup>st</sup> Sep. Brig, with the  
remark that, as the complaints against  
Marsh are so frequent that, without subjecting  
him to prosecution on the within affidavits,  
General Tyler is requested to discharge him  
from his employment.

Please return these papers with report of action.

By Command of  
Major Genl. Wallace.

Wm. B. Lawrence  
A. C. Gault

Let's

Headquarters First Separate Brigade,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Esley House, Md., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dept. Sec. Off.

with the information that Marsh  
is now absent serving under orders  
from Military Commission: on  
his return the above endorsement  
will be complied with.

E. B. Tyler

Brig. Genl.

Redback Med Dept Dec 27 1864

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Headquarters First Separate Brigade,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS,

Relay House, Md., Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dept. Ad.:

Gen. with the information that  
C. M. Marsh has been sent to  
Col. Woodley as directed.

C.

E. P. Kyle

Brig. Genl.

Comd'g Co.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS,

Baltimore, Md., Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to

Col. Woodley

Per War. S. U. C. for intell.  
and report

By Command of

Wm. Genl. Wallace

JAMES R. B.

Wm. A. G. B.

C.

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Hoggo, bank Justice of the Peace

Forward, affidavits of  
A. G. Leaman, Alexander Steh-  
son, Mrs. Mary M. Griffith and  
Miss Louise M. Griffith, who tes-  
tify in relation to depredations  
committed by Federal soldiers  
under the sanction of a detec-  
tive named Morrish

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Brig. Gen. E. B.  
Tyler, Comd'g 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. Brig., who  
will send <sup>Marshall</sup> ~~them~~ to Col. Woolley,  
Provost Marshal 8<sup>th</sup> A.C., under ar-  
rest.

Please return this paper with  
report of action

By command of  
Maj. Gen. Wallace  
J. M. Lawrence

W. L. G.

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Recd Middle Dept

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., Dec 22<sup>d</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to

Rept. Headquarters,  
calling attention to statement of Officer Marsh,  
I have no idea that Marsh is guilty of the  
charge nor do I believe he did or would com-  
mit such acts as are complained of.  
The parties who make the complaints are  
rebels & although it is possible the cavalry  
men may have acted badly I do not  
believe Marsh acted with them or counte-  
nanced any of their unlawful proceedings.

John Woolley  
Lieut. Colonel & Provost Marshal

For General Malcom  
Peru & Co  
P.M.

\*Rec'd back Mid Dept Dec 23

State of Iowa, Montgomery County, to wit

On this 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864 before me

of et G. Leaman, of said County

Before me the undersigned a Justice

of the Peace of said State and

County personally appeared

William G. Leaman of said

County aged 33 years who

being duly sworn on the holy

Evangel of Almighty God

deposeth and saith

That on the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1864 I had stolen

from my premises a barrel of valuable Cider

Being perfectly satisfied in my mind as to who the

parties were who committed the theft, and in accord-

ance with suggestions made by Col Knight the gentle-

manly Commandant at Monrovia, Mo. I immedi-

ately applied to the Civil authorities for a process which

would enable me to make the necessary search with

the view of ascertaining the whereabouts of the stolen

property. Before however I could execute the process

Detective Morris (whose headquarters was in the

house where it was suspected the Cider was carried

& concealed) ordered me to be arrested and thereby

prevented me from making a satisfactory search

of the premises, Morris declaring that the Civil

officer was Col Knight himself, would <sup>not</sup> be allowed

to search the premises.

A. G. Leaman

Witness my hand and subscribed by the said

Deponent on the day and year aforesaid

Wm. R. P.

State of Maryland Montgomery County to Wit  
On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Decemr 1864 at the  
residence of Lyander Etchison Montgomery  
County before me the subscriber a justice of the  
peace in and for said County & State personally  
appeared Lyander Etchison of Montgomery  
County aged 34 years who being duly sworn on  
the Holy Evangel of Almighty God deposited and  
deposeth

That a valuable turkey on the premises  
of Mrs Mary W. Griffith, heard that the soldiers  
had taken it away with several of Mrs Griffiths  
immediately went to the residence of Mrs Soper  
the head quarters of Detective Morrish, had an inter-  
view with him, told him I wished to reclaim  
my turkey, But Morrish informed me I could  
~~not~~ not have the turkey unless Mrs Griffiths in  
possession of the soldiers who were with Morrish,  
Lyander Etchison

From and Subscribed to Before  
me on this 8 Dec 1864 by said deponent  
Sam Pegg of J  
J P.

State of Maryland, Montgomery County to wit

On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Decemr 1864 at the  
Residence of Mrs. Mary W. Griffith Montgomery  
County. Before me the Subscriber a Justice of  
the Peace in and for said State and County,  
personally appeared Mrs. Mary W. Griffith  
of Montgomery County aged 43 years who be-  
ing duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist of  
Almighty God, deposed & testified

That her  
premises was visited by a squad of Federal sol-  
diers on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 1864, and  
in the name of and by the authorities of said  
line Morris demanded of me three turkeys  
to this I demurred and offered to feed them  
liberally provided they would ~~not~~  
turkeys, but to no advantage but with harsh  
and disrespectful language <sup>to me</sup> they killed the  
turkeys three in number when they return-  
ed in the direction of their headquarters  
at the house of Mrs. Lopez. They car-  
ried the poultry with them of course at the  
same time and place also appeared Mr.  
~~James~~ ~~deposition~~ ~~and~~ ~~he~~ ~~subscribed~~ ~~the~~ ~~statement~~  
as above made by her mother

Mary W. Griffith  
Emmale Griffith

Sworn to and Subscribed to by the  
said Depositions on this 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864  
before  
Sam. Pegg of 4  
J. P.



Patterson Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1864  
Statement of Detective E. H. Marsh

In regard to the charges against me made by Mr. Leaman, Mr. Etchinson, Mrs. Griffith and Miss Griffith I would state that I know nothing of the barrel of Cider mentioned in the charges. There was no barrel of Cider brought to Mr. Soper's house where I was stopping, by my order or with my knowledge while I was stopping at the house. And no Civil Authorities came to search Mr. Soper's house while I was there, I never made any such remark as declaring that the Civil Authorities should not search the house.

On the morning of the 26<sup>th</sup> Nov. Mr. Leaman came to Soper's house, inquiring if I knew anything about the Cider. And in company with myself made a minute search for it of the premises, for the Cider.

In regard to the turkeys said to have been taken from Mrs. Griffith. I know nothing more than that the soldiers who were with me at Soper's house, went out and got three turkeys without my knowledge. They told me the turkeys were given to them by some folks across the

country. There was three privates and one Corporal of 1<sup>st</sup> Del. Cav. sent with me to assist in making some arrests. They were under charge of the Corporal and I had no authority over them. I was under the impression the turkeys had been given to them as they stated,

Mr. Etchinson came to me about the turkeys and I told him to go to the Corporal that I had nothing to do with them. I heard the Corporal tell Mr. Etchinson that the turkeys were given to them by a lady and he must look to her for redress.

This is all I know in regard to the case.

In regard to Mr. Leamen's arrest, I would simply state that I was informed he had a Gov't revolver in his possession. I sent for him, he came and told me he had sent the revolver to his Brother-in-law in Frederick Md.

Mr. Leamen was not arrested.

C. H. Marsh,

Sworn & subscribed to  
before me this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of Dec 1864  
H. B. Smith  
Lieut &c

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Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Capt. H. H. Higel A.P.M.  
8th Ab, who will please return this paper  
with report of the date that these men  
were sent to the place of confinement  
designated in the within order.

By command of  
Major General Wallace

Saml. Lawrence  
A.A.G.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dept H. H. Higel  
with the information that  
prisoners McDonald and  
Hubbard were sent to  
the Fort October 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

~~Saml. Lawrence~~  
Capt and Adj. Gen.

Recd H. H. Higel in Dept Dec 6<sup>th</sup>

# HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT,

GENERAL ORDERS. }  
No. 94.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., October 8th, 1864.

Before a Military Commission convened at Baltimore Maryland by virtue of Par. 7, Special Orders Nos. 203, Head-Quarters Middle Dept. August 17th 1864, of which Lieut. Col. C. T. HANLEY, 8th Mass. Vol. Militia, is President, was arraigned and tried:

1. ROBERT R. McDOWELL.

**CHARGE.** *Assisting a substitute in the U. S. Army to desert.*

**Specification.**—In this, that he the said Robert R. McDowell, did, on or about the twelfth day of September 1864, at the residence of Edward R. Hubbard furnish Abel Tyson, a substitute in the U. S. Army, with a citizens coat and cravat or neck-tie for the purpose of aiding said Abel Tyson to desert the United States Army.

To which charge and specification the accused pleaded as follows:

To the specification

"Not Guilty."

To the charge,

"Not Guilty."

**FINDING.**

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced, find the accused, as follows:

Of the specification,

"Guilty."

Of the charge,

"Guilty."

And the Commission do therefore sentence him the said Robert R. McDowell, "To be imprisoned at hard labor for and during the period of one year, to date from the day of arrest (September 12th 1864,) at such place as the Commanding General may designate.

2. EDWARD R. HUBBARD.

**CHARGE.** *Assisting a substitute in the U. S. Army to desert.*

**Specification.**—In this, that he the said Edward R. Hubbard, did, on or about the 30th day of August 1864, dispose of Abel Tyson as a substitute in the 2nd Congressional District of Maryland, whereby the said Edward R. Hubbard, did, receive in consideration thereof from one Reuben McCauley, a substitute broker, the sum of one hundred (\$100) dollars or more, and did thereafter on or about the 12th day of September 1864, receive into his Hubbards residence on Baltimore Street, the said Abel Tyson a substitute in the U. S. Army, and there and then supply said Abel Tyson with a pair of citizens pants, retaining in his (Hubbards) house the said Tysons U. S. Uniform clothes knowing that he was assisting said Tyson to desert.

To which charge and specification the accused pleaded as follows:

To the specification,

"Not Guilty."

To the charge,

"Not Guilty."

**FINDING.**

The commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced find the accused as follows:

Of the specification,

- "Guilty."

Of the charge,

"Guilty."

And the Commission do therefore sentence him the said Edward R. Hubbard, "To be imprisoned at hard labor for and during the period of *three years*, to date from the day of arrest (September 12th 1864,) at such place as the Commanding General may designate.

II. The proceedings findings and sentences in the foregoing cases of Robert R. McDowell and Edward R. Hubbard, are approved and confirmed and the sentences will be carried into execution. "The Commanding General designates Fort McHenry Md., as the place of confinement of the prisoners.

**BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WALLACE.**

**SAMUEL B. LAWRENCE.**

Asst. Adj. General.

*Original.*

A. D. C.

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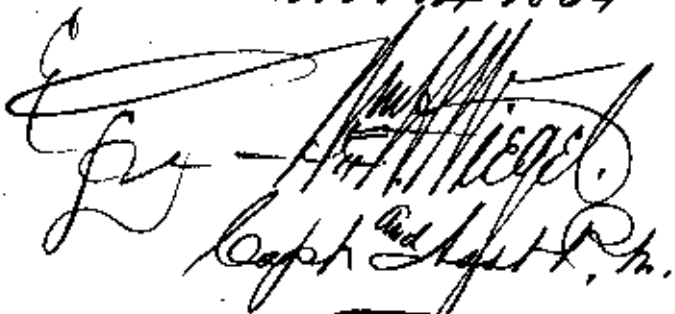
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE ROYAL MARSHAL.

Baltimore, Md., 8 Dec 1864.

Respectfully returned to Dep't G. 20<sup>th</sup>  
with the information that  
Richard Thompson paid  
his fine and was discharged  
Nov 4 1864

Prisoners Reeside and  
Biddison were sent to  
the front Nov 4 1864

By   
Capt. H. H. Hiegel,  
Adj. Gen.

Respectfully referred to Capt. H. H. Hiegel, Adj. Gen.  
8th Ab., who will please return this paper  
with report of the date that these men  
were sent to the place of confinement des-  
ignated in the within order.

By command of  
Major General Wallace  
E. L. Samuel R. Lawrence  
A. A. G.

HEAD-QUARTERS,

MIDDLE DEPARTMENT, 8TH ARMY CORPS,

BALTIMORE, MD., Nov. 3, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS }  
No. 110. }

1.—Before a Military Commission convened at Baltimore, Md., by Special Orders No. 228 from these Head-Quarters, of which Col. GEORGE H. PIERSON, 5th Mass. Vol. Militia, was President, were arraigned and tried:

1. *Richard Thompson*, a civilian.

CHARGE 1ST:

*Violation of the laws of war, by holding unauthorized intercourse with the enemies of the United States, in a district under martial law.*

*Specification 1st.*—In this, that *Richard Thompson*, a civilian, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., a place within the line of the army of the United States, and under martial law, was engaged, without lawful authority therefor, in intercourse with the enemies of the United States by traffic and the transmission of important information as to the social and military condition of the State and city when invaded by the said enemy.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that he, *Richard Thompson*, a civilian, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., a place under martial law, did, without lawful authority therefor, engage in the attempt to transmit

a large amount of goods for the use of the Government and people of the so-called Confederate States, and also important military information to the said Government and people then at war with the United States, from said City of Baltimore into Virginia, within the lines of the army of the said so-called Confederate States.

CHARGE 2d:

*Violation of the Laws of War as laid down in Paragraph 86, of the General Order No. 100, from the War Department, April 24, 1863.*

*Specification 1st.*—In this, that *Richard Thompson*, a civilian, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at the City of Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the United States, then at war with the so-called Confederate States, was engaged in intercourse by traffic, and otherwise, between the said city and the State of Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so-called Confederate States.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that the said *Richard Thompson*, a civilian, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the United States, then at war with the so-called Confederate States, without authority therefor, did engage in the attempt to transmit important information, and goods of great value from the aforesaid city, into Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so-called Confederate States.

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

To the 1st specification of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

To the 1st charge, "Not guilty."



To the 1st specification of the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d specification of the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

#### FINDING.

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced, find the accused as follows:

Of the 1st specification of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

Of the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Guilty."

Of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

Of the 1st specification of the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

Of the 2d specification of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

Of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

#### SENTENCE.

And the Commission do therefore sentence him, *Richard Thompson*, a civilian, "to pay a fine of one thousand dollars (\$1000) to the Government of the United States, and to be imprisoned at such place as the Commanding General may direct till the same shall have been paid."

2. *William Reeside*, a citizen.

#### CHARGE 1st:

*Violation of the laws of war by holding unauthorized intercourse with the enemies of the United States within a district under martial law.*

*Specification 1st*—In this, that *William Reeside*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., a place then under martial law, was engaged in traffic and other intercourse with the enemies of the United States, without authority therefor, and in transmitting from said city important information as to the condition, social and military, of the said State and city.

and also goods of great value for the use of the Government and people of the so-called Confederate States, at war with the United States.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that he, the said *William Reeside*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., a place then under martial law, was without authority therefor, engaged in the attempt to convey important information concerning the condition, social and military, of the said State and city, and also goods of great value for the use of the Government and people of the so-called Confederate States, then at war with the United States, from Baltimore aforesaid, into Virginia, and within the lines of the army of the said so-called Confederate States.

CHARGE 20:

*Violation of the Laws of War, as laid down in Paragraph 86, of the General Order No 100, from the War Department, April 24, 1863.*

*Specification 1st.*—In this, that he, the said *William Reeside*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the United States, then at war with the so-called Confederate States, was engaged in traffic and other intercourse between the said city and the State of Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so-called Confederate States.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that said *William Reeside*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the United States, then at war with the so-called Confederate States, did without lawful authority therefor, engage in the transmission of, and the attempt to transmit important information and goods of great value for the use of

the enemies of the United States, from the aforesaid city, into Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so-called Confederate States.

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

To the 1st specification of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

To the 1st charge, "Not guilty."

To the 1st specification of the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d specification of the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

To the 2d charge, "Not guilty."

#### FINDING.

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced, find the accused as follows:

Of the 1st specification of the 1st charge, "Guilty."

Of the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Guilty."

Of the 1st charge, "Guilty."

Of the 1st specification of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

Of the 2d specification of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

Of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

#### SENTENCE.

And the Commission do therefore sentence him, the said *William Reeside*, a civilian, "to be confined at hard labor upon such government works as the Commanding General shall direct for the period of two (2) years."

8. *Abraham J. Biddison*, a citizen.

#### CHARGE 1ST:

*Violation of the laws of war by holding intercourse with the enemies of the United States within a district under martial law.*

*Specification 1st.*—In this, that *Abraham J. Biddison*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore city, Md., a place under martial law, was engaged without lawful authority therefor, in intercourse with

the enemies of the United States, by traffic and the transmission of important information as to the views, feelings and fears of the people of said city and State, and the defences of the same when invaded by the said enemy.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that the said *Abraham J. Biddison*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., a place under martial law, was, without authority therefor, engaged and arrested in the attempt to convey letters containing important information concerning the condition social and military of the said State and City, and also a large amount of goods and merchandize for the use of the Government and people of the so called Confederate States then at war with the United States, from Baltimore aforesaid, into Virginia and within the lines of the so-called Confederate States.

CHARGE 2D:

*Violation of the laws of war as laid down in paragraph 86 of the General Order No. 100, from the War Department, April 24, 1863.*

*Specification 1st.*—In this, that the said *Abraham J. Biddison*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the United States then at war with the so called Confederate States, was engaged in traffic and other intercourse between the said city and the State of Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so called Confederate States.

*Specification 2d.*—In this, that the said *Abraham J. Biddison*, a citizen, on or about the 26th day of July, 1864, at Baltimore, Md., within the lines of the army of the Uni-

ted States, then at war with the so called Confederate States, did without lawful authority therefor, engage in the transmission of and attempt to transmit letters containing important information and goods of great value for the use of the enemies of the United States, from the said city to Virginia, within the lines of the army of the so called Confederate States.

To which charges and specifications the accused pleaded as follows:

- To the 1st specification of 1st charge, "Not Guilty."
- To the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Not Guilty."
- To the 1st charge, "Not Guilty."
- To the 1st specification of 2d charge, "Not Guilty."
- To the 2d specification of 2d charge, "Not Guilty."
- To the 2d charge, "Not Guilty."

#### FINDING.

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced, find the accused as follows:

- Of the 1st specification of the 1st charge, "Guilty."
- Of the 2d specification of the 1st charge, "Guilty."
- Of the 1st charge, "Guilty."
- Of the 1st specification of the 2d charge, "Guilty."
- Of the 2d specification of the 2d charge, "Guilty."
- Of the 2d charge, "Guilty."

#### SENTENCE.

And the Commission do therefore sentence him the said *Abraham J. Biddison*, a civilian, "to be confined at hard labor upon such government works as the commanding General shall direct for the period of four (4) years."

II.—The proceedings, findings and sentences in the cases of *Richard Thompson*, *William Beeside* and *Abraham J. Biddison*, are approved and confirmed, and the sentences will be carried into execution.—

*Richard Thompson*, will be confined at Fort McHenry, Md., until his fine shall have been paid. *William Reeside* and *Abraham J. Biddison*, will be imprisoned at Fort McHenry, Md., at hard labor for the period of their respective sentences.

III.—The Military Commission of which Colonel George Peirson is President, is dissolved.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WALLACE.

OLIVER MATTHEWS,  
A. A. Genl.

OFFICIAL:

A. D. C.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., *Dec. 6th* 186*1*.

Respectfully referred to *Capt. How H. Hiegel APM*  
*8th* *al.*, who will please return this paper  
with report of the date that these men  
were sent to the place of confinement des-  
ignated in the within order.

*E L* By command of  
Major General Wallace  
*Saul B. Lawrence*  
A. A. G.

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Gen. Geo. W. M. Genl.

U.S. Va. Dec. 23/64

H. H. Wells. Col. 1, P. M. G.

Desires instructions as to  
what shall be done with  
the money taken from  
Morrison, Geo. Wilson and  
Sam'l Gordon, which they recd  
for aiding a soldier to de-  
sert.

On Enclosure (wrapped)

See endorsement within

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Res. H. 2. P. M. Dec. 27. 64

n. 524, J. A. C., C. C., A. C.



6. B. V. <sup>517</sup>Head <sup>2</sup>Quarters of <sup>2</sup>Headquarters  
22 Army Corps. Dec 3 1918

Re: Refd to Maj. J. Gaines Judge  
Advocate 22 Army Corps. What dispo-  
sition has been made of the two  
men Wilson and Proctor?

By command of  
My Lieut. Col. J. H. Taylor  
Chief of Staff

W. H. B. W.  
Col. J. H. Taylor  
Chief of Staff

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Headquarters Provost Marshal General,

DEFENCES SOUTH OF POTOMAC,

Alexandria, Va. Dec 25<sup>th</sup> 1864.

W. H. Taylor

Chief of Staff General  
Cobb:

I have the honor to state that John Morrissey, George Wilson and Sage Proctor were arrested last summer for aiding a soldier to desert. Each of them received (\$50) fifty dollars for furnishing a pass and clothing to the man, as was proven as well as admitted by each of them.

Of that money Morrissey had (\$9) nine dollars remaining; Wilson had (\$50) fifty dollars, and Proctor had (\$45) forty five dollars.

The deserters are in Canada and I desire instructions as to what shall be done with the money.

(OVER.)

These three men were forwarded  
 to Headquarters for trial, by Military  
 Commission. Proctor was tried,  
 convicted, and sentenced to be  
 confined in Fort Delaware for  
 six months. Wilson, I have  
 heard, was released recently, on  
 account of his having turned  
 States' Evidence in the case of  
 F. B. Tapley.

I do not know what  
 disposition has been made of  
 Morrissey's case, but do know  
 that all of them were guilty.

I remain, Colonel,

Very respy Yr obt servt,

H. H. Mills

Col & Pro. Major Genl  
 Deps. So. of Potomac.

6. B. V. H. 3. 5. 17.  
 Head Quarters of Washington  
 Army Corps. Dec 27 1864

Reps: Rep'd to Maj. J. James Judge  
 Advocate Army Corps. War Dept.  
 Report has been made of the two  
 men Wilson and Proctor?

By command of

My Lieut. Augustus

H. H. Mills

Chief of Staff

Ch. vs.

John Mawrley

Charge and Specifications preferred  
against John Morrissey of Alexandria  
Va

Charge Assisting an enlisted man in  
the service of the United States to  
desert the same.

Specification 1<sup>st</sup> In this: that he  
John Morrissey of Alexandria, Va. did  
furnish civilians clothing, viz: a shirt  
and a pair of pantaloons to John O'Brien  
otherwise called James Farley, knowing  
him to be an enlisted man in the  
service of the United States trying  
to desert the same, with the inten-  
tion of assisting him to desert and in  
consideration of money to him paid by  
O'Brien alias Farley.

This at Alexandria, Va. on or about  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864.

Specification 2<sup>d</sup> In this: that he John  
Morrissey aforesaid did furnish a pass  
to John O'Brien alias James Farley, knowing  
him to be an enlisted man in the ser-  
vice of the United States trying to  
desert the same by means of which  
"pass" the said O'Brien alias Farley.

was enabled to cross the Potomac River  
from Virginia to the District of  
Columbia and so desert.

This at Alexandria, Virginia, on  
or about the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864.

Thophilus Green,  
Major and Judge Advocate  
22<sup>nd</sup> Army Corps.

D. "535" 13930

Saml W Smith, Presd Md Club

December 2d 1864.

Transmit list of names  
of Officers, members, & stockholders  
of the Maryland Club.

State that they have  
not held a regular meeting  
since the club was disbanded  
by Genl. Schenck.

Gives amount of Taxes  
ground rent, & Insurance, per  
annum.

Thos. A. Schenck

File City

LW

Recd. Md. Club. Dec. 3 7/1864

Washington - 1st Dec 1864

Major General Wallace

Dear Sir

In compliance with a request from the Adj. Gen. Samuel B. Lawrence, I herewith send you a list of the names of the officers & members of the late Maryland Club, as derived from the Books before its dissolution by Major Genl. Schenck in June 1863. I also enclose a list of the names of the Shareholders, derived from the same source. There has been no meeting of the Club for any purpose whatever since the above period of last year, but some of the owners or shareholders of the Real Estate have met on two occasions to devise the ways and means, by a voluntary subscription, to pay the Groundrents semi-annually due, the Taxes and the Insurance. Parties have been in treaty for the leasing of the House in the event of the Shareholders not wishing to sell. This is a matter, I presume, to be decided by them alone, as the late Club is virtually disbanded. The Groundrents, Taxes & Insurance amount in the aggregate to about \$4000. per ann.



The first has been paid by a voluntary  
subscription to the 1<sup>st</sup> of October last,  
and it has not been designed to make  
any provision for the next falling due  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> of April next.

Your obedt servt  
Ed. M. Smith

S. "535" 1872

President

Saml. W. Smith

Vice President

Charles R. Carroll

Secretary

Henry S. Taylor

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Chas. S. Gilmer

Geo. S. Brown

C. O. O'Donnell

Wm. H. Hoffman

W. R. Smith

J. Hall Pleasant

Chas. A. Williamson

H. D. G. Carroll Jr.

Gilmer Meredith

George Cooke

E. Spear Nicholas

Jno. Lee Carroll

Jas. D. Morris Jr.

D. 535<sup>111</sup> - 1824

Part of  
Shares

# Stockholders of the Maryland Club Property

2	W J Albert
2	A J Albert
1	J A Armstrong
2	J N Bancroft
1	Robt D Brewer
2	Chs R Carroll
2	Chs Carroll of D Co
1	H D & Carroll & Co
1	Geo. Cooke
2	W F Dalrymple
1	R M Dunsen
1	Geo W Dutton
2	John J Durrell
2	J J J Durrell
1	Wm Durrell
2	J H George
2	Chs J Gilmer
2	W W Glenn
2	T C Harris
1	Salomon Hiller
2	W H Hoffman
2	J Salomon Hoffman Trust
2	J Owings Hoffman Est

38	John Hopkins
2	W. H. Howard
1	E. F. Jenkins
4	Geo. S. Kennedy
2	Anthony Kennedy
2	Rob. J. Lehr
1	J. W. Linneman
2	John Marshall
1	Wm. M. Kim
2	Wm. Krebs
1	John B. Morris
2	John B. Morris Jr
1	Wm. F. Murdoch
2	Columbus O. Donnell
2	C. Oliver O. Donnell
1	Henry O'Brien
2	J. Hall Pleasant
4	W. J. Read
1	Andrew Reid
1	Ho. G. Rice
1	Chas. H. Ridgely
2	A. Shumaker
1	W. W. Spence
2	Sam. W. Smith
2	Thos. M. Smith
1	J. Smith Steele
2	Thos. Swann
1	W. Tague

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2	J. H. Thomas
1	Chas E Wethered
1	Sam Wethered
4	Otho H Williams
1	Benj H Williams
1	H L Whitridge

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S. 1535<sup>m</sup> 1874.



# Members of the Club

A. J. Albert  
J. A. Armstrong  
Gen. H. V. Barron  
J. G. Bathurst  
J. Brandt Dr.  
Gen. S. Brown  
Wm. H. Brown  
A. D. Brown  
J. H. Buckler  
H. L. Brooke  
F. Bernal  
E. J. Brininger  
C. A. Carroll  
Gen. Carroll Dr.  
H. D. G. Carroll Dr.  
C. J. Carroll  
Gen. Cooke  
P. H. Crain  
Israel Cohen  
W. M. Cary  
J. H. Cameron  
J. L. Carroll  
G. J. Carter  
W. H. De Courcy  
P. M. Devison  
Gen. W. Dobbin  
Gen. S. Donnell  
Gen. J. S. Donnell  
Homer Dressel  
J. P. Davidson  
H. B. Eaton  
Robt. A. Fisher  
C. A. Foote  
S. K. George

Robt. Gilman  
W. H. Graham  
W. W. Glenn  
A. B. Graf  
Wm. Gilman  
Chas. S. Gilman  
E. M. Greenway Dr.  
Henry Garrett  
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Wm. Gilman Dr.  
W. H. Gutchee  
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Thos. C. Harris  
Gen. Hillen Dr.  
G. H. Hodges  
A. B. Hoffman  
W. H. Hoffman  
Robt. J. Hoffman  
Somerville Holmes  
E. A. Jenkins  
Gen. M. Johnson  
G. P. Jenkins  
W. S. Kernochan  
J. D. Krenelberg  
S. H. D. Latrobe  
S. S. Lee  
Robt. Leht  
J. H. Lurman  
E. Lloyd Dr.  
W. A. Loney  
J. S. Lurman  
Gilman Meredith  
J. B. Morris Dr.  
R. M. Dr. C. Lane

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H. J. Montague  
R. H. Mitchell  
D. H. Miller  
J. L. M. Lane  
D. P. Montague  
D. S. Nicholas  
C. A. O'Donnell  
J. H. Pleasant  
Wm. S. Read  
Andrew Reid  
Chas. Ridgely of H.  
J. P. Roman  
Thos. Riggs  
A. Schumacher  
W. W. Spence  
S. W. Smith  
H. Sullivan  
H. Schepler  
S. A. Schley  
B. C. Sanders  
N. P. Smith  
H. Steinicke  
Wm. Taggart  
H. S. Taylor  
Chas. Tierman  
J. H. Thomas  
H. P. Tucker  
Wm. Tyson  
R. W. Tyson  
C. E. Weikert  
Saml. Weikert  
Wm. S. Williams

O. H. Williams  
B. H. Williams  
C. A. Williamson  
H. S. Whitridge  
J. C. White  
W. H. Worthington  
H. T. Wild  
Chas. Wilmer  
Thos. Winans  
J. S. Wheeler  
S. T. Willis  
Wm. Young

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Dec 15 1864  
Capt Dec 18 1/4  
Woolley J M Lt Col  
Says that within named  
prisoners have been tried  
but that, that no information  
as to their disposal, has been  
rec<sup>d</sup> by him.

Head. Qu. M. Dept.

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Capt: Dec: 19 1/4

Respectfully referred to  
Lt. Col Woolley, Pr. Mar  
8<sup>th</sup> etc. with the informa-  
tion that the Court. Martial  
Orders in these cases, have  
not been received at these  
Head. Qu.

By com<sup>d</sup>. Maj Gen Wallace

W. J. Waller

Rec<sup>d</sup> Hd Qu Dec: 19 1/4

As replied to  
of letter,

Re:

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

Baltimore, Dec 18 1864

Major James R Ross  
A. D. C.

I have the honor to inform you that the following named prisoners have been tried but no information as to result has been rec'd at this office.

M. S. W. Tingle

Mary A Kelbo

John Ludwig

Fredrick Eggers

James Cassady

Wm Groer

Bar<sup>a</sup> Parasha

Margaretta Parasha

J. W. Matkins

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

John Woolley  
Provost Marshal

A. W. 14578 City

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Washington Dec. 5 '62

My dear Gen. C.  
Capt. V. A. P. W.

Report to the release  
of George Bladwin  
by John Rochester

Yours

File

Recd. Wash. Dec 6 '62

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL, *A*

Baltimore, Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major J. R. Rap.  
A. S. S. C.

Major:

I have the honor to inform you that George Gladding & Wm Rochester reported this afternoon from Fort Det. & were released from custody, their money & watches being returned to them

Respy  
Your most Obedt Servt  
*Wm. West*  
Capt & Asst Provost Mar.

Q<sup>m</sup> 571<sup>m</sup> 1864<sup>th</sup> Vol 6  
Head Quarters, Middle Department,

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EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> 1865.

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Respectfully referred to

Col. W. H. Browne,  
A. A. Pro. Maj. Genl. for Md. and Del.,  
who will please request Capt. Andrew  
Stafford, Prov. Marshal 1<sup>st</sup> District,  
to find the proof desired by the  
U. S. District Attorney. - See his letter  
enclosed, and return these papers  
with report. -

By Command of  
Major Genl. Wallace

Smith

to

A. A. Galt

S<sup>m</sup> 511<sup>m</sup> 1864<sup>th</sup>

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Office A. A. P. N. G., Md. & Del.,  
Balto., Jan. 11, 1865.

Respectfully returned to  
Capt. Stafford for the in-  
formation desired by the  
General Commanding the  
Department.

By order of the  
A. A. P. N. G.:

Lt. J. Mackenzie

1st Lt. J. A. Galt



Dec. 30, 1864

Chs

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Spencer's No. 11236 - 1864

Provost Marshals Office

First District, Maryland,

Eastern January 21, 1865.

Respectfully returned to Col. W. S.  
Dawne. A. & P. Mar. Gen. for M. & Del.

My letter was written at the  
instigation of Dr. M. Meredith, who  
obtained his information of Dean,  
Crabb & Co., Bal: D: Baltimore,

I have no means of obtaining  
further proof, as desired by the U. S.  
District Attorney, unless I could  
visit Baltimore, which would be  
impossible at this time, as business of  
importance requires my personal atten-  
tion with the Board here.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt.

*File*

Andrew Stafford  
Capt: & P. Mar.  
1st Dist. Md.

OFFICE OF THE  
Acting Assistant Provost Marshal General  
FOR MARYLAND AND DELAWARE.

Baltimore, Jan. 24, 1865

Respectfully returned to Lt. Col. Emil  
B. Lawrence, A. A. G., Med.  
Dept with reference to the  
reimbursement of Capt. Staf-  
ford, Pro. Marshal Gen'l.  
id.

*W. H. Brown*  
Col. & Acting Asst. Prov. Marshal Gen'l.

E.B. Vol 8 Page 304, 305. (2.2 P.M.C. 1/25)

*W. H. Brown*

*See within*

*W. H. Brown*  
*W. H.*

Recd Med Dept Jan 26 1865

Office of the U. S. Dist. Att.

Balt. Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major Geo. Wallace,  
(Commanding the Middle Dist.)

Dear Sir,

As requested, the  
paper and answer in the cases of John  
A. Hamilton and Henry C. Deuts,  
referred by you to this office, are herewith  
returned.

As soon as you  
can obtain the necessary evidence  
in Hamilton's case, as stated in  
Mr. Price's letter to you a few days

since, viz, that Hamilton has committed  
acts coming within the provisions of the  
Act of Congress of July 17/62 Ch. 195.  
proceedings shall be instituted for a con-  
demnation of his estate.

In the case  
of "Deuts", no provision, unfortunately,  
has been made, under the Act above  
referred to, for "Deportation"

You will please ac-  
cept my thanks for the loan of the "Army  
Regulations", now returned.

Very respectfully,  
Yours &c.  
A. J. Hayes,  
Assist. U. S. Dist. Ct.

mer

W 1969 13934

Washington, Dec. 1, 64.

~~Booth - 13~~

L. S. Dabney,

Asst. Dir. 225 Ailes

Submits statement of  
Pardon Horsley, in case  
of Monie Gibson & wife,  
charged with disloyalty,  
and man named  
Patterson & wife, sup-  
posed to be rebel spies.

Cuts

Re. 2429, Dec. 2, 64.

Mr. Asst. Sec. Washington  
Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1864

Respectfully referred to Maj.  
James Judge Adv. 22<sup>nd</sup> al.  
who was Examiner this  
Report report whether or  
not an arrest is war-  
ranted. Return promptly  
By command

Wm. H. Anger  
7th. At Raymond  
adv

85-7140 22<sup>nd</sup> 40

In the case of Miner Gibson and wife.

Mr. Pardon Worsley upon examination states.

They live at 407 N. Street between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>

In April when I went out to Middlebury and with Mrs. Chancellor Mrs. Gibson had a box containing various medicines which she wanted Mrs. Chancellor to take to Middlebury and then send it over to Papahauwrock to some friends of hers. Mrs. Chancellor said she had as much as she could take and she must ask me about it. I asked Mrs. Gibson what was in that box. She said there was nothing in it that I need to be afraid of only two bottles of castor oil and some other little notions that she wanted to send to some friends out there. When we got to Middlebury Mrs. Chancellor opened this box. And it contained blue mass, green iron, and Calomel, castor oil, and other medicines. This box was sent by Mrs. Chancellor by one of Worsley's men over to Papahauwrock. This man said that if he could get such a box as that in Richmond he could make a pile of money off of it. After that Mrs. Gibson wanted I should take other boxes out there and I refused to do it and told her I wouldn't have taken that one if I had known what was in it when I did it. Other ladies came to Gibson's house when I came in from Middlebury the next time and wanted I should



Carry letters & parcels out for them. She got mad at me because I wouldn't take these things out. She said there was other folks that went in that country as well as me and she could get them carried by other people. She said that I might have had a chance to make some money on carrying these boxes. Said she had sent them and us thanks to me for it. At the time of the invasion on Washington here I caught Mrs. Gibson coming out of my room. She had got a key somewhere and been in. She seemed to be confused when I met her in the lobby. I had a little box in my room where I kept my papers & papers, which had been overhauled when I went into the room. The next day Miss Gibson the old man (I spoke to Mrs. G. and told her I didn't thank people to go & overhauled my papers in my room) the old man got mad & said that I was a Yankee spy. That he had two sons out here in front of Washington in the Confederate army. He said that he was going to write to them and tell Mosby that I was a Yankee spy and have me hung. There was some order sent to Rockville. Waited there all day to find Mosby. They didn't find

Worley but found one of his men. This man reported to Col. Mosby that he had been informed that Worley wasn't all right. Mosby overhauled me the next time I went out. I told Mosby that it must have been some enemy, someone that had something against me that I was all right. He said he should let me go until he found out something more. Then this Miss Hammy Holan was sent in with me as a spy from Mosby to watch me to see how I got through the pickets. I then left Gibson's house. Then there was a man by the name of Patterson sent in by Mosby from Warrenton. He was secreted in Gibson's house to get information about me. The parties who live in the next house to Gibson's he 405 overheard Gibson & Patterson talking in the backyard said well here that damn Yankee spy Worley living. When I came home this man informed me what was going on. This man had some words with Gibson on meddling with my business. Gibson says that any man who will be a spy or let be a spy for that old man Abe Lincoln ought to be hung. He told

him his sympathy was so with the South. He said that he could do more for the South living here. Only for that he would go South. Said that he was satisfied that Washington would be in the South's hands in a few days. He loaned & bought large quantities of bacon & hams and said that he would furnish his house as app. for the Southerners. When the Army was here in front of Washington he corresponded with Genl Early's Army & sent out letters. A man saw letters go and he acknowledged to having letters. A woman whom I believe to be a mail carrier used to come there at 12 o'clock at night. He always damned Lincoln but the Administration and swore that he would help the South.

Capt Harkness saw him send letters. We can prove that all the Southerners that came to this city make his house their H.Q. and he concealed them and he has correspondence regularly with Richmond and the South. This Patterson was a regular spy.

Subscribed & sworn to before me  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1864 -  
H. Dabney, Dist. Judge Adv.  
22<sup>nd</sup> Army Corps.

Pardon Worsley

Headquarters Department of Washington,

Office Provost Marshal General, Defences North of Potomac,

Washington, D. C., March 22<sup>d</sup> 1865.

Major Theophilus Gaines  
Judge Advocate  
Major

I have the honor to inform you that, in compliance with the request of Capt. McGowan A. A. S. & A. J. G., Patrick Donnelly was this day paroled to report to you each Monday & Thursday until further orders.

Residence 482 Md. Avenue bet 4<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Sts  
Island

I remain Major

Your obedient servant

W. Russell  
Capt. Asst. Provost Marshal  
Department of Potomac

Headquarters Department of Washington,

Office Provost Marshal General, Defences North Potomac,

Washington, D. C., File Q. 5 1865.

Major Theophilus Garies  
Judge Advocate

I have the honor to  
inform you that John Herold was hailed  
this day for \$300.00 to appear when called  
upon, to answer charges against him.  
Residence Cor. 4<sup>th</sup> + B. Sts (South) Island  
Washington D. C.

Remain Major

Your obedient servant

J. B. Russell

Captain Provost Marshal

Dep North Potomac

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Headquarters Department of Washington.

Office of Provost Marshal General, Defences North Potomac,

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Major Theophilus Laines  
Judge Advocate  
Major

I have the honor  
to report that A. H. Taylor, has  
this day been ordered to report once  
a week at this office, to answer charges  
against him.

I remain Major  
Your obedient servant

H. Russell  
Adj. Asst. Gen.  
North Potomac

James Hartness  
Mrs. Hartness  
Miss Hartness.

of this City.

It is respectfully sub-  
mitted whether Miner Gibson  
and wife should not be  
at once arrested and  
brought to trial

Theophilus Guiney  
Major & Judge Advocate  
22<sup>nd</sup> Army Corps

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No. 900. Dept. Washington  
20<sup>th</sup> Army Corps  
Office of Judge Advocate  
Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864.

Reply returned to the Asst.  
Adjt Gen Dept. of Washington  
Miner Gibson and wife  
are subject to trial by Mili-  
tary Commission

1<sup>st</sup> For sending medicine into  
the rebel lines to rebels.

2<sup>nd</sup> For giving the Rebel Mosby  
information that Pardon  
Worsley a loyal citizen of the  
United States was a spy and  
advising Mosby to have Worsley  
hung or such.

3<sup>rd</sup> For harboring and secreting  
in their houses in Washington  
City a rebel spy by the name  
of William Patterson.

Pardon Worsley informs  
me that the first and second  
offences above named are  
within his personal know-  
ledge and that the third can  
be substantiated by the follow-  
ing named loyal citizens  
George Markers.



Statement of Pardon Worsley against  
Merri Gibson & Wife

In this that Merri Gibson & Wife  
aid send, by me, Pardon Worsley a large  
box of medicines into the rebel lines, informing  
me at the time, that it was nothing but  
some trinkets they were sending their  
friends in Va. and also that said Gibson  
did send information to Col. John S.  
Mosby, said information being contraband  
of War, and intended to aid the Rebels  
while invading the State of Maryland  
on or about July last. did also send  
word to Col. John S. Mosby that I, Pardon  
Worsley, was a Yankee Spy, and that he  
would have me hung by said Col. Mosby,  
did also scout a Rebel Spy, by the name  
of Patison from Warrenton Va. in his  
house N<sup>o</sup> 407 H<sup>o</sup> St. Bet. 12<sup>o</sup> & 13<sup>o</sup> St. and  
I do know of his receiving letters from  
Rebels in Va. and of his sending letters  
thereto, he has two sons in the Rebel  
Army and I have seen letters in his  
possession which he had received from  
said sons. I do know him to be a  
violent rebel and a very disloyal man  
whose sympathies are with the Rebels  
which I can prove beyond a doubt by

good and loyal citizens of Washington  
D.C.

F. 167. 13935 (D. E.)

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Boston, Mass.

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Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Foster, Dwigth

Encloses request of Joseph Pratt  
and E. A. Prescott that machinery  
seized by Govt. officers be returned  
to them.

C. T.

Dec 14, 1864 - see enclosure -  
memo on B. F. Lading et al  
offt. Sgt. Everett. Thru to Hon  
D. Foster, Boston, Mass.  
Recd. (H. G. D. E.) Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1864.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Attorney General's Office.

Boston: 13 Dec 1864

Major Genl.

John A. Dix U.S.A.  
Commanding Department of the East

Sir,

I have the honor to  
acknowledge the receipt of a  
communication from Major John A. Dix  
and to enclose a request for the  
return of the property to the President.  
I will thank you to transmit the  
receipt to me.

Very Respectfully

your obt. Serv<sup>t</sup>

Wright Foster

To Major General  
John A. Dix U. S. A.  
Commanding Department of the  
East.

Sir.

We respectfully  
request that the pistol  
machinery and other property  
seized and held by the officers  
of the United States at or near  
Rouse Point New York which  
when seized was consigned to  
E. A. Prescott Montreal, may  
be returned to said Prescott to  
take to Worcester, Massachusetts -  
said Prescott being fully  
authorized by the undersigned Joseph  
Patt to receive the same on his  
behalf. Worcester 12 Dec 1864

Joseph H. Brattle  
E. A. Prescott

Statements of  
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Mrs Ellen S Carrott  
Mrs Mary E Selden  
Dec 24, 1864

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**Provost Marshal's Office.**

**HEAD-QUARTERS MIDDLE DEPARTMENT,**

**EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.**

Baltimore Md. ....

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**PRISONER.**

*September 4*  
*Mrs Ellen S. Carroll*

**RESIDENCE.**

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**ARRESTED.**

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**CHARGE.**

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**WITNESSES.**  
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Baltimore Dec. 23<sup>d</sup> 1864  
Statement of Mrs. Mary Seldon and  
Mrs. Carroll - of Virginia

I lived in Philadelphia previous to the  
war. About the ~~time the~~ <sup>time the</sup> ~~war commenced~~ I  
went south to Norfolk. About the  
time of the evacuation of Norfolk I  
went to Richmond, lived in different  
places in the South, at Lynchburg, Staunton  
and Lexington.

I have relatives in New Jersey. I  
was at Staunton when I concluded to  
go north. proceeded as far as Newtown  
I had a letter of introduction to Gen.  
Sheridan which I carried to him. I  
proceeded at once to Gen. Stevenson &  
was then sent back to Gen. Sheridan's  
Headquarters, after considerable delay and  
examination ~~we~~ received a pass to report  
to Gen. Stevenson, at Harpers Ferry, and  
to be allowed to proceed north which we  
promised to do.

At Harpers Ferry we received a  
pass to proceed to Baltimore. We  
reported as soon as we arrived.

Sworn & subscribed to before me } E. J. Carroll  
this 23<sup>d</sup> day of December 1864 } Mary E. Seldon.  
Wm. H. [Signature]



OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL, MIL. Dist. of Harper's Ferry, Va.

Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Guards and Pickets will pass

from May Seldon & Miss Cunniff

to Baltimore on the cars

Good for this days

By order of Brig. Gen. STEVENSON, Comd'g.

Residence, Maryland

*[Signature]*  
Capt. & Provost Marshal

Mr. Mary E. Selden, I have no home, lost  
my family by yellow fever. My last home was  
Norfolk. I had no husband. I was in Ohio  
when war broke out. Was at Barrons  
hotel when the war was going on. I went  
to Norfolk afterward. I went to Richmond  
about time the Norfolk Navy Yard was burned.  
Have been in the South ever since. Have lived in  
Lex<sup>n</sup>. Lynchburg, Staunton - Richmond, lived at Lexington  
last. I have no Relations scarcely in the world,  
believe I have a few in common in Rebel Army.  
I have never been able to come north during  
the war. Prof. Henry has been trying to get a  
pass for me to come north. Got a letter from  
him about three weeks ago. He said it was  
hard to do & I determined to come north. I went  
to Genl Sheridan. I wrote to Genl Sheridan that  
I wanted to come north & sent the letter by Capt  
Imwood Prov. Mar 19<sup>th</sup> Corps Office at New Market  
Va. Genl Sheridan allowed us to pass or at least  
Capt Imwood said so & he gave us a pass, to  
go north. I carried the pass to Prov. Marshal  
at Harper's ferry, he took it & gave us a pass  
to Baltimore. I want to go to New York & Phila  
to see my Relations. Shall not attempt to go north  
without a pass from Mr. Stanton or H<sup>e</sup> Genl.  
I disapprove your policy, & believe I have no com  
with the war & don't wish to have.

Mr. Ellen Carol. my husbands name is Harper  
Carol. No children. My Residence is Stanton  
Virginia. Have lived in Stanton all my life.  
Lived in Stanton when the war commenced.  
I have lived there all the time during the war.  
I do not know when my husband is now. I  
left the South four weeks ago. He is not in the  
Rebel Army. He has been in that army. He went  
in the Rebel Army at commencement of the  
as a private. Enlisted for one year & served  
only one year. after that he was made a staff  
officer. on Genl Evells staff. He Resigned about five  
weeks ago. My husband is not now within the Federal  
lines. He was not with the Rebel army when they  
made the raid into Md last July, nor was he  
in Md. He was at the battle of Gettysburg. He has  
been stationed with General Evell in Richmond.  
I have never before been within Federal lines ~~before~~  
the war commenced. My motive in coming north  
was to live here. I did not see Genl Sheridan. but I  
saw Capt Parsons Genl Sherman Pro. Mar. We brought  
a letter to Genl Sheridan Genl Stevensons. delivered the  
one to Genl Stevensons. I sent the letter to Genl Sheridan  
by him by Cap Parsons. a priest by the name of  
Bryce gave me the letter to Genl Sheridan. Genl  
Sheridan sent word back that the priest was  
a Rebel. When we got to Harper I saw a Rebel  
to Genl Stevensons who was my kind friend. He sent

us back to Gen Sheridan. Gen Sheridan sent  
me to Newtown out of the lines of his main force.  
at Newtown we were under guard. We stayed at Newtown  
two weeks, was kept there because we had come  
in to get lines without having made a formal  
application. While at Newtown we made  
a formal application. The result was that  
Capt Inman Pro Mar 19<sup>th</sup> A.C. Received  
permission from Gen Sheridan to allow us  
to enter north. We did not take the oath of  
allegiance at Harper Ferry. We sent word to  
Gen Sheridan that we were willing to take  
the oath if he would allow us to enter his  
lines & come north. Gen Sheridan Pro Mar  
gave us a pass from Newtown to Harper Ferry  
to go north on that pass the Pro Marshal at  
Harper Ferry gave us the pass to Baltimore.  
We came to Baltimore evening of 22<sup>nd</sup> 1864  
Mr Kennedy went to see Gen Wallace & then  
sent word to us that we had to report to the  
Pro Marshal of Balt. We came to this office  
last night. Mr Gilmore Meredith, Mr Tazewell  
& Mr Caroline Carroll came with us. I don't know  
Mr Gilmore Meredith at all. I know of him. I don't  
know that Mr Meredith was a Rebel. I don't  
know Mr Tazewell Jayser at all - never saw  
him till yesterday. Mr Caroline Carroll is my  
sister, Mr married brother. I don't know what

my sister's sentiments are. I believe she is a loyal  
woman. I have never received letters from my  
sister except by flying letters. only one & that  
was by a post and was left open that  
I had I had an night see it. My husband does  
not intend to stay in the South. he does not  
intend to stay in the South. I suppose he intends  
to go to the Continent to live. I have not decided  
whether or not I will go there. I do not know  
how long the war will last. I could take the oath  
of allegiance & live up to its requirements so far as  
my acts are concerned. Of course I have friends in  
the South & my sympathies go with them. that I  
can't help. My heart would not control my acts  
I would not do anything against the South.  
I would like to go out of this department  
to Europe.

No. 13. 13937 (N. E.) 1865.

New York, N.Y.

Dec. 24. 1864.

Murray, Robert

U.S. Marshal,

Acknowledge receipt of orders to  
arrest R. F. Bolter, Alex. F. Forrest,  
John Goldie, John Kelly, William  
Martin, John O'Brien, John Paton,  
Michael Quirk, Thos. Williams,  
blockade runners, and states that  
he has no officers to carry out the  
orders.

Recd. (H. C. A. D. E.) Jan. 15. 1865.

U. S. Marshal's Office,

Southern District of New York.

New York Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1864  
Maj Gen Dix  
Comdg Dept East.

Sir - I have the honor to acknowledge  
the rec<sup>d</sup> of, & your order, of this  
date, directing me to arrest Miss  
Blockade Runner, supposed to have  
arrived this a.m. in the Ste<sup>m</sup> "Corica".

In reply thereto, I have to say, that  
I have no officers to make such arrests  
at present, the special officers who  
formerly attended to this branch of business  
have all been discharged, in consequence  
of not receiving any pay from the Govt.  
The officers attached to this office, are  
regular Court officers, whose duties are  
to attend to the U. S. Courts, which are  
now in session.

Very Truly Yours  
Robt Murray

Arrived in Corica from  
Panama. via. Captain  
Head Quarters Department of the East,

New York City, 1864

✓ Andrew Botland. U. S. Captain. 1864  
173 Front St. Brooklyn, June  
dealer no. 40 Soer St.

✓ N. J. Bolter, British Subject,  
Steward of "Ellen Sewing, Boston -

✓ James Colwell, warmer from  
St. Thomas to this Jan. in route  
to Halifax. U. S.

✓ Thomas L. Fleming, U. S. Captain,  
Captain of Brig Panama, wrecked  
on the Bahamas.

✓ Alexander J. Forrest, British  
Subject, engaged by Steamer  
Pharosigan. We have names.

✓ Mrs. Jane Gray, British  
Subject, from Charleston to  
Boston in Blake's steamer.



is stopping at Taylor's Hotel  
New York City.

detain

John Goldie, British subject,  
purman of "Will of the Wisp",  
Hockaday summer.

detain

C. W. Haver, New York,  
captured at Skibutskad, & has  
taken oath of allegiance.

detain

John Kelly, British subject,  
purman of "Ellen Jimmy",  
Hockaday summer.

detain

William McArthur, British subject,  
engineer of "~~Ellen Jimmy~~ Evelyn",  
Hockaday summer.

detain

John O'Brien, British subject,  
2<sup>d</sup> Steward of "~~Ellen Jimmy~~ Kate",  
Hockaday summer.

detain

John Patton, British subject,  
engineer of "Evelyn", Hockaday  
summer.

Head Quarters Department of the East,

New York City, 1864

Master Geo. Price, about 1844,  
of age, from Washington to  
Hassan.

Michael Lurik, British subject,  
foreman of "Bayer"  
Hessler's summer.

Carl Rumpff, dealer in  
Chemical 141. Pearl St.

John Fryer, British subject,  
Member of Bank of America  
from Berlin.

Charles Young, U. S. Marine  
Master of S.S. Howard.

Thomas Williams, British subject,  
foreman of "Virginia"  
Hessler's summer.

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In the Field. Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

*City*  
Middle Mil. Division  
Capt. Kingebury, a. a. Genl.

Directs the release of the  
within named men now  
confined at Fort "McHenry"

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully referred to Commanding Officer  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sep. Brigade, who will execute the  
orders of the Maj. Genl. Commanding  
Middle Military Division and please  
return these papers with report.

By Command of  
Maj. Genl. Wallace

*James R. [Signature]*  
Maj. Genl. I. F.

*Recd. Meis. Dept. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1864*

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,  
Dec 11th 1864

Respectfully returned to Com  
of Prisoners who  
will carry out  
the foregoing in-  
structions return  
this paper with upb

By Command of  
Maj. H. C. Allen  
Br. Det. Capt. W. W. Morris:

*J. M. ...*  
Lt. Col. A. A. G.

Rec'd C. O. D. M. ... Dec 11/64

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Office Commissary of Prisoners,  
FORT McHENRY, MD.

Dec 11 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Head Quarters 2nd Sep. Brig.  
8th Army Corps. the within  
named prisoners having  
been released per S.O. No.  
332, from this Office, executed  
by ...

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,  
December 12th 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C. the within  
instructions having  
been carried out  
as per endorsement  
of Com. of Prisoners

D 502  
E. S. S.  
Maj. Genl. Comdg.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec 11th 1864.

Respectfully returned to Head Quarters, Middle  
Military Division, and attention is  
invited to the report of actions  
taken, in obedience to the within  
order, from Hd. Qrs., Md. Div., Division  
December 6th 1864.

*J. ...*  
Maj. Genl. Comdg.

Head Quarters Middle Military Division,

December 6<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Maj. Gen. Lewis Wallace  
Comd'g. Med. Dep't Baltimore Md.

General:

The Maj. Gen. Comd'g. directs that the following  
named citizens now confined at Ft. Mc Henry, be released.  
The order releasing them will provide for their safe return home.

- |                                 |                                   |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Thos. H. Kern - Annapolis    | 8. Samuel Ashmead - Frederick Co. |
| 2. John Kramer do.              | 9. Jos. Stephenson do.            |
| 3. Jos. Neil do.                | 10. Michael Ryan do.              |
| 4. John March do.               | 11. B. J. Helfinstein - Annapolis |
| 5. Samuel Hardy do.             | 12. Clayton Jefferson do.         |
| 6. Michael Conrad do.           | 13. John W. Arnold do.            |
| 7. James H. Louthan - Annapolis | 14. James P. Wood do.             |

I am, General,

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant

C. C. Cunningham  
Assistant Adjutant General

Headquarters  
Middle Department & Co.  
Baltimore Md.

November 14/64

Wallace L. Maj General  
Commanding

Acknowledging receipt of  
communication of the 3<sup>d</sup>  
directing the release of (7) ~~several~~  
citizens confined at Fort M  
Henry.

Instructions complied with

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, November 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Lieut Col. C. Kingsbury  
A. G. Med. Mil. Div

Sir,

I have the honor to  
acknowledge receipt of your letter dated Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>,  
directing release of the following named prisoners  
Viz;

" R. C. Russell "

" D. Brown "

" Alex. Neville "

" James Neville "

" James Shearer "

" James H. Beaman "

" G. S. Bonhau "

Confined at Fort Mifflin by order of Major  
General Sheridan, Comd'g Med. Mil. Div; and to

State in reply; that the instructions contained  
therein have been complied with

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt. Servt

~~Wm Pullen~~  
Major Genl. Condy



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See 8th Army Corps.

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Write nothing above this line.

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Baltimore MD.

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Dec. 5, 1864

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John A. Gilson

August Beaman

Head Quarters 4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist. North Mo.  
Office Asst. Pro. Marshal  
Troy, Mo. Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Special Order  
No. 49

John H. Gibson (of Warren  
County, Mo.) having agreed to give request  
Beyerman (of Lincoln County Mo) a mare in place  
of one taken from Beyerman by said Gibson's  
Sons, who at the time were members of Red  
Woods band of Guerrillas - It is hereby ordered  
that John H. Gibson shall not be molested  
hereafter, in person or property for what his  
two Sons may have done while in company  
with said Bushwhackers.

A. C. Warrick  
Maj 37<sup>th</sup> Regt. C. M. & A. S. M.

Copy for P. M. G. Office St. Louis Mo.

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Baltimore Md.



D. S.

D. E.

1865.

Custom House, New York,  
Dec. 24 1864.

Draper, S.

Collector.

Suggests that an examination of  
persons and papers be made in case  
of Mrs, Virginia A. Davis and  
R. B. Milliken.

C. S.

Recd. (Hd. Cas. D. E.) Jan. 10 1865.

Am. Pyrovia a. Long  
C. B. B. Miller

Custom House, New York  
Collector's Office.

Dec 24 1864

Sir

Mr Chalker, will  
inform you of the  
result of last night's  
work, I think you  
had better send one of  
your staff to the Custom  
House, and make such  
an examination of the  
papers, and proceed as  
you may deem proper  
and decide upon the  
course you will pursue,  
However I shall

would to assist you  
in any way you  
desire your obdt

S. Draper  
Col

Pray Sir

I. A. Dix

Comd  
Dept of the Army

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St. Louis Mo.  
December 17/64

St. Louis, District of  
Williams N. H.  
Major and D.P.M.

Forwards prisoners  
Mitt, Nicholas  
Mayer William

file

O. P. M. 9 Dec 17/64

Head Quarters First Sub-District, St. Louis District.

OFFICE ASSISTANT PROVOST MARSHAL.

St. Louis, Mo. Decr 24<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Col.

I have the honor to forward you  
prisoners

Nicholas Witt

(4)

William Meyer

Arrested by order  
of Pos Major General Special ch 315 Par. VII. C. S.

Very Respectfully

Your obt. Servant

A. H. Williams

Major & Provost Marshal

3.

Col. C. M. Davis

Acting Pos. Marshal Gen

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Columbia Mo.  
Dec 3<sup>d</sup> 1864

Switzer W. F.

In relation to two rebel  
manuscripts in the War  
Prison at Cairo. Mo.

file

OPM Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1864

890903 No 8 V 7/4

Send copy

to

Pro Union

Cairo.

at once

I send list of

Books inscribed

to Switzerland

J.P.

Company agent

agent



Columbia, Mo.,

Dec. 3<sup>d</sup>. 1864.

Col. Joseph Darr,

Prov. Mar. General: - Dr. Sir:

There are two rebel "conscripts" in the military prison at Cairo, Ill., Wm Patton and Fisher Elliott, both of whom are from this county. Their attorneys, Munn & Munn, have written to me touching their loyalty, and as my inquiries have developed some of the facts concerning them, and others, I deem it my duty as a Union man, desirous of co-operating with our authorities, civil and military, to communicate them to you. I do not know the name of the Prov. Marshal at Cairo, otherwise I would send directly to him the facts about Patton and Fisher:

1. Wm Patton, Boone County, Mo. I do not know him personally, but he is a bad rebel, and his neighbors say the pretension that he was conscripted is ridiculous. In Sep. or Oct., 1862, he was arrested in this place by Capt. Geare, Com. H, 9<sup>th</sup> Cav. U.S.A. for

general disloyalty and turpitude  
for the prince of devils, Jeff. Davis;  
on the 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1862 was sent by  
order of Gen. Merrill a prisoner to  
St. Louis, thence to Alton, where  
he remained a long time; then re-  
leased, I suppose on oath and  
bond. Examine your records and  
see. During this summer, his neigh-  
bors say, he has been bushwhacking  
about here, with other rebels, armed.  
Among those who know this fact  
are Absalom March, Greenland,  
Boone Co., Mo. and Mrs. Wm. Moreh,  
same place. He was at the house of the  
former <sup>on a bushwhacking expedition.</sup> The latter met him on the  
road to Fayette. Being all Union wo-  
men, Patton on recognizing her  
hurried for Jeff. Davis. He was then  
in company with bushwhackers.  
In short, Patton is a "bad egg" and  
I don't believe was "conscripted." He is now  
40 years of age and has a wife and children.  
2. Fisher Elliott, a rebel, and quite a  
young man. I know of no positive dis-  
loyal act against him.  
3. Willoughby Williams, Howard County,  
now in Great Britain. Now of mature age

with family; always a rebel.

3. James Taylor, also in Gratiot. If he be the same who married the daughter of Joseph M. Little of Boone, deceased, he is a bad rebel eff. His being "conscripted" is not credited by those who know him.

If you will send me a list of all the rebels from Boone who are in prison and claim to have been "conscripted" I will see that a full report is made to you in regard to each.

Very truly,  
Wm. F. Switzer

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Headquarters

Mid Dept of Army Corps  
Baltimore December 20, 1864.

R 176 M. M. D. 1864

Prof James R.

Major <sup>and</sup> A. D. T.

Regarding the release of  
the following named  
prisoners from Fort  
McHenry.

Joseph M. Cartney

Jacob Eberhart and

Charles M. Cartney.

Box 17 M. M. 10.

Head Quarters, Middle Department, 8th Army Corps,

Baltimore, December 20<sup>th</sup> 1864.

A. Col. C. Kingsbury,

A. A. S. Mid. Mil. Div.

Colonel:-

I have the honor to report that, in obedience to orders from Headquarters Middle Military Division, dated Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1864, the following named prisoners have been released:

Joseph McCartney

Jacob Eberhart

Chas. McCartney

The Commissary of Prisoners at Fort Mifflin reports that there is no such man as Newton Clemon confined at that Post.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant

In the absence of the  
Maj. Gen. Condit's  
James R. Hoff  
Maj + ad. e.

Office U.S. Dir Tax Comm,

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Beaufort S.C.

Dec 25th, 1864.

Brisbane Wm Henry  
Chairman

Encloses papers praying  
military action in the case  
of Geo Stevens, & urges  
that he be put in possession  
of his property for the  
moral effect on future sales.

1 Enclosure

~~2~~  
~~6~~

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received - first of  
the letter is now

definitely in the hands of  
captains of the vessel  
which is ~~at present~~  
at the ~~present~~ ~~time~~

which will be for the  
purpose of ~~the~~ ~~author~~ ~~of the~~ ~~letter~~  
at the ~~present~~ ~~time~~

which is ~~the~~ ~~author~~ ~~of the~~ ~~letter~~  
at the ~~present~~ ~~time~~

my first time

1893

1/4 2000  
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Office of U. S. Direct Tax Comm<sup>rs</sup>  
Beaufort S.C. Nov. 28, 1864.

General:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the petition of Geo. W. Stevens in behalf of himself and others in reference to their being placed in possession of certain lands in the Parish of St Helena, South Carolina, with your endorsement thereon of the date of Nov<sup>r</sup> 25, 1864.

I am authorized by the Board of U. S. Direct Tax Commissioners for the District of South Carolina, to say in reply, that the premises set forth in said petition were sold at public auction on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1864, by the United States to Geo. M. Pindle an officer in the United States Naval service as will appear by the certificate of the Commissioners made to him. Whether he has assigned the certificate or conveyed by quitclaim or otherwise to said Stevens and others, we are not fully informed. It will be necessary for them to produce



the said certificate or the record of it, and the assignment thereof or a quitclaim or other conveyance, from the said Prindle, before any action can be taken.

We consider Mr. Prindle or his assignee entitled to the possession of the premises, and we deem it also for the best interests of the United States that all purchasers at the sales made in the Parish of St. Helena in the spring of 1864, under the instructions of the President of the United States of the date of September 16, 1864, be put into possession of their lands if they desire it, inasmuch as a failure on their part to obtain their rights in this respect will tend to depreciate the value of the lands now remaining to be sold.

We have reason to believe also that there are many colored residents of the Parish who are deterred from purchasing lands at private sale under said instructions, by reason of the fact that other colored men have gone into possession of certain portions of said lands thus reserved for their purchase at a nominal price, and are claiming rights therein contrary to said instructions.

and on this account also the Board of  
Direct-Tax Commissioners deems a proper  
action in the premises conducive to the  
peace and quiet of the people of the parish.

Very respectfully  
Your Obedient Servt.  
~~Wm. Murray~~  
Chairman of S. Direct  
Tax Com<sup>rs</sup> for So. Co.

Major General J. G. Foster  
Comdg Dept. of the South.

P. B. 654 S. H. 104

Frogmore  
St. Helena Isl<sup>d</sup>

November 21<sup>st</sup> 1844

This is to certify that  
Mr Geo. Haum, in the presence  
of Mr Stevens and myself,  
did, this afternoon, refuse  
to give possession of the  
"Seaside" house and adjoining  
buildings to Mr Stevens,  
one of the purchasers of  
said building — At the  
same time he said that he  
should not give possession  
until obliged to do so as  
he intended to maintain  
his pre-emption claim

Geo. Halden

Office U. S. Direct Tax Comm.  
Beaufort, S. C.  
Dec. 19th, 1864,

Brisbane Wm. Henry  
Chairman Commission  
for So. Carolina.

is informed that Geo. W. Stevens  
can't be put forcibly in possession  
of his lands without  
more precise application,  
as to its effect on  
future sales. Certificate of  
Commission ought to be sufficient

Wm. Henry

Office U. S. Direct Tax Commission

Beaufort So. Ca. Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1864

Major General J. G. Foster, Comd'g Department of the South,  
Head Quarters, Hilton Head, S. C.

General,

By date of Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1864 we are informed that in the matter of the petition of <sup>the</sup> George W. Stevens to be placed in possession of certain lands, you "will wait for more precise application for official action before proceeding further".

The only interest the Tax Commissioners can have in this particular case is in its bearing upon future sales made by them. You will readily see that persons who may happen to be in occupancy of premises at the time of sale may take advantage of this precedent and refuse to yield up the possession to the purchasers. Under such circumstances they could not expect that bids would be as freely made as in case of the precedent being in favor of the purchaser. The Commissioners have no power themselves to eject any persons from any premises they may sell; and as there is now no civil jurisdiction here, the purchaser must look to the Commanding General to secure to him his rights. The Commissioners therefore do hope and desire that you will consider such applications as Mr Stevens has made, and if you are satisfied that the claimant is the purchaser or the assignee of the purchaser, then give him the redress which, in the absence of regular Courts, he cannot otherwise obtain. The fact that the claimant has the Commissioners' Certificate of Sale we think ought to be evidence enough of his right to enter upon the possession of the premises. It is to be presumed that the Commissioners, under their weighty responsibilities, will not grant Certificates of Sale without full consideration of all legal liabilities. The Commissioners in this particular case have not a particle of doubt about the right of Mr Prindle or his lawful assignee to the full possession of the premises he claims under their Certificate of Sale.

I have the honor, General, to subscribe myself

With great respect

Your Obedient

Humble Servant

Matthew Prindle

Chairman U. S. Tax Commission

for South Carolina.

Beaufort, S.C.  
November 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

Stevens Geo. W.

Makes statement in regard to the purchase of Sea Side plantation of Helena Island, and that John Hecox, now living in the "Mansion House" refuses to give it up. Requests that he may be ordered to vacate the premises.

HEADQUARTERS, Dept of the S. C.

Nov 25 1864

Respectfully referred to the Law Com<sup>rs</sup> for their official request for action, in case stay should be taken.

W. Foster  
M. C.

Nov 25 1864

Within petition respectfully returned to Major General Foster. Request for action thereon, made by Tax Commissioners in letter accompanying.

Montgomery Misbaug  
Chairman Board  
U. S. Direct Tax Com<sup>rs</sup>  
for South Carolina.



No. 657 S. D. W. G.

Care

of the





Beaufort S.C.  
Major General J. G. Foster.  
Commanding Department of the South.

Sir:

The undersigned respectfully represents to you that on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1864. George M. Prindle and James Ogilvie, officers in the Navy of the United States, did sell and convey to Capt. A. H. Estes, Horatio Hill and the undersigned all their right and interest in the plantation known as Sea-side, situated on St Helena Island, South Carolina, which had accrued to them, the said Prindle and Ogilvie, through a sale made by the United States Direct Tax Commissioners, for the District of South Carolina, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day February 1864; certificates of which sale duly authenticated by the said Commissioners, together with the deed of transfer of the premises therein described, from the said Prindle and Ogilvie to the said Estes Hill, and the undersigned, are herewith presented.

And the undersigned respectfully represents, further, that he and his partners the above named Estes and Hill have entered into full and peaceable possession of all of the said plantation known as Sea-side, except about 40 acres of the same whereon stand the mansion house and out buildings of the said plantation, and that this 40 acres is claimed and held by one John Hounn, a trader, who is now in full possession of the mansion house -

and other buildings on the same, having occupied the mansion house prior to the sale, by the Tax Commissioners and having ever since retained possession thereof; and that the said Hounn refuses to deliver up the said buildings, thereby defrauding the undersigned and the other joint owners of the said premises, of the use of their rightful property, greatly <sup>to the</sup> injury and prejudice of their interests therein. The undersigned acting for and in behalf of himself and his partners has repeatedly sought possession of the said mansion house, and did on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of this <sup>month</sup> ~~make~~ formally demand of the said Hounn possession thereof, in the presence of one W<sup>m</sup>. H. Alden, whose written statement in return thereof is hereto appended, and the said Hounn did then, and still continues to refuse to deliver up the same.

Now therefore, the undersigned in behalf of himself and partners respectfully petitions the General Commanding to place him without delay in full and quiet possession of all that part of the said Sea-side plantation, and the privileges and appertinances pertaining thereto, now unlawfully and unjustly held by the said Hounn; and the undersigned further petitions the General Commanding, in behalf of himself and partners, to compel the said Hounn to pay over to the undersigned, the sum of three hundred and eighty two Dollars (\$382.) rent due for the premises above designated, since the first day of April last, at the rate of \$50. per month. For all of which your petitioner humbly prays, &c. George W. Stevens.

(Copy)

Treasury Department,  
Fifth  
FOURTH SPECIAL AGENCY.

Beaufort, S. C. Nov. 12/64.  
Hon. Wm. P. Fessenden,

Secretary of the Treasury:

Sir:

I enclose  
herewith an advertisement of the  
Land Commissioners of South Car-  
olina proposing to lease at public auc-  
tion on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of December the  
plantations reserved for School Lands,  
and for a period of four years.  
You will observe that the advertisement  
bears date of the 4<sup>th</sup> inst; on the 12<sup>th</sup>  
inst. was the first time the Free South.

in which <sup>paper</sup> it appears, has been published  
for the current month; neither of the Sup.  
Commissioners were here on the 4.<sup>th</sup> inst.  
In my judgment this is an inju-  
dicious proceeding; and I deemed it  
right and proper to bring the subject  
to your notice. If these publications  
are to be issued, a longer and fuller  
notice should be given, and it should  
be circulated at the North.

The casualties of war have made many  
widows and orphans of freedmen, who  
are now destitute, and need imme-  
diate assistance.

Many freedmen disabled by wounds  
and sickness will need and should  
be provided with homes.

Over three thousand negroes from  
this and the adjoining islands have  
been enlisted into the Military and  
Naval service of the United States.  
If these plantations are leased for  
a period of four years, as is proposed,  
I know not how or where suitable  
places can be obtained to establish  
"Freedmen's Home Colonies," and  
some of these plantations are admir-  
ably adapted for this purpose.  
In no case would I advise a lease  
to be made for more than one year.  
I have no wish or desire to inter-  
fere with the duties of the Tax Com-  
missioners.

But after a residence here of some

than a year. The experience which  
this residence, has given me leads  
me to this conclusion.

Very Respectfully

Your obt. Servant.

(sgd) Albert G. Brown  
Supervising Special Agt. Treas. Dept.

Treasury Department,  
~~FORTH~~ SPECIAL AGENCY.

Beaufort, S.C. Nov. 28. 1864

Major General J. S. Foster  
Comdg. Dept. of the South.  
General:

I have the honor to transmit herewith copy of a letter addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst in relation to a recent advertisement of the Direct Tax Commission, giving notice of the leasing of plantations for a term of four years.

I am at this date without reply thereto, and unless the Tax Commission have specific instructions in regard to the term of said leases, I cannot but believe that the public interest would be best served by a shorter term for each lease. The date of the advertisement being a week in advance of the publication thereof has prevented such a public notice of the action of the Tax Commission as could have been desired, and I would respectfully call your attention to the facts.

of the case, as stated in my letter to  
the Secretary, and would suggest that  
if such action of the Tax Commissioners  
be not in accordance with direct in-  
-structions from the Secretary of the Treasury,  
that your advice or interposition in the  
premises, would benefit the Community  
in this Department, as well as many  
at the North who are doubtless desirous  
of an opportunity of leasing lands for  
the employment of the Freedmen.

The length of the term of lease, in my  
opinion, unadvisable and cannot be  
for the interests of the Government or of  
the Freedmen employed.

Respectfully

Your obt. Servant.

Wm. G. Brown,  
Sup'g Spl. Agt.  
Treasury Dept



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Barleys Creek, Mo.  
Dec 10<sup>th</sup>/64

Wright J. A.

State that all the  
men conscripted by  
the Rebel Army <sup>in Osage Co.</sup> are  
Rebels with two ex-  
-ceptions and they  
were Ed Dennis <sup>of F.</sup>  
Roads-brook corps.

File.

O.P.M. Dec 10<sup>th</sup>/64

W. H. J. C. P. 1114 1/2/04

Dec 15/64

Bellevue Creek Charge Co. etc.

Mr Joseph Durr Acting Provost Marshal St Louis

Dear Sir by the

request of several Citizens of this County I address you with this letter concerning the prisoners that was taken from Price's army who went from this County and claim to be conscripted as I see in a published notice from you that you wish to know their former principals and I shall venture to say that there was but two loyal men conscripted from this County and their names is Ed Jennis and F Roads both boys and I have not saw their names among the other prisoners and I presume they were not captured as to the names published without making any discrimination amongst them they are a set of notorious Rebels and ever have been the majority of them ~~seen~~ left the County in 1861 under the leadership of the notorious Ben Johnson and then fell in with Ellis Real Johnson and Lebanon and from there went to Price's army at Springfield and after serving their time out came back to the County and when the Enrollment came up they reported almost unanimously on the Disloyal list and some of them were trying to recruit after they joined Price this last time and we would say to you that they are as near us as we ever wish them to be and if you wish any further proof we will consider the testimony of the old Homeguards good evidence you can be furnished with as much as you want from this County that they ever have been traitors to the Government

P.S Please keep my name private for the

for the present as they have friends behind that  
is not any too good to shoot a man from the back  
and if you wish to communicate any thing concerning  
these men you can address me if you chuse to  
Baileys Creek Casage County or Lieutenant  
E. Jenkins at some post office or William Wright  
Junior at the same office  
In the name of the loyal people of Casage I ever  
pray for them never to come back

Your Obedient Servant J. P. Wright

file

428 O. P. M. 4. 1. 1864.

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Sam. Lewis, Jr.

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Dawson, Wm. M.  
Captain.

Report of his trip and  
investigation of the Philip  
Stuckey, + W. H. Mason cases  
at Memphis Tennessee.  
One enclosure.

Rec'd. O. P. M. 4. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Office of the Provost Marshal,

State of Tennessee,  
Memphis, Tenn.,

Dec 13 1864

Capt. W. W. Taylor

Captain

In the case of P. Stucky  
placed in my hands by Major Genl.  
C. C. Washburn. No further developments  
have been made; the papers are in  
my hands, I see no reason why Stucky  
might not as well be sent back to  
St. Louis.

I have the honor to be  
Very Respectfully,  
Yours Obedt. Servt.  
S. E. Perkins  
Capt. S. J. Love Capt.  
Capt. W. W. Taylor  
S. E. Perkins

Saint-Louis Mo - December 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Col L. H. Davis  
Acty, Prov. Mar. Genl.,  
Department of the Mo

Colonel

I have the honor to report that in compliance with Special orders No 334 from Head Quarters Deptmt of the Mo, I proceeded to Memphis Tenn arriving there on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of December and remaining until the 14<sup>th</sup> inst, during which ~~time~~, I with the assistance of Major Foster Chief of Police, Captains Swivel and Bradley of the same Deptmt, made diligent search through the city of Memphis to ascertain the whereabouts of our W W Carson without avail.

The result of such search and inquiry warrants the conclusion, that no such personage lives in or about that city.

I ascertained from Captain Bradley that a person by the name of W. W. Carson had been employed as a guide and special detective by the Military Authorities at Memphis, but that the said Carson is not now in the city and was last heard from, near Jonesboro Mo at which place he formerly resided.

It is my opinion that this W W Carson is the person who advertises to pay a reward of fifty dollars for information concerning the whereabouts

of "Miss Kate Beattie", a copy of which advertisement please find enclosed, It is also my opinion that said Carson could be obtained by the Police Dept<sup>t</sup> at Memphis.

In addition to the above I would respectfully state that Phillip Stuckey is now in <sup>the</sup> custody of Captain Rankin Asst-Prov Mar at Memphis, and that all papers pertaining to his case, were turned over to Captain Rankin by Major Morgan A. A. G., also that no further developments have been made in the matter respecting his guilt or innocence.

For further information in this case I respectfully ~~refer~~ <sup>call</sup> your attention to the enclosed letter from Captain Rankin.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedient Servant

W. M. Taylor  
Capt A. S.



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H. C. 41 D. C. 11 865

Memphis Tenn Dec 30 1864

Wesley Pat. and Meary

Represents that they sent property from Hensley & Smith of W. S. A. that they are disturbed in the possession of the same by Dr Partill. Ask for protection from the Mil Authority

See Enclosure

*[Handwritten signature]*

Wesley Pat. and Meary  
Hensley & Smith  
Tenn Dec 30 1864

A. G., Dear West Tennessee  
Memphis Tennessee Dec 30th  
Respectfully refers to  
Major J. C. Foster Chief  
of Sicket & outposts, to  
Examine into & report

By order of  
Brig Genl J. C. Ketch  
R. G. Curtis  
Capt & Adj

A. G., Dear West Tennessee  
Memphis Tennessee Jan 5th  
Respectfully returns, and  
attention calls to report  
of Major J. C. Foster Chief  
of outposts

By order of Brig Genl J. C. Ketch  
R. G. Curtis  
Capt & Adj

New State Line Road at  
Fidlet Post

Memphis Tenn Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1864

To Genl Hatch

Sir

Your petitioners Patrick and Mary Hickey reside on 12 acres of Land owned by Col<sup>l</sup> Hurst & Smith of the U. S. A. and pay them an annual Rent - for the same.

We are disturbed in possession of the same by Dr. Partillo and others of his Connection, we are frequently assaulted and was Robbed of \$40 sometime ago and we are in fear of our lives nightly and daily from the sympathizers and robbers connected with the parties wanting possession of the Land

A Line from the Military authorities would be a safe guard from Dr. Partillo and his gang until either Col<sup>l</sup> Hurst or Smith Return to Memphis

and your Petitioners will Every  
pray

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Report of Maj. J. C. Foster  
Chief of Outposts, in the  
case of Patrick & Mary  
Heikley, complainants

Return to  
Appellate Court

H.C. 4. (D. M. S.) 1865

Office Chief of Camps, Posts & Depots of Memphis  
Memphis Tenn Jan 12 1864

Capt R. G. Curtiss  
A. A. G. Dist of West Tenn

Sir

In the case of Patrick & d  
Mary Hickley, who complain of ill treatment at  
the hands of one Dr Pardillo. I have the  
honor to submit the following statement: viz:-

Mr & Mrs Hickley occupy a place bought by  
H. C. Smith of the same bar. at tax sale.

Dr Pardillo is an agent for the persons  
owning the place before said sale & disputes  
Hickley's right of possession, and is trying  
to get him off the place, but has not  
resorted to any extraordinary measures  
to accomplish his purpose.

Dr Pardillo is said to be an honorable  
man and above such thing as assault  
and robbery, as is mentioned in the  
complaint.

This I learn from neighbors to both

parties and I think is a correct  
statement.

The question is, does Ed Smith own the  
land, having bought it at a tax sale.

I have called at Mr Heitlys times  
but did not find any one at home either  
time.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servt

Geo. C. Foster

Maj & Chief of Outposts

New York 13952  
P. 3. Dec 28. 64  
(A. G.) 1865

Archibald E. M.  
City British Consul

Encloses papers  
relative to three  
men lately arrived  
from Nassau per  
Corsica, now in  
jail, but claiming  
to be British Subjects.  
W. Martin, J. Paton, P. F. Boulin & A. J. Torub.  
Four Enclosures.

Jan 3 1865. Enclosures  
returned to the British Consul  
with a letter -  
E. M. H. ap. ad.

Martin & Paton

Recd. (Hd. Ars. D. E.) Jan. 4 1865.

British Consulate New  
York. December 28. 1864

Sir,

I have the honor to  
transmit to you, herewith en-  
closed, in original, three letters  
from British Subjects, at present  
confined in the County Jail, on  
behalf of themselves and others,  
also detained in custody, who  
arrived at this Port on Saturday  
last by the Mail Steamer 'Corica'  
from Nagasaki on their way to  
the United Kingdom.

These parties state that  
they have been arrested for the  
reason that they had not obtained  
Passports at Nagasaki before leaving  
that Port. As the regulations  
issued by the State Department

Major General Den  
to do to  
New York.

W. Martin & J. Patton  
Dec 24/64

R. F. Bouchier  
Dec 27/64

A. J. Frost  
Dec 27/64



in reference to travellers entering  
an American port from sea  
bears date the 17<sup>th</sup> of December,  
and the Corsica sailed from  
Naples on the 19; before intelli-

gence of the regulation could

"reasonably be expected to reach"

the Bahamas <sup>previous to the sailing of</sup> before these parties

~~left~~ <sup>from</sup> that Colony, I trust that

these prisoners (unless there be

some other good ground for

detaining them, - of which I am

opposed), will be discharged

from custody.

I have the honor to be

Mr. Your most obedient  
humble servant

Edm. Archbold

Att. Genl.

If you will be so good as to  
return the enclosed Copy of the  
Regulation, & letters at your  
convenience.

Head Quarters Department of the East,

New York City, Jul. 24 1864

Marchal Robert Murray,

Sr.

The Major  
General Commanding the  
Department desires that  
you assist and <sup>hold</sup> ~~assist~~  
in custody until further  
order from the Trade  
Quarters. The following  
named persons, charged  
with ~~the~~ <sup>running</sup> ~~the~~  
and who ~~has~~ <sup>arrived</sup> ~~arrived~~  
this morning in the  
Steamer Corkia from  
~~Shonan~~, Japan.  
The Steamer is at  
the Command dock, Jersey  
City.

R. 3. - 273953

Hd. Qrs. 2<sup>nd</sup> Dep. Aug 8<sup>th</sup> Ab.

Fort M. Henry, Ms. Dec 21/64

R<sup>g</sup> 409 1864 Vol 6.

etc

Ramsay, J. Sales, Lt &  
A. H. H. Genl

Desires the names  
of such prisoners as were  
ordered to be released yesterday  
and between whose names  
as written in the order from  
these Hd. Qrs. and the entries  
on the books of the Office Com. Pris.  
some orthographical differences  
existed.

Recd Mid Dep Div 23 864  
Recd O. C. P. Lt. M. Henry, Dec 21

S. B. Vol. 1 Page 74.

Office Commissary of Prisoners,  
FORT McHENRY, MD.

Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Head Quarters 2nd Sep. Brig.  
8th Army Corps.

The names referred to  
within are, as written in  
the order James Lay,  
Jesse Russell, and  
Edward Jenkins: according  
to these records they are  
James M. Lay, J. H. Russell,  
and E. Jenkins.

The last named man  
states that his name is  
Eben Jenkins.

George M. Chapman  
Commissary

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th I. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 21st 1864

Respectfully forwarded to Dept  
Head Quarters 8th I. C.

I desire to know  
whether the men  
mentioned in the  
foregoing endorse-  
ment of the Commis-  
sary of Prisoners shall  
be continued in Con-  
finement, or whether  
some error has been  
accrued in transcribing  
their names.

W. W. Adams

Adj. Gen. 2d Sep. Brigade

540  
and with this copy of the  
order directed their release.  
was ordered to get done with  
Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> will be upon the subject  
order has been executed.

that this paper was not  
and it is not known at this  
office whether the names  
specified in said order <sup>and</sup>  
those as shown by the records  
of the Com. of Prisoners  
of War are the same  
persons

Head-Quarters, 2nd Separate Brigade, 8th Army Corps,

Defences of Baltimore,

Fort McHenry, Md. Number 21 1864.

Lieut George Stcheson  
Commissary of Prisoners  
Fort McHenry Md

Sir,

By direction  
of the General commanding you will  
forward to these Head Quarters  
at once the names of such prison-  
ers as were ordered to be released  
yesterday, and likewise whose names  
as written in the order from these  
Head Quarters, and the entries in  
the books of your Office, some ortho-  
graphical differences existed

Very Respectfully  
Your obt servant  
J. H. Ransay  
Lieut & A. A. J. J.

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Head-Quarters, Middle Department,

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to Prof. Brig. Genl.  
W. W. Morris, Commanding 2<sup>nd</sup> Sep. Brig,  
these are undoubtedly the parties referred  
to, in General Sheridan's order, and will  
be released accordingly.

By Command of  
Major General Wallace

*[Signature]*  
Major A. D. C.

re: W. W. Morris  
Head-Qu. 2<sup>nd</sup> S. B. & C.

W. W. Morris, Md Dec 25/64.

Respectfully referred to the Com. of  
Prisoners, who will release, John M  
Lay, J. W. Russell, and E. Jenkins  
according to above endorsement.

By Order of Gen. Morris,

*[Signature]*  
D 549 A. D. C.

W

E. B. Vol. 1 Page 8. D.

Office Commissary of Prisoners,  
FORT McHENRY, MD.

Dec 26 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Head Quarters 2nd Inf. Brig.  
8th Army Corps, with notifica-  
tion of compliance with  
within instructions, per  
6<sup>th</sup> S. O. No. 343. from the  
Office.

George Atcheson  
Sgt & Comdr

Head Quarters 2nd Inf. Brig  
Fort McHenry Md

December 27/64

Respectfully returned  
to Capt Head Qu. these  
men having been re-  
leased

W. W. Lewis

D 554  
842  
B. Brig. General



Dr. May  
Ed.

My Refs  
vll  
July  
(referred by letter  
of letter?)

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Chas. McHenry, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 64

Morris N. W. Cts  
Post. Pay. General.

States in obedience to  
instructions he has this  
ordered the  
day release from con-  
finement the following  
named Citizens

Joseph M. Cartney

Jacob Oberhart

Newton Cummings

Chas. M. Cartney

The Council of Prisoners

states there is no such  
prisoner as Newton Cummings.

He awaits further instruc-  
tions in the case.

Rec'd. Mail. Dept. Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 64.

Head-Quarters, 2nd Separate Brigade, 8th Army Corps,

Defences of Baltimore,

Fort McHenry, Md. *Reunion 191864.*

Capt. Oliver Matthews  
Act. Asst. Supt. Gen  
Head Qu. Md. Dept. S.M.A.C.

Sir,

I have the honor  
to state that in pursuance of instructions  
received from Dept. Head Qu. S.M.A.C. I ordered the release of  
the following named citizen prisoners, viz.

Joseph M. Cartney Capt & Co

Jacob Chehab Winchester

Newton Cleringer "

Chas. M. Cartney "

This order was returned from the  
Office of the Commissary of Prisoners  
stating that no such prisoners as  
Newton Cleringer was in confinement  
at this post, but that two prisoners

names respectively A. Levinger and  
a. J. Levinger are here.

There was some slight difference  
in the orthography of the other  
names, but not such as to render  
the identity doubtful.

I await further instructions  
in the former case

Very Respectfully  
Yours Obt. Servant  
W. W. Wood  
R. H. Biggins

W. 556. D. E. 1864  
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N. York City  
Dec 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

~~Whitney & Hathaway~~

Represent them also  
as the agents for the line  
of steamers between this  
port & Norfolk Va.

Recd Wm L. D. E. / Dec 30/64

52 South St  
New York Dec 29th 1864

Genl. Geo. A. Dix  
Majr Genl U.S.A.,  
General:-

We have the honor to represent that we are the agents for the Line of Steamers between this port and Norfolk, Va. We have directed persons desiring to go to Norfolk, to your office for the necessary passes, in accordance with the order from Brig. Genl. Pheley, Comd'g the Dept of Eastern Virginia enclosed herewith to which we beg to call your attention.

Very respectfully,  
Whitney & Hathaway

Copy

Head Quarters District of Eastern Virginia  
Norfolk Va., December 22 1864

Special Orders }  
No 210 }

Extract.

V. — Passengers coming direct from New York to Norfolk by the regular line of Steamers plying between these ports will be permitted to land upon passes issued from the Head Quarters of Major Genl Dix, Comdg Dept of the East.

By Command of Brig. Genl Shepley.

Wickham Hoffman

A. A. General

Agents of Line of Steamers }  
between New York & Norfolk }

M<sup>n</sup> 863<sup>m</sup> 1864 Vol 6  
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etc December 12<sup>th</sup> 1864

Middle Military Division  
By Q. M. Gregory U. S. G.

Directs the release of  
the following named pris-  
-oners now confined at  
Fort "McHenry"  
Joseph W. Landrum  
Jacob Berkert  
Newton Clinger  
Charles McCarly

M. J. G.  
M

Recd. by Capt. Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> 1864



Head-Quarters, Middle Department.

EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

Baltimore, Md. Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully referred to *Brig. Genl. Morris,*  
*Commandg 2<sup>d</sup> Sep. Brigade,* who will  
*execute the orders of the Maj. Genl.*  
*Commanding Middle Military*  
*Division.*

Please return this paper, with report.

By Command of  
Major Genl. Wallace

*Wm. Wallace*

*A. A. G.*

*with these names at  
write to H. C. King  
in view of the  
execution of the order  
12/11*

*W. W. Morris*  
*all*

Headquarters 2d Separate Brigade, 8th A. C.  
DEFENCES OF BALTIMORE.

Fort McHenry, Md.,

December 18 1864

Respectfully returned to Department  
Headquarters, 8th A. C.

*The*  
*order for the release*  
*of these men has this*  
*day been issued,*  
*furnishing transporta-*  
*tion to their homes, and*  
*requesting intermediate Com-*  
*manders to provide safe*  
*conduct.*

*D 526 W. W. Morris*  
*842 21<sup>st</sup> Brig Cavalry*

Head Quarters Middle Military Division,

December 12<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Major General L. Wallace  
Commanding Middle Dept.  
Baltimore Md.

General

The Major General

Commanding, directs that the following named citizens, now  
confined at Fort Mifflin, be released.

The order releasing them will provide for their safe return  
home.

Joseph McCarty	of	Clarke County Va.
Duett, Eubank,		Winchester "
Newton Clinger		" " "
Charles McCarty		" " "

Very Respectfully, Your Obedt Servt  
C. Kingsbury Jr.  
Asst. Adj. General.

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Baltimore Md. Decr. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Taylor Avery M.

Statement of the proceedings in the  
case of a colored woman in the  
Orphans Court, & the conduct of  
Dr. Dan. Jones on that occasion.

Also states that Mr. Pratton  
was one of the judges on the  
bench at the time.

Head-Quarters, Middle Department,  
EIGHTH ARMY CORPS.

OFFICE PROVOST MARCHAL.

Baltimore, Md. Decr. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Respectfully forwarded to

The General Comd<sup>g</sup>

for his information, & to be placed  
with other papers in the case.

John Woolley  
Lieut. Col. & Co. Mar.

Decker

1/2 Hrs. for letters  
papers in this box

1/2 Hrs.

Balto Dec 28th '64  
Statement of Abraham Taylor  
of Princess Ann. Somerset Co. Md.

I went into the Court to see about some  
Colored Woman's affairs at Princess Ann.  
I objected to some of the proceedings in the  
case. But no attention was paid to me  
the Colored woman offered security. Which  
was objected to. I offered to go security  
but was refused, I tendered \$200 and  
that was refused. Then I remarked  
"So for much for a rebel Court": upon  
which I was threatened to be placed  
in jail by Dr. Warr Jones from Deal's Island  
one of the Judges of the Cophair Courts  
Mr. Brattin was one of the Judges  
on the bench at same time. but  
said nothing -

About a week after the election  
for the ratification of the constitution - at  
Princess Ann - This occurrence which I  
have stated above took place -

Abraham Taylor

Sworn & subscribed to before  
me this 28th day of Dec '64

1395

See 8th Army Corps.  
Baltimore, Md.

13959

See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore Md.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore, Md.



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see F. D. M.

Amesbury

Head Quarters Department of the East,

New York City, Jul. 24 1864

Maj. Gen. Hunt,

Com. of Mass Light Artillery, &c.  
General.

The Major  
General commanding the  
Department directs that  
you arrest, and send to  
the Ludlow St. Jail, to be  
then detained until further  
order from these Head Quarters,  
the following named persons,  
who are charged with the  
running, and who are now  
on board of the Steamer  
"Corica" at Cunard Wharf,  
New York City.

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Alex. H. Forrest  
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William Martin,  
John O'Brien,  
John Patton,  
Michael Quirk,  
Thomas Williams.

I am very well  
I am at the  
Mr. N. de la  
A. de la  
Genl. de la

Head Quarters Department of the East,

New York City, Dec. 24 1864

Warrant Robert Murray  
Cit.

Warrant Robert Murray  
Cit. Brig. Gen. Hunt  
has been directed to assist  
and send to the aid of  
Sail, the blockade runner,  
named in the order by me  
of this date.

Yours very truly  
Wm. N. Andrews  
Adj. Gen. Dept. of the East  
Gen. Reynolds

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Baltimore Md.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore, Md.

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Camp Exchange Prisoners  
"Collins House" near  
Bickburg Dec. 1. 1964



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Baltimore Md.

William <sup>Mannion</sup> Mannion <sup>and</sup>  
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Sambert Pugham

arrested for attempt to defraud  
the Government.

Spriet City

Examined Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1864

W<sup>m</sup> Mannion States that  
he resides in Quebec Canada  
and came to Detroit Michigan to  
seek employment about Nov  
5<sup>th</sup> 1864. Was employed  
by N. B. Holladay about Nov  
17<sup>th</sup> 1864 to come to St. Louis  
and work for the Govt.  
He did not tell me he would  
have to take the oath at about  
Nov. I told him I was not a  
citizen and did not desire  
to become one. Told me that  
my passport and discharge  
would answer my purpose here  
and would not have to take the oath  
if I had known I had to take the oath  
I did not refuse to refund my  
passage but wanted time  
to make the money which  
was refused me. Told them  
that I would take the oath  
to perform the duties required  
of me faithfully. Told Hol  
loday before I started that

did not want to  
take of Allegiance. Was told  
by the Mayor of Prescott, Cal.  
that if I took the oath I  
would become a citizen.  
Did not intend to deprive  
the Govt.

Lambert Burchard says. I resided  
in Sandvich Co. Cal. went to Dr  
Smith Mich about Nov 24<sup>th</sup> 1864  
to get work. Was employed by  
H. Holladay to come to St Louis  
to work. Was told by him that  
I would not have to become  
a citizen. that I could quit  
work at any time if I did not  
like it and get pay for my  
time. Told him I did not  
want to take the the oath  
of Allegiance before I agreed  
to come with him.

Did not refuse to refund  
the passage money but was  
told time to make it. They  
wanted security. I could  
not give it. was put in  
Prison.

Respectfully Returned to  
the Examiner. These men  
both claim to have been de-  
ceived by H. Holladay  
Franc M. Keith  
Asst. Ex.

Dr Bennett

File

Prison Records. -

Book 10

How many to  
the Detroit work

to the workbooks

John

I cannot get the  
man and under the  
circumstances would  
suggest the propriety  
of the release of the  
man as taking the  
out of "inability".  
Probably Maloney was  
not well about's part.  
The Bill. Ever so soon

Release these men  
in accordance with  
their suggestions



March 23rd 1904  
Holloman

Dr. Bennett

File from records -  
J. Williams

After man to  
Dr. Bennett notes

It is not expected  
to return

Letter

I cannot get this  
man and under the  
circumstances would  
suggest the propriety  
of the release of the pris-  
oners and taking the  
oath of Neutrality.  
Probably Holiday was  
soft and should foot  
the Bill. Geo. W. Shinn

Wm. Williams  
with  
experience  
in  
Williams

at W. Va. 250 Dec 17/64  
Williams

at Col Myers Office

Head Quarters Department of the Missouri,

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL,

St. Louis, December 17<sup>th</sup> 1864.

To Mr P. H. Holliday  
Or Mr Deft

Fit:

St Louis

You are requested to appear at this

Office, as soon as possible

o'clock, at

Geo. W. Sherrin.

Ass't Provost Marshal General

Chief of Ex Bureau.

Emulation

10 miles N. of  
St. James Co. N. Dak.  
Spoke,

St. Rich.

Water casing  
Rich

Henry B. Holliday being first duly sworn  
on his oath says, I am engaged in the  
service of the Quartermaster of the Dept.  
of the Ins. On or about the 14th Novr  
1864 two men whom I recognize as pris-  
oners here present & whose names I  
have ascertained to be William Man-  
now & Lambert Burshaw came into my  
office in Detroit Michigan and signed  
a contract voluntarily to work for the  
U. S. Government in the Quarter Master  
Department. On the strength of that Con-  
tract they received Government trans-  
portation from Detroit Michigan to St. Louis  
Mo. where I reported them as hired  
men for Government. Before being assigned  
to duty they were asked - as is usual  
with all employees - to take an oath  
of Allegiance & Loyalty to the United  
States Government which they refused  
to do. They were both asked to refund  
the cost of their transportation to  
St. Louis Mo. from Detroit Michigan which  
they refused to do. when they were  
placed in the hands of the Provost Guard  
H. B. Holliday

Sworn to & Subscribed before  
me this 1st Day of Dec. A.D. 1864

J. B. Meary Aft. Examined  
Officer Prov. Marshal



Head Quarters ~~First Sub District~~, St. Louis District.

OFFICE ASSISTANT PROVOST MARCHAL.

St. Louis, Mo. Dec 1st. 1864.

Col. I have the honor to forward you  
prisoners

William Mannion  
Sambert Burchaw

Arrested for  
attempt to defraud Government by  
receiving Government transportation by  
false promises. with evidence taken in  
the case

Very Respectfully  
Your obt. Servant

Chas Steiles Capt &  
Provost Marshal

Col Joseph Davis  
Acting Prov. Mar. Gen.  
Dept of the Ins.

Statement of  
Lambert Purshaw

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Lambert Burshaw  
deposes and says.

I reside in Sand  
wich Co. Canada west. I left  
there about the 27<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1864 and  
went to Detroit Mich. I am  
a Harness maker by occupation.  
I was arrested about the 30<sup>th</sup> Nov.  
1864, in St. Louis Mo.

I was arrested for refusing to  
take the Oath of Allegiance  
to the U.S. I was employed  
by H. B. Holladay to work in  
the S. M. Dept. Before I agreed  
to come to St. Louis Mo. I asked  
him if I would have to become  
a citizen of the U.S. if I came  
to work for the Govt. He told  
me no. I then asked him  
if I came if I could go back  
in two or three months if I  
did not like it. He told me  
yes if I would pay before six  
months and that I would have  
to pay my own passage back, but  
would get pay for the time I served.

My friend N. W. Mansson then  
showed his passport and dis-  
charge paper and Holladay told  
him he guessed they would do

Q Did you ask Holladay if you would have to take the Oath before you agreed to come with him

A I think I told him before I agreed to come that I did not want to take the Oath of Allegiance.

When I came to St Louis and found I had been deceived I objected to take the Oath and was put in prison.

Had I known that I would have to take the Oath, I should not have come with him from Detroit.

Q Did you not know that the taking of the Oath of Allegiance to the U.S. would not make you a citizen?

A I did not. The English Consular told me that if I took the Oath of Allegiance, I would become a citizen.

Q Do you sympathize with the South in this war?

A I do not. I want the North to whip them!

Q Was not it your intention to

make your passage to St. Louis  
off of the Govt.

A. It was not.

Q. Did you refuse to refund the  
money for your passage here?

A. I told them if they would give  
me time I would pay it.  
They wanted security which I  
could not give and I was  
put in prison.

Lambert <sup>his</sup> Purnshaw  
~~mark~~

Subscribed before me }  
this 26<sup>th</sup> Decem 1864 } Isaac M. Ruth  
Just. Cox  
" ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Statement of  
William W. Mason

Statement of William Mannon  
who deposes and says. My age is  
about 27 years. I reside in Quebec  
Canada. My occupation is a  
Shoemaker. I was arrested on  
the 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 1864, in St Louis Mo.  
I was arrested because I would  
not take the Oath of Allegiance  
to the United States.

Q Why would you not take the oath  
of Allegiance to the United States?

A Because I am and desire to  
remain a British Subject.

Q When did you leave Canada?

A About 20<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 1864.

Q What was your object in leaving  
there?

A To get employment in Detroit  
Michigan. I failed to get the em-  
ployment I desired in Detroit, and  
saw notices posted up around town  
for employees in the G. M. Dept.

I went to H. B. Holladay and asked  
to come to St. Louis Mo with him  
about Nov 21<sup>st</sup> 1864

He told me I would have to put  
my name down as a Teamster  
but promised me that I should  
work at my trade <sup>in the G. M.</sup> ~~at Detroit~~  
Dept. He did not tell me, that I

would have to take the Oath of Allegiance at St. Louis Mo. He asked me if I had my naturalization papers. I told him I was not a citizen of the United States and showed him my Passport and Discharge from Her Majesty's Service. He told me that would do answer my purpose when I got here.

Had I known I would have been required to take the Oath I would not have come.

My passage from Detroit Michigan to St. Louis Mo was paid by the U. S. Govt. & I was informed by A. B. Holladay. When I refused to take the Oath, they asked me to refund the money that it had cost the Govt to bring me here to St. Louis. Could I Dollars a day for the man that brought me. I told them I had furnished my own provisions on the road and that I could not see how I was to pay Holladay 3 Dollars a day for what he had not furnished me. I told them if they would give me time to earn the money I would pay the fair. But that



I had no money to refund it now. They asked me for security I told them I did not know anyone here and could not get security ~~here~~ but would give my oath that I would pay them when I got the money. They told me that would not do and that I must go to Prison.

I also told them that I would take an oath to perform the duties required of me, faithfully and honestly, as a transaction but that I did not want to take the oath of Allegiance

Q Did you tell Holladay before your name was put down <sup>at Detroit</sup> that you were a British subject and that you did not want to take the oath of Allegiance

A I did.

Q Did you not absolutely refuse to refund the money paid by the U.S. Govt. to bring you to St. Louis

A I did not, but wanted time to get the money to pay them with.

Q Where were you at the time of the St. Albion raid?

A I know nothing of that raid. After I was discharged from the army (Mar 31<sup>st</sup> 1860), I went to Ottawa Canada remained there two months and then went to Hawkesbury Prescott Co C. H. and remained there about six weeks and returned to Ottawa and remained there about two weeks and went to Windsor opposite Detroit in Canada remained in Windsor about three days and then went to Detroit Michigan.

Q What was your position in the Army?

A Drummer.

Q Why have you an 'alias' to your name?

A ~~Before~~ I enlisted in July 1850 my name was W<sup>m</sup> Marrison. but when I enlisted I gave it as W<sup>m</sup> Gray (Gray being my mother's maiden name) and then had it changed in the Regt to Marrison again about two years ago. I did

this ~~to~~ on account of a friend  
and relative of mine by  
the name of Gray who belonged  
to the army when I enlisted  
Q Do you not know that the tak-  
ing of the Oath of Allegiance  
does not make you a cit-  
izen of the U.S. States?

A I did not. I was told by the  
Mayor of Prescott when I got  
my passport that if I took  
the Oath of Allegiance to the  
United States that they (the  
British Authorities) would not be  
responsible for me after.

Q Did you not really intend to make  
your passage to St. Louis off of the  
U.S. Govt.

A I did not. I had no wish  
to do so.

Q Where were you in July Aug, & Sept  
& Oct 1864.

A In Aug I was in Prescott. Canada  
In Sept I was in Windsor Canada  
in Oct I was in Windsor Canada

Witness  
Subscribed before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 1864 } Isaac M. Keith  
A. C. C.

P. 17. P. A. N. 123

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St Louis Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1864  
From Pro Marshal Genl  
Papers in relation to our  
Manual Bones of  
Montgomery ex. 110

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Received Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1864

No. 2. Dept. of the Mo.  
Office Pro. Mar. Genl.  
St. Louis Dec. 6, 1864.

Respectfully forwarded to  
Adj. G. C. Marsh, Capt.  
Pro. Mar. Troop, Mo.  
Jeth. Van P.  
Atty. Pro. Mar. Genl.

Head Quarters Dept of the Mo.  
Office of Prov. Marsh. Genl  
Saint Louis Mo Dec. 6 '64.

Major H. C. Marsh.  
Asst Prov. Marsh.  
4<sup>th</sup> Sub Dist. Army Mo.

Major:

Enclosed please  
find papers in the case of <sup>Genl</sup> Mansel Jones,  
Wm. Halterday, with enclosures, forwarded  
for investigation <sup>and</sup> reports. Please return  
papers to this Bureau.

Very Respectfully,  
Your Obedt Servt

Geo. W. Sherrin  
Chief of Examining Bureau

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Norfolk, Va. Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1864

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Blunt A. O.

Capt & A. D. M.

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States that he received for  
a number of Col'd Refugees  
with orders to retain them  
until further orders, and that  
they have left his Depot.

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Rec'd to the Dist. Gov. General

Office Assistant Quartermaster.

Norfolk, Va. Dec 26 1864

Major Wickham Hoffman  
Asst Adjt Genl  
Norfolk Va  
Major

I have the honor to state that on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst I received for the following named Col's refugees, turned over to me for employment in this Dept with instructions to discharge none of them without first giving notice to the Comdg Genl viz:

Cha <sup>s</sup> Thomason	Henry Lockett
Rich <sup>d</sup> Williams	Jas Ryan
Wm Lockett	Jacob Lockett

Between the 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> inst these men left the employment of the Q.M. of their own accord and I have been unable to find any trace of them since

Most Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

A. P. Blunt  
Capt & A. G. M.



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Head Quarters Dist of E. Va.  
Norfolk Va Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

Samble Hanford  
Lieut and Co. S. C.

Inquiries in relation to certain  
property which the Wife of Scott  
(Refugee) claim to have left  
at Bernard's Mills.

The Enclosure.



Recd Oct 15 - Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Head Quarters District of Eastern Virginia,

Norfolk, Va.,

Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1864.

George W. Linn

Capt Comdg at Burnards Mills

Capt

The Messrs Scott (refugees) who came through the line yesterday, state that they in the hurry of getting on the train left behind, a bundle of baggage containing five hundred and seventy dollars (\$570.00) in gold and silver and two (2) Gold watches and chains.

The Comdg Genl directs that you take charge of said bundle and forward it to his Head Quarters immediately.

Very Respectfully  
Your Obedt Servt  
Harford Struble  
Lieut & A. S. C.

Head Quarters  
Dist. of Kentucky  
Dec 18/64

Respectfully referred to Capt  
Denn Comdy at Bernard's  
Mills - he will see the  
necessity of forwarding  
the said money & other  
articles together with  
a full report of the affair  
that the guilty party  
(if any) may be brought  
to light and punished

Wm Lewis  
Col 3<sup>rd</sup> Ky Cav  
Comdy

Headquarters Det. 3<sup>rd</sup> A. S. Cav.  
Bernard's Mills  
Dec 15<sup>th</sup>, 1864

Prospectfully returned to  
Lewis, with the information that  
no money or other valuables  
was taken from the Misses Scott  
except one <sup>which she put in her dress</sup> ~~silver~~ <sup>and two</sup> ~~gold~~ <sup>silver</sup> ~~pieces~~ <sup>pieces</sup>  
pistols. The ladies told me they  
had no money, but expected to  
realize sufficient from their  
horse, mules and buggy, to defray  
their expenses. They also stated  
that they had attempted to come  
to our lines some six weeks  
ago, and had got as far as the  
Blackwater, when they were arrested  
by the Rebel Scouts, and \$5.00  
gold was taken from them.  
They had nothing in the cart, which  
was left for want of transportation,  
no silk dresses, watches, or other  
property.

From their different stories and  
actions here, I am inclined to  
think them disreputable women.

Geo. P. Lewis  
Capt James Det. 3<sup>rd</sup> A. S. Cav.  
Bernard's Mills

I was present at the  
examination of the property  
that these women had with

them, & from my personal  
knowledge I know there  
was nothing taken from  
them, nor was anything  
left at this post,  
except one old cart  
which could not  
be transported, at  
the time, which had  
nothing in it; & I thus  
did not belong to  
them, but the prison,  
they was brought here  
by a Lieut. & a guard  
belonging to the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
A. S. Cav. all these  
effects were sent to Polson  
= must

John Green  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. 3<sup>rd</sup> A. S. Cav.

Head Quarters  
Dist of Connecticut  
Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Most respectfully returned  
to Head Quarters Dist N & P  
attention invited to Endorse-  
ments of Capt Drow & Lieut  
Gregory

Wm Lewis  
Col & Myler  
Comdg

W. L. S. Dep. A & P.

Dec. 15, 1862

Colonel-

Yesterday three ladies, <sup>with</sup> two negroes, drivers & carts, came in the lines at Bernard's Mill. A portion of their property was sent down, but three packages, containing silk dresses, watches and \$570 in gold, were not forwarded. The women had the money in the pockets, but it being so heavy they took it out, and in the presence of several men put it in one of the bags belonging to them. Direct the officer in command at Bernard's Mill to use his utmost exertions to find the money, and to forward it to these Head Quarters, together with the other property as soon as possible. If he is unable to find it, direct him to report the circumstances of the case, and the names of

played to recover the money.  
By order Myself & Voyles

W E Kisselburgh

St Paul

Col. G M Lewis  
Carey 3<sup>d</sup> Mess

Dear Sir D. J. W. P.  
Portsmouth, Va

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned. The  
desired information  
as to the money belonging  
to the Refugees in the same  
within one hour, a day or  
two since is enclosed

Yours  
- Bing Dine

L. H. [unclear]

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Camp 3<sup>d</sup> Perm: Cav:  
H<sup>d</sup> Q<sup>r</sup> 13979

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December 23<sup>d</sup> 1864 -

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Orint: Thos: Crump  
3<sup>d</sup> Perm: Cav:

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Reports that Mrs Martha  
R. Alley - living outside of  
the picket line on the  
Jerusalem Plank Road -  
has twice come inside of  
that line - and returned  
to her home - where she  
now is -

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Antique

Pat



Camp of 3<sup>rd</sup> Penna Cavalry  
December 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

Capt P. Schuyler  
A. A. S.  
Captain.

I have the honor to make the  
following Report.

That in pursuance to your orders, I went to the Jones  
House and made the enquiries as you ordered and the  
following is the information I received.

The lady who came to your Hd Qrs. in company  
with Mr Wm Jones was Mrs Martha C Alley, and  
not the Wife of J. H. Jones. She came inside our lines  
down the Jerusalem Bank Road, on the 17<sup>th</sup> Dec, and  
went to your Hd Qrs, the same day, in company with the  
elder Jones. This is the second time she has come within  
the lines. Alley himself remains close at the Jones house  
being obliged to report to Maj<sup>r</sup> Smith Provst. March 2<sup>nd</sup> Div  
9<sup>th</sup> Corps (whose Quarters are in the Yards) twice every day  
Mrs A. is now at her house outside the lines, above the I R Road

I have the honor to be  
your very obedt servant  
Geo. Currier  
Lieut. 3<sup>rd</sup> Penna. Cav

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Citizens

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Dec. 1864

# LIST OF MEN

Sent from Barracks No. 7, Louisville, Ky., Dec 19 1864, to Fort No. 4

NO.	NAMES.	CO.	REGIMENT.			RANK.	REMARKS.
			NO.	STATE.	ARM.		
1	G. Wanley		Citizen				Fortifications for (30) days " " " "
2	Pat Cantwell		"				
<p>Alex Magnus Maj. 27th Ky Inf Comd'g</p> <p>John Howard Lieut Col Adjt.</p>							
<p>Received the above named men C. R. West Capt Comd'g Fort No. 4</p>							

W-13-2 / Dept Miss / 1864

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Camp Exchange Prisoners  
"Collins House" near  
Vicksburg Dec 1-1864



St. Col. N. G. ~~W. T. S.~~  
Agt. of Exchange C.S.A.

Encloses names of  
parties held as Prisoners  
of War at Vicksburg <sup>for</sup> whom  
he desires to exchange an  
equal number of corres-  
ponding rank.

Requests a conference  
with the General Comdr  
in relation to the exchange  
of about 80 citizens and  
Employees whom he has  
with him

Genl. ~~W. T. S.~~  
See L.B. of 81st 15th W. T. S.

Recd. at Dept. of War Dec. 1. 1864  
Recd. at Dept. of War Dec. 1. 1864

Camp Exchange Prisoner  
Collins House

New-Tickburg Dec<sup>r</sup> 1864

General.

I have the honor to enclose list of names of Parties, who, I am informed are held as Prisoners of War, in Tickerburg. If you will exchange, or deliver on parole, I will return the same number, same grade, &c.

I am here, with thirty two men, Soldiers, Citizens & Employees, & suggest a conference in relation to their exchange, on parole.

I learn that Lt. A. H. Gibley, of Genl. Robbins Staff, is kept in close confinement at Nelsons, Ark., whilst others, are permitted the limits of the Prison grounds. Should there be charges against him, you will confer a favor by reporting them to me, to be referred to my Government, for adjustment, if possible, with your Government, at Washington City.

I desire from time to time, to parole certain Officers & men, of yours, Prisoners in our hands, with liberty to go North. Conditioned that there be returned to me on parole, in a

given time, their equivalent, to be  
specified by me, or, as desired, them-  
selves to me, in that time. This Propo-  
sition is of course to be reciprocal with  
you: And in view of the recent action  
of our respective Governments, for the ame-  
lioration of the condition of Prisoners, on  
both sides, and, for the furtherance of the  
cause of humanity, I venture the hope,  
this proposition will be favorably enter-  
tained.

I call your attention to my former  
communication relative to Citizen  
Tanclave, captured by Genl. Stocomb, &  
by him ordered released. And respectfully  
ask, why he is still detained?

The communication of Genl. Mudge  
referred by you to me, was received too  
late for answer by this flag. The matter  
shall receive full investigation, & be replied  
to.

This communication will be deliv-  
ered at the Pickens Post by Maj. R. L.  
Charters.

I am General

Very Resp.ly  
Yours Obedtly  
Wm. Watts  
Brig. Genl. M. C. Smith  
Comd. of Nat. Troops  
Pickens S. C.  
Atal. Capt. E. Garrison  
C. S. A.

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Copy of resolutions  
adopted at a meeting  
of Prisoners at State  
St. Prison. Dec. 26. 1864

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Citizens

# Card of Thanks

In consequence of a Donation, given unto his  
prisoners confined in Gratiot prison, by the citizens  
of St Louis Dec 25, 1864 we the prisoners of said prison  
do this 26<sup>th</sup> of Dec 1864, think that it is our duty  
as grateful people to hold a meeting for the purpose  
of showing our gratitude unto the donors, and  
all those that have used their efforts in distri-  
buting the same, On motion of J. C. Cousins.  
Mr T. M. Northcutt was called to the chair.  
The chairman was requested to state the object  
of the meeting which was made known by a few  
brief remarks. On motion of Mr J. H. Beckett.  
Mr John C. Moore was appointed secretary.  
On motion of J. C. Cousins a committee of  
20 was appointed to draft resolutions expressive  
of the sense of the meeting. Whereupon the  
Chair appointed the following named  
persons. J. C. Cousins. D. Horn. S. H.  
Beckett. Dr John Hart. John Moffitt.  
Gas Hoage. David Hampton. R. D. Miller.  
John S. Lowry. C. C. Kern. M. J.  
Wright. A. W. McLean. John Hall.  
J. M. Lessorberry. M. M. Harrington. George  
Robbitt. John Brewer. Robert Murer. W.  
H. Scatterberry. Frank Dodd. The commit-  
tee made following report. Whereas we the com-  
mittee in behalf of the Prisoners of Gratiot would



Respectfully report as follows, that having  
been the recipients of a most magnificent Christmas  
dinner, donated to us by the citizens of St. Louis.  
Therefore be it resolved, 1<sup>st</sup> That we tender our  
thanks unto the donors of this Christmas repast  
of which we the prisoners of Gratiot have been the  
recipients.

2 Resolved! That we also tender our sincere  
Thanks unto, Maj. Genl Dodge, Commanding  
The Dept. of the Mo Col. C. W. Davis, Prov  
Mars Genl of the same and Lieut Col Heinrich  
Inspector Genl & Supt of Mil. Prisons for  
permitting us to be the recipients of this  
most magnificent repast.

3 Resolved! That we return respectfully our kindest  
regards unto Capt Allen Crowell of his  
subordinate officers, for the ample facilities  
which were afforded us in enjoying this repast.

4 Resolved! That we return our most sincere and  
heartfelt Thanks to the sisters of Charity and mercy  
for their uniform kindness and generosity towards  
the prisoners of Gratiot, and more especially for  
their liberal exertions in distributing the same  
unto us on the day above named.

5 Resolved! That the City papers be requested  
to publish the foregoing preamble and resolutions.  
On Motion the meeting adjourned.

John C. Moore  
Secretary

L. M. Northwest  
Chairman

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Kentucky Mil Dist of  
Vance &  
Lieut. & P.M. Gen  
K. 88 - M. K. - 1864

Transmits roll of civil pris-  
oners awaiting trial & requests  
their cases disposed of

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to its

July - Rec 64

Recd. M. K. Gen 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

Act. Com. Med. Dept Ky  
Lexington Ky Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 1865

Respectfully referred  
to Maj. F. H. Burbower a J. A.  
M. D. K. There should  
be as little delay as  
possible in bringing  
these cases to trial

By order of  
B. M. Gen. Burbidge  
H. A. Dietm  
Capt and Surg.

Head-Quarters Military District of Kentucky,  
Office Provost Marshal General,

Lexington, Ky. Dec. 2/1864

Capt.

I have the honor to call your attention to the accompanying Roll of Civil Prisoners in my custody awaiting trial. The names of these prisoners have been sent to the Army Advocate with all the papers & information in my possession concerning them, at the dates set next to their respective names. I respectfully suggest that some means be adopted to bring these men to a speedy trial, even if in consideration of the fact that by such long delays the witnesses are dispersed, evidences destroyed, and objects of trial defaced.

I am Capt. Very Respectfully,

R Vance

Provost Marshal

Capt S B Loring  
A. A. L.

K. 58 - U.D.K. - 184

List of cases referred to U.S.A. M. D. P.

1	Adams. S. C.	Sept	4	"	1804
2	Harrison Henry.	July	24	"	"
3	Smith. S. B.	Aug	16	"	"
4	Oxley Thomas	Sept	4	"	"
5	Renfrew. William.	"	12	"	"
6	Johnson. S. H.	Oct	1	"	"
7	Hickworth S. W.	"	19	"	"
8	Courtesy Milton	Nov	10	"	"
9	Cades Henry.	"	"	"	"
10	Morris. Jnr. D.	"	18	"	"
11	Marr W. J.	Dec	8	"	"
12	Hordman Tho.	"	11	"	"
13	Payne Thomas	"	12	"	"
14	Smith Shirley	"	"	"	"
15	Maddox S. H.	"	17	"	"
16	Nichols Alfred	"	26	"	"
17	Atkcraft W. T.	"	"	"	"

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Norfolk, Va. Dec. 15. 1864

Misses Scott, Refugees.

State that they lost all their baggage at Barnards Mills, together with five hundred & seventy dollars in gold and silver. Request that an effort may be made to recover it, as they are entirely destitute, and dependent upon the charity of strangers.

Head Quarters,

Provost Marshals Office,

Norfolk, Va. Dec. 15. 1864

Respectfully forwarded to Brig.  
Gen. Suplee, Comdg.

H. A. Tator

Capt. & Asst. Provost Marshal.

Recd. Ad. Ins. at E. Va. Dec. 16. 1864

Head Qrs Dist E Va

Norfolk Va Dec 16/64

Respectfully referred to  
the Army officer at "Bernards  
Mills, who will make  
every effort to recover this  
property. This paper to be  
returned with report.

By order of  
Brig Genl Supply  
William Hoffman  
Adj Genl

Head Qrs Dist E Va  
For transmission to  
Dept of War

Respectfully transmitted  
with reference to above  
endorsement.

By order of  
Brig Genl Supply  
W. Hoffman  
Adj Genl

Head Quarters 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt Heavy  
Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully forwarded to  
Capt Iron Comdg Detachment at  
Bernards Mills Attention  
Called to Endorsement at  
Hd Qrs Dist E Va

Geo M Lewis  
Col Comdg

Hd Qrs Det of M. Cav  
Bernards Mills  
Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1864

Respectfully returned to  
Col. Lewis with reference to  
accompanying statement and  
affidavit.

Geo P. Bern.  
Capt Heavy Art Foot  
Bernards Mills

Hd Qrs 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt Heavy  
Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1864

Most respectfully returned  
to Hd Qrs Dist E Va Attention  
invited to report.

Geo M Lewis  
Col Comdg



Reading of the

Fortmudley

Dec 21 1864

Receipt returned and  
referred to enclosed  
Receipt. The Misses Scott  
stated to hear that they did  
not know the money placed  
to, to any person  
I am inclined to think  
from their manner  
and the inconsistency  
of their story that the  
money is all missing.  
They evidently want some  
pretense to stay in Norfolk  
and I advise that they  
be closely watched  
by the Secret Service.  
As I am inclined to  
think that they are  
Spies -

O W G  
By J L

Norfolk, Va. Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> 1864  
Brig. Gen. G. F. Shepley,  
Comdg:  
General:

We, the undersigned respectfully represent that we arrived at Barnards Mills from ~~Surry~~ Surry County on Thursday Wednesday, Dec. 14. 1864, as Refugees. We brought with us one horse and gig, and one mule and cart, together with two bags containing silk dresses and all our other wearing apparel. At Barnards Mills in the hurry and confusion we were hurried into the cars, being promised that our baggage should accompany us. In the car, after we had started, we missed our baggage, and the cart was also left behind. In the bundle or bags we had placed five hundred <sup>and seventy</sup> dollars in gold and silver, and two valuable gold watches, being too heavy to carry upon our persons. The horse, mule, & gig are supposed to be in Portsmouth. We respectfully request that an effort may be made to recover our property, as we

are strangers here, and entirely destitute.  
Without this we shall be compelled to solicit  
the charity of strangers,

We remain, General,

Very respectfully  
Your obedient servants.

Mrs. Abigail H. Scott

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Head Quarters 8th N.H. Cavalry,  
Remond's Mills Va  
Dec 17. 1864

Col G. O. Lewis }  
3rd N.H. Co. }

Sir:

I have the honor to state that I examined the baggage of the Misses Scott, in the presence of 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut John Gregory, and Perralle James, D. Cassin, and found no such bag as they describe. I asked them if they had money sufficient to pay their fare, they told me they had but very little, but intended to sell their horses, buggy and cart and mule, as soon as they arrived at Norfolk, and expected to realize enough funds from the sale to defray their expenses to Home County, N.H. where they stated their father resides.

The ladies were brought to my quarters under a guard of 4<sup>th</sup> Lieut and five (5) or six (6) men of the 20<sup>th</sup> N.H. Co. There was no hurry, bustle, or confusion when the train arrived, and sufficient time was given to get everything on board.

I was present at the Depot, and saw everything loaded but one old cart, which does not belong to the Misses Scott, but to the prisoner who accompanied them.

The ladies told me they had been robbed about six weeks ago, near the Blackwater, of \$575 in gold, while attempting to cross our lines.

I have used every endeavor to ascertain if any such property had been left, and am inclined to the belief that if the Misses Scott did possess any such valuables, it was taken before they reached my quarters and not afterwards.

I am, sir, very respectfully

your obedient servant

Geo. T. Davis

Capt. Lewis, Detach  
8th N.H. Cavalry

James O. Davis

Personally appeared before me, Donati James D. Clement,  
C. S. J. New York, County, who being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, That, he was present at the Quarries of Capt. Dem,  
when the Hayes Post arrived, and assisted in the examination  
and transfer of their baggage; That no such bag as has been  
described was found among their effects; That he was regularly  
detached as guard, to take them to Portsmouth; That one of the  
ladies told me she left a bag containing forty (40) dollars in silver,  
at the Depot, a gold watch, and silk dress; That when the  
conductor called for her fare, she spoke to her negro man, and  
inquired what he had done with "that bag"; he (the negro)  
remarked, he left it outside the car, by the car, she then stated  
the bag contained forty (40) dollars in silver, one gold watch,  
and a silk dress; Her sister then remonstrated with her  
for her carelessness, stating she had been losing things, all  
along the road. I further state, that I looked carefully  
around to see if anything was loaded, and did not see  
any bag or baggage, except the car, on which, some of  
this property was conveyed.

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1844,  
At Bernard's Mills via  
Mansfield, D. C. Price  
1<sup>st</sup> Street 3<sup>rd</sup> M<sup>th</sup> of Cal

James D. Clement  
Donati, Secy. of the N. Y. County

Head Quarters Detach 3<sup>rd</sup> N. Y. Cavalry  
Bernards Mills Co  
Dec. 17. 1864

Col Geo W. Davis  
3<sup>rd</sup> N. Y. Co.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that I was present when Capt. Stone examined the baggage of the Misses Scott. There was nothing but wearing apparel.

There was no confusion or hurry at the Depot. I took one of the Misses Scott to the cars, with a regularly detailed guard, while going to the cars. She said they had attempted to get into our lines a month or six (6) weeks before, but had been stopped near the Blackwater by the Confederate Pickets, and six hundred (600) dollars, in gold, taken from them, also a barouche and a span of horses.

I left her there at the cars to wait for the train to come.

I am sir,

very respectfully,

Your obedient servant

John Gregory  
3<sup>rd</sup> Detach. 3<sup>rd</sup> N. Y. Cavalry.

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See 8th Army Corps.

Baltimore, Md.



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Memphis Times

Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1864

~~Union Capt~~

J. W. McCom -

In regard to the  
Case of Lute. Wilson  
and Sherman

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Wm. C. R. R. R.  
Memphis, Dec 1, 94

Capt. H. S. Lee  
Jury Adv. D. W. P.

Captain,

Levi Wilson was arraigned  
before this Court on the charges preferred  
against him by me, and pleaded  
guilty to the same. His case will  
be disposed of this day.

Enclosed I send charges drawn  
by me vs. M. Gilliam. If you wish to  
bring him at once please let me  
know, and refer the same to the Court.

I will have the charges vs.  
Shubert ready, and send them down  
for reference this afternoon.

I would state in response to  
the suggestion made by you, that  
after consultation with the Court, I  
conclude the matter is not material

for their reasons. The property is held  
and possessed by the U.S., if not as  
owner, certainly as the owner in  
trust. Certain it is, that all of  
the movable property was defacto  
that of the U.S.,

Property charged as belonging  
to A. B. which, in fact, belongs  
to C. D. and is held by A. B. in  
trust, will be considered so far  
the property of A. B. as to make  
the indictment good. Such I un-  
derstand to be the policy of the  
Courts.

I am, Captain

Very Respectfully

Wm. Bell Smith  
J. M. Spencer  
Capt 50th Regt  
Infy  
for Adm. Mil Con

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Application for the  
Cancellation of bonds  
of Mr. Cha. W. Miller  
Sery. charged with  
having counterfeit  
money in possession.

Recd by  
[unclear]  
[unclear]

Murphy Run

Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1844

Capt Wm. S. Lee }  
Judge Adv. Dist. Mich. Term, }  
Capt.

I have the honor  
to make application for the release from arrest  
of Mrs. Helen Levy. She was arrested sometime  
in September last as I am informed and admit-  
ted to bail. She was charged with having  
Contrafeit money in her possession. Her  
Case was investigated by the U. S. Grand  
jury at the last session of the District Court  
and no bill was found against her.

She still remains under bond, however,  
the bond being in possession of the Provost Marshal,  
and the object of this application is to have  
that bond cancelled.

I am Capt

Wm. S. Lee

Atty at Law

P.S. Mrs. Levy's husband Charles Levy was arrested about the same time  
on the same and other charges and he has been released by order  
of Maj. Genl. Washburn.

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Russell B. Goshorn

deposes and says

I reside in Miss Co  
Arkansas and am a Physician  
by Profession. I know Newton  
J Ross - Have known him about  
10 years. He lives at Osceola Miss  
Co. Ark. And is now a prisoner  
in Gratiot street Jail Pris at Louis  
Mo. At the beginning of this War  
He was a Southern Sympathizer  
but I think he is a good Union  
Man now. I have never heard  
that he was connected with smuggling  
or recruiting for the Rebel  
Army. My honest conviction is  
that he has not done anything  
against the U. S. Govt.

This is all I know of this man.

R. B. Goshorn

and Subscribed

on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of

1864

Isaac M. Ruth

Asst. Examr