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Mormon War Papers, 1837-1841

[*Full-text transcription of:* State of Missouri vs. James Worthington, Cornelius D. Lott, Joseph Smith Jr., and Lyman Wight]

State of Missouri} Indictment for Riots
against
Joseph Smith Jr. Lyman Wight, Moses Daily, Joseph Younger
Perry Durphy Ephraim Owens, John Lemmon, James Whita-
ker. Alinson Brown, James Bingham, Amos Labs Absalon Smith
=field, William Aldridge, George Smith and Caleb Baldwin,
The defendants Joseph Smith Caleb Baldwin and Lyman Wight
were ordered by the Court in Davis County to be removed to the County
Jail in Boone for trial and there being no recognizance on
file in my office against the other defendants this Cause
was dismissed after being Continued on the docket for some
time there being no appearance of the defendants.
State of Missouri} Indictment receiving stolen goods
against
Joseph Smith Jr. in which said defendant was ordered
by the Court to be removed to the County of Boone for his
trial, which order however was not Complied with and
after having this Cause Continued for some time
on the Docket was dismissed the defendant not
appearing State of Missouri} Indictment for Larceny
against
James Worthington Cornelius D Lott, Joseph Smith Jr. Lyman
Wight defendants. The said Lyman Wight & Joseph Smith Jr
was ordered to be removed to the Jail in the County of Boone
from the County of Davis, which order was not Complied
with and there being no recognizance on file in my office
against the other defendant this Cause was dismissed
after having been Continued on the Dockett for some time
there being no appearance of the defendants
State of Missouri} Indictment for murder
against
Parley P Pratt Maurice Phelps & Leeman Gibbs
this Cause was removed from the County of Ray to the
County of Boone by a change of Venue and the said defend
ants were removed to the Jail in the County of Boone
from which said Jail the said Parley P Pratt and
Maurice Phelps made their escape, and this
Cause was dismissed as to the defendant Leeman Gibbs