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PROVISIONAL COMPANIES OF ENROLLED MILITIA (ORDER #107) REGIMENTAL RETURNS

Abstract: Records of Provisional Companies of Enrolled Militia (Order #107) (bulk 1861-1865)

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HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

The Provisional Companies of Enrolled Militia were organized under General Orders, No. 107, June 28, 1864. Often called the Order 107 Militia, this organization was intended to address the increase in guerrilla activity that occurred in mid-1864. The Provisional Companies of Enrolled Militia were separate from the Provisional Enrolled Missouri Militia. General Orders, No. 107 also created township committees and county-wide Committees of Public Safety. The Militia was disbanded by the state legislature in March, 1865.

Regimental returns are paperwork created by various batteries, regiments and battalions and submitted to the Adjutant General. These records are the kind of bureaucratic paperwork on which the Army marched. Due to the chaotic nature of the Civil War in Missouri, the lack of reliable postal service, and poor record keeping in the field, these records are very incomplete.

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

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SERIES

The records are broken down into the following series:

Adair County
Andrew County Company
Audrain County Company
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Caldwell County Company
Camden County
Carroll County
Chariton County
Clark County Company
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Dallas County Company
DeKalb County Company

Franklin County
Gentry County Guards
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Shelby County Company
Stone County Company
Sullivan County Company
Washington County
Provisional Companies

Adair County

Extent: 7 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	1	Adair County Company	Clothing Receipts
1	1A	Adair County Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	2	Adair County Company	Special Orders
1	3	Adair County Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
1	4	Captain Simbler's Independent Company	Elections
1	5	Captain Simbler's Independent Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	6	Captain Simbler's Independent Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	7	Washington Home Guards	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Andrew County Company

Extent: 9 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	8	Elections
1	9	Lists of Officers
1	10	Loyalty Oaths
1	11	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	12	Records of the Committee of Public Safety
1	13	Resignations
1	14	Special Orders
1	15	Correspondence—Personnel
1	16	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Audrain County Company

Extent: 2 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	17	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	18	Officers Affidavits

Buchanan County

Extent: 2 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	19	Captain Hartwig's Battery	Loyalty Oaths
1	20	Captain Hartwig's Battery	Special Orders

Caldwell County Company

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	21	Elections
1	22	Loyalty Oaths
1	23	Special Orders
1	24	Correspondence—Personnel
1	25	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Camden County

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Captain Bollinger's Company Recommendations contains a letter dated August 1, 1864 from J. W. McClurg reporting on the formation of the company and recommendations for officers.

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	26	Captain Bollinger's Company	Receipts
1	27	Captain Bollinger's Company	Recommendations
1	28	Captain Bollinger's Company	Special Orders
1	29	Captain Bollinger's Company	Telegrams

Carroll County

Extent: 6 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	30	Captain Beaty's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	31	Captain Beaty's Company	Records of Committee of Public Safety
1	32	Captain Beaty's Company	Special Orders
1	33	Captain Hoover's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	34	Captain Hoover's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	35	Captain Hoover's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Chariton County

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	36	Captain Vance's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Clark County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Scope and Content

Correspondence – Miscellaneous contains records regarding the actions in Clark, Lewis, and Scotland Counties in October, 1864.

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	37	Loyalty Oaths
1	38	Receipts
1	39	Special Orders
1	40	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Clay County

Extent: 6 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	41	Captain Garth's Company	Commissions
1	42	Captain Garth's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	43	Captain Garth's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	44	Captain Garth's Company	Officers Affidavits
1	45	Captain Garth's Company	Special Orders
1	46	Captain Garth's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Cole County

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	47	Captain Green's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	48	Captain Green's Company	Officers Affidavits
1	49	Captain Green's Company	Records of the Committee of Public Safety
1	50	Captain Green's Company	Correspondence – Miscellaneous
1	51	Captain Van Pool's Company	Loyalty Oaths

Cooper County

Extent: 10 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	52	Lieutenant Dietrich's Company	Correspondence—Post Civil War
1	53	Captain Newman's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
1	54	Captain Newman's Company	Correspondence—Post Civil War
1	55	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Elections
1	56	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	57	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	58	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Officers Affidavits
1	59	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Special Orders
1	60	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Correspondence—Personnel
1	61	Captain Shoemaker's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Crawford County Company

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	62	Lists of Ordnance and Ordnance Stores Transferred
1	63	Loyalty Oaths
1	64	Requisitions for Ordnance and Ordnance Stores
1	65	Special Orders
1	66	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Dallas County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	67	Loyalty Oaths
1	68	Muster-in Rolls
1	69	Special Orders
1	70	Correspondence—Personnel

DeKalb County Company

Extent: 3 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
1	71	Loyalty Oaths
1	72	Recommendations
1	73	Special Orders

Franklin County

Extent: 15 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Scope and Content

Boone Rangers Correspondence – Miscellaneous contains a letter dated September 13, 1864 requesting the men be excused from active service to tend to their crops.

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
1	74	Captain Anderson's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	75	Captain Anderson's Company	Officers Affidavits
1	76	Captain Anderson's Company	Soldiers Claims
1	77	Captain Anderson's Company	Correspondence—Personnel
1	78	Boone Rangers	Loyalty Oaths
1	79	Boone Rangers	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
1	80	Captain Elias Boyd's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	81	Captain Elias Boyd's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
1	82	Captain Andrew Fink's Company	Loyalty Oaths
1	83	Captain Andrew Fink's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
1	84	Oakfield Home Guards	Depositions
1	85	Oakfield Home Guards	Loyalty Oaths
1	86	Oakfield Home Guards	Muster-in Rolls
1	87	Oakfield Home Guards	Records of the Committee of Public Safety
1	88	Oakfield Home Guards	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Gentry County Guards

Extent: 3 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	1	Officers Affidavits
2	2	Special Orders
2	3	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Hickory County Company

Extent: 3 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	4	D	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	5	D	Special Orders
2	6	D	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Holt County Company

Extent: 6 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	7	Appraisements of Horses
2	8	Loyalty Oaths
2	9	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	10	Officers Affidavits
2	11	Special Orders
2	12	Correspondence—Post Civil War

Johnson County

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Scope and Content

Captain Anderson's Company Circulars contains records regarding passwords, signals and badges.

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	13	Captain Anderson's Company	Affidavits
2	14	Captain Anderson's Company	Circulars
2	15	Captain Chester's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	16	Captain Day's Company	Affidavits
2	17	Captain McGinnis's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Laclede County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	18	Loyalty Oaths
2	19	Special Orders
2	20	Correspondence—Personnel
2	21	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Lafayette County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	22	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Lincoln County

Extent: 2 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	23	Commissions
2	24	Loyalty Oaths

Linn County

Extent: 6 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	25	Captain Crandall's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	26	Captain Crandall's Company	Special Orders
2	27	Captain Holland's Company	Loyalty Oaths
2	28	Captain Holland's Company	Receipts
2	29	Captain Holland's Company	Special Orders
2	30	Captain Holland's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Macon County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	31	Loyalty Oaths

Maries County

Extent: 9 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Company Correspondence – Miscellaneous contains a letter dated August 25, 1864 from Cole County Sheriff Bruns regarding the arrest of Captain Parham and 15 men of Company A.

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	32	A	Affidavits
2	33	A	Contracts
2	34	A	Elections
2	35	A	Loyalty Oaths
2	36	A	Officers Affidavits
2	37	A	Recommendations
2	38	A	Special Orders
2	39	A	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
2	40	Captain Johnson's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Marion County

Extent: 7 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	41	Independent Company, Colored Troops	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	42	Independent Company, Colored Troops	Special Orders
2	43	Palmyra City Guards	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	44	Palmyra City Guards	Officers Affidavits
2	45	Palmyra City Guards	Resignations
2	46	Palmyra City Guards	Correspondence—Personnel
2	47	Palmyra City Guards	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Miller County

Extent: 12 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	48	A	Applications for Certificate of Service
2	49	A	Loyalty Oaths
2	50	A	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	51	A	Correspondence—Personnel
2	52	A	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
2	53	B	Elections
2	54	B	Loyalty Oaths
2	55	B	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	56	B	Receipts
2	57	B	Correspondence—Personnel
2	58	B	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
2	59	C	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Moniteau County

Extent: 11 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Scope and Content

See also 43rd Regiment Enrolled Missouri Militia.

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	60	Captain Hale's Company	Elections
2	61	Captain Hale's Company	Loyalty Oaths
2	62	Captain Hume's Company	Elections
2	63	Captain Hume's Company	Loyalty Oaths
2	64	Captain Hume's Company	Correspondence—Personnel
2	65	Captain Renshaw's Company	Elections
2	66	Captain Renshaw's Company	Loyalty Oaths
2	67	Captain Twiehaus's Company	Elections
2	68	Captain Twiehaus's Company	Loyalty Oaths
2	69	Captain Twiehaus's Company	Special Orders
2	70	Captain Twiehaus's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Monroe County Company

Extent: 6 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	71	Commissions
2	72	Loyalty Oaths
2	73	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	74	Officers Affidavits
2	75	Recommendations
2	76	Special Orders

Montgomery County Company

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Scope and Content

Correspondence – Miscellaneous contains a report of conditions in Montgomery County, including murders of citizens by bushwhackers.

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	77	Elections
2	78	Loyalty Oaths
2	79	Officers Affidavits
2	80	Special Orders
2	81	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Morgan County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	82	Oaths and Power of Attorney
2	83	Special Orders
2	84	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
2	85	Correspondence—Post Civil War

Osage County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
2	86	Correspondence—Personnel

Platte County Guards

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
2	87	A	Elections
2	88	A	Loyalty Oaths
2	89	A	Special Orders
2	90	A	Correspondence—Personnel
2	91	A	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Ralls County Company

Extent: 5 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
3	1	Captain Lennon's Company	Loyalty Oaths
3	2	Captain Lennon's Company	Correspondence—Personnel
3	3	Captain McNeill's Company	Commissions
3	4	Captain McNeill's Company	Loyalty Oaths
3	5	Captain McNeill's Company	Oaths and Power of Attorney

Randolph County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	6	Loyalty Oaths

Ray County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	7	Special Orders

St. Charles County Company

Extent: 2 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Correspondence – Miscellaneous contains a letter dated July 29, 1864 from Arnold Krekel and other complaining that a second St. Charles County company was being formed of disloyal men.

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	8	Muster-in Rolls
3	9	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Schuyler County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	10	Acts of the General Assembly
3	11	Officers Affidavits
3	12	Special Orders
3	13	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Shelby County Company

Extent: 3 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	14	Oaths and Power of Attorney
3	15	Special Orders
3	16	Correspondence—Miscellaneous

Stone County Company

Extent: 4 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	17	Elections
3	18	Loyalty Oaths
3	19	Officers Affidavits
3	20	Resignations

Sullivan County Company

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	21	Special Orders

Washington County

Extent: 8 folders

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Company	Contents
3	22	Captain Harris's Company	Loyalty Oaths
3	23	Captain Harris's Company	Correspondence—Personnel
3	24	Captain Harris's Company	Correspondence—Miscellaneous
3	25	Captain Palmer's Company	Loyalty Oaths
3	26	Captain Palmer's Company	Resignations
3	27	Captain Palmer's Company	Special Orders
3	28	Captain Palmer's Company	Telegrams
3	29	Captain Palmer's Company	Correspondence—Post Civil War

Provisional Companies

Extent: 1 folder

Arrangement: Alphabetical by company, then regimental

Container List

Box	Folder	Contents
3	30	Miscellaneous