

Missouri State Archives

Finding Aid 3.18

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

THOMAS CLEMENT FLETCHER, 1865-1869

Abstract: Records (1863-1876) of Governor Thomas Clement Fletcher (1827-1899) include affidavits and other court materials; appointment requests; certifications of vacancies and gubernatorial orders of elections; commissions; correspondence; minutes; oaths of loyalty; petitions; and proclamations.

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HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

The first native Missourian to serve as governor, Thomas Clement Fletcher was born in Herculaneum on January 17, 1827, to Clement Bell and Margaret Byrd Fletcher. After graduating from Willard Frissell subscription school in Jefferson County, Fletcher accepted a position in the circuit clerk's office. He was

elected to the office of deputy for Jefferson County in 1849. Two years later, he married his childhood sweetheart, Mary Clarissa (Clara) Honey, the daughter of steamboat captain John W. Honey.

After being admitted to the Missouri bar and practicing law, Fletcher was appointed land agent in 1856 for the southwest branch of the Pacific Railroad in St. Louis. Although raised in a slaveholding family, he strongly opposed the expansion of slavery. Fletcher campaigned for Senator Thomas Hart Benton during the gubernatorial election of 1856. He joined fellow Benton Democrats Frank Blair and B. Gratz Brown and organized the Republican Party in Missouri following Benton's defeat.

In partnership with brother-in-law Louis J. Rankin, Fletcher purchased land in Jefferson County; laid out the town of DeSoto; and moved his family to their new residence in 1860. He served as a delegate to the Republican National Convention in Chicago in 1860 and actively campaigned for the ticket.

At the outbreak of the Civil War, Fletcher was appointed assistant provost marshal general for the Department of the Missouri in St. Louis by General Nathaniel Lyon, and held the post throughout the next year. During the summer of 1862, he recruited the 31st Missouri Volunteers. Fletcher received his commission as colonel in October and the unit saw action at Chickasaw Bayou, north of Vicksburg, Mississippi, where he was wounded and captured. After five months at Libby Prison in Richmond, Virginia, Col. Fletcher was exchanged and rejoined his regiment.

At the request of General William S. Rosecrans, he organized the 47th and 50th Regiments of Missouri Volunteers in 1864. Colonel Fletcher commanded the 47th under General Thomas C. Ewing at the Battle of Pilot Knob and was later brevetted brigadier general by President Lincoln for his actions. He joined Gen. William T. Sherman on the March to the Sea, during which time he received notification of his nomination as the Radical Union Party gubernatorial candidate. Fletcher resigned his commission shortly after his election as Governor.

Governor Fletcher was sworn in as Missouri's 18th governor on January 2, 1865. He had to deal with several pressing problems, namely amnesty for Confederate soldiers and sympathizers; emancipation of all Missouri slaves; railroad bond defaults; and the reorganization of the public education system. Governor Fletcher supported the establishment of Lincoln Institute (Lincoln University) in Jefferson City funded by donations raised by two black U.S. Army regiments. He also established the Missouri State Board of Immigration to help rebuild the state's population, diminished during the Civil War years.

The Missouri legislature, a majority of whom were Radicals, had passed stringent oath and voter registry laws disenfranchising former Confederates and southern sympathizers. Although not favoring the measures and increasingly at odds with Charles Drake and the Radical Union Party, Governor Fletcher did not hesitate to use the state militia to enforce the regulations.

After his term expired, Governor Fletcher returned to the practice of law in St. Louis until 1890 when he moved to Washington, D.C. Thomas Clement Fletcher suffered an apparent stroke on February 21, 1899, and lingered for a month before passing away on March 25, 1899. He is interred in Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis.

Timeline

January 22, 1827	Born at Herculaneum, Jefferson County, Missouri, to Clement B. and Margaret Byrd Fletcher
1843	Moved to Hillsboro, Jefferson County
1846	Appointed Deputy circuit clerk
April 16, 1851	Married Mary Clarissa (Clara) Honey
1860	Elected delegate to the national Union (Republican) convention in Chicago
1861	Appointed by General Nathaniel Lyon as Assistant Provost Marshal General for the Department of the Missouri, headquartered in St. Louis
1862	Commissioned as colonel of the 31 st Missouri Infantry (which he recruited) and was wounded and captured at Chickasaw Bayou, Mississippi. Confined at Libby Prison for five months until exchanged in May 1863.
1864	Organized the 47 th and 50 th Regiments of Missouri Volunteers. Commanded the 47 th during the Battle of Pilot Knob and received a brevet promotion from President Lincoln to brigadier general in January 1865.
November 1864	Elected as the 18 th governor of the state of Missouri
January 11, 1865	Issued his Emancipation Proclamation
1868	Chairman of the Republican state convention
March 25, 1899	Died in Washington D.C. and is interred at Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

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Related Material

Elmer Ellis Library, Special Collections at the University of Missouri, Columbia holds "Death of President Lincoln: Public Meeting in Boone County, Missouri," originally published in the Columbia (MO) *Statesman*, April 28, 1865, bound with a biographical sketch of Dr. A.W. Rollins. Includes a letter from Governor Fletcher, resolutions presented by James S. Rollins, and an address by William F. Switzler.

Kansas City Public Library, Missouri Valley Special Collections, holds:

 "Thomas C. Fletcher and staff," 1865 black and white photograph, General Collection (P1), Civil War, Number 12

 "Inaugural Message from Governor Thomas C. Fletcher to the 23rd General Assembly of the State of Missouri" originally published in the *North American Review*, April 1865

The Missouri History Museum, St. Louis, holds the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, Commandery of the State of Missouri, Records, 1885-1931 which contains a memorial circular published after Fletcher's death) <http://www.mohistory.org> (collection A1043 box 1, folder 3)

The Missouri State Archives, Reference Library, in Jefferson City holds *The Messages and Proclamations of the Governors of the State of Missouri*, compiled and edited by Grace Gilmore Avery and Floyd C. Shoemaker (Columbia, Missouri: State Historical Society of Missouri), volume IV, 1924, pps. 53-370.

The State Historical Society of Missouri, Columbia, holds the following Fletcher materials:

 "An address to the people of Missouri in vindication of the independence of the judiciary, and the fundamental principles of free government, against the gross violation of both," St. Louis, 1865

 "Charge to the United States grand jury of the Western District of Missouri: given at the March term, 1865: proclamation of Governor Fletcher, letter of Major General Pope: together with instructions of the Attorney General of Missouri, and an appendix containing forms, etc.," 1865

“Missouri's jubilee. Speech of Thomas C. Fletcher, governor of Missouri, delivered in the state capitol, on the occasion of the reception of the legislature of the news of the passage of the convention ordinance abolishing slavery in Missouri,” Jefferson City, Missouri, 1865
“Radical Democracy,” in the *Inland Monthly*, August 1872

C3894, William Bishop (1817-1879) Papers, 1839-1891;
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Collection includes correspondence between Governor Fletcher and state treasurer William Bishop.

KC220, Thomas Clement Fletcher (1822-1899), Letter.

Collection contains a letter written from Governor Fletcher pertaining to the capture, dead or alive, of Quantrill raider Jim Anderson.

RECORDS OF GOVERNOR THOMAS CLEMENT FLETCHER, 1863-1876

Scope and Content

The records are primarily organized by county, giving the researcher insight into the political situation in each county during the period of 1865-1869 (thereunder chronologically). Included are letters written to the governor by his brother, C. C. Fletcher. Several of the letters refer to Governor Fletcher's statement that he preferred appointing men who had served in the military to political positions. Some documents were fire and water damaged in the 1911 Capitol fire; on many, the ink has badly faded. Changes in organizational scheme are noted.

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

When the collection was microfilmed, it was determined that some of the collection required rehousing. As a result, all box numbers and some folder numbers have changed. Original box and folder numbers are noted within parentheses. For example, box 15 is now box 1. Under the box heading, the new box number is listed first (original box number in parenthesis) or 1(15). Under the folder heading, 7 (5) indicates that the item originally in folder 5 is now located in folder 7.

Box 1 contains requests for political appointments, letters of recommendation, and affidavits attesting to the loyalty of some of the current officeholders. There are several handwritten (as opposed to form) loyalty oaths.

Box 2 contains records from Marion-Webster County (1865) and Andrew-Howard County (1866). The box also includes Platte County materials dated 1867 and Ralls County materials dated 1868. Select documents are faded or water damaged, including all Perry County materials. The majority of the correspondence consists of requests and recommendations for political appointments relating to the Registration Act and the Ousting Ordinance.

Box 3 includes general correspondence from Iron-Worth counties (1866) which is organized alphabetically by county and thereunder chronologically. This box also includes correspondence relating to appointments, commissions, fine remittances, elections and proclamations.

Beginning with folder 39, the files are arranged by type of correspondence and thereunder chronologically. Within Fine Remittances files, materials pertaining to select cases are kept together, regardless of date. Cases with three or more documents are noted with the individual surname and are filed after the general material (for example, Fine Remittances, 1866, is followed by Fine Remittances, Cummings, 1866-1868). Folders 48-50 contain materials pertaining to fines leveled in the case of

indicted forger Milton N. Morgan of Buchanan County. Please see also box 4, folder 31, for additional Milton N. Morgan materials.

Election files include certifications of vacancies and gubernatorial orders of elections and are arranged alphabetically by county.

Box 4 contains correspondence pertaining primarily to criminal cases. Folders 1-31 are separated by criminal case and are organized in alphabetical order by surname. Documents include petitions and personal requests for pardons, remittance of fines, and release from prison. Cases include assault, larceny, suicide, murder, rape, theft of livestock, and forgery. Folder 31 contains material pertaining to forger Milton N. Morgan. Please see also folders 48-50, box 3, for additional Morgan documents.

Folders 32-41 contain Subject correspondence files relating to the Missouri State Militia, state bank, General Assembly resolutions, extraditions, state bonds and requests for appointments. The Subject files are arranged chronologically.

The following letters addressed to Governor Austin Augustus King filed with Record Group 3.18 (Records of Thomas Clement Fletcher) have been removed and placed into Record Group 3.10 (Records of Austin Augustus King):

July 12, 1869 Robert Campbell to Austin Augustus King – recommending Mr. Wills

Container List

Box	Folder	Date	Contents
1(15)	1	January 16, 1865	Adair County—David Wagner, St. Louis: recommends Capt. D. S. Hooper, as Adair County circuit clerk; state convention; vacating public offices; Hooper's service as Captain in the 27 th Regiment, Missouri Volunteer Militia; Radical Union Party
1(15)	1	April 3, 1865	Adair County—petition, signed by James A. Barnhart, John D. Markey, Lewis Scobey, Jonathan Shaver, Joseph M. Smith, John B. Williams, Kirksville, Adair County: county officials deemed as traitors or disloyal; Radical Union Party, Adair County; County Court Justice Noah Stukey; McClellan; circuit court clerk, W. T. Porter; Adair County clerk, R. M. Ringo
1(15)	1	April 3, 1865	Adair County—Radical Union Men, Kirksville: certified list of recommended persons to fill the offices in said county made vacant by the recent ousting ordinance of the state convention.

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1(15)	1	April 19, 1865	Adair County—W. T. Potter, St. Louis: request for personal appointment as Adair County circuit clerk, service as Lieutenant, 50 th Enrolled Missouri Militia; Major Dodson; Capt. Hooper; Capt. Gates; destruction of the Adair County courthouse and records by fire
1(15)	2	March 17, 1865	Andrew County—David Bonham: recommendations for Andrew County vacancies; Lt. Dobson
1(15)	2	March 17, 1865	Andrew County—Representatives David Bonham and John H. Davis, 11 th senatorial district, State Convention, St. Louis: transmittal of recommendations for county offices, county court; McLain; Woodcock; Castle; Dobson; Amos H. Owens; William Caldwell
1(15)	2	March 28, 1865	Andrew County—petition, Rochester: supporting the appointment of Capt. William Caldwell as circuit clerk and recorder
1(15)	2	April 2, 1865	Andrew County—Representative David Bonham, Andrew County, St. Louis: transmittal of names recommended for appointment as Andrew County officials; Abram Dobbs (Galt House Stationery)
1(15)	2	May 8, 1865	Andrew County—W. R. Trapp, Fillmore, Andrew County; to “Friend Thompson,” state auditor: request for the petition sent to Governor Fletcher by the supporters of W. Caldwell; recommends W. Caldwell as circuit clerk; Trapp favors Mr. Carson
1(15)	3	1865	Atchison County—F. A. Nitehy, chief clerk, state auditor’s office, Jefferson City: verification of the name of the Atchison County sheriff, A. E. Wyatt
1(15)	3	March 25, 1865	Atchison County—F. A. Thompson, Rockport: recommends retention of current officeholders; vacation of public offices; State Convention; A. E. Wyatt; E. W. Needles; Franklin Merrill; H. P. Moore; James M. Templeton; one man holding the office of circuit clerk, recorder, and county clerk
1(15)	3	April 15, 1865	Atchison County—Phillip A. Thompson, Rockport: appointments to fill vacancies in county offices; recommends James Hunter as county court justice; misappropriation of school lands, Justice Needles

Box	Folder	Date	Contents
1(15)	4	No date	Audrain County—John W. Gamble: recommendation by Gamble and William Martin of Hamilton Hall and William Ladd; Radical Union Party
1(15)	4	March 20, 1865	Audrain County—A. L. Gilstrap, St. Louis: report of conversation between Gilstrap and current Audrain County sheriff, Amos Ladd; supporting Union cause; Mexico newspaper
1(15)	4	March 20, 1865	Audrain County—William S. Morely, St. Louis: recommends Amos Ladd as Atchison County sheriff; loyalty to Union
1(15)	4	March 20, 1865	Audrain County—Isaac Sturgeon, St. Louis: recommends Amos Ladd as Audrain County sheriff; Ladd, proprietor of the <u>Mexico Beacon</u> ; Radical newspaper
1(15)	4	March 22, 1865	Audrain County—Edward Postride, St. Louis: support of Amos Ladd, Audrain County sheriff; history of his relationship with Ladd; Provost General's office; loyalty; rebel; Civil War; Abraham Lincoln; <u>Mexico Beacon</u> ; Col D. P. Dyer
1(15)	4	March 27, 1865	Audrain County—John P. Clark, Mexico: application to retain his position as circuit clerk; election of 1862; loyalty to Union
1(15)	5 (4)	April 1865	Audrain County—petition, grand jury, Audrain circuit court, Mexico: support the appointment of Norval G. Partra as 11 th judicial circuit judge
1(15)	5 (4)	April 6, 1865	Audrain County—John W. Gamble, Small Hall, Mercantile Library, St. Louis: plea for Governor Fletcher not to appoint him (Gamble) as Audrain County court justice; state convention
1(15)	5 (4)	April 6, 1865	Audrain County—petition, 2 nd Senatorial District composed of the counties of Pike, Lincoln, and Audrain, Small Hall, Mercantile Library, St. Louis: names recommended to fill vacated offices

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1(15)	5 (4)	April 8, 1865	Audrain County—John P. Clark, Mexico: political unrest in Audrain County; organization of militia to protect the town of Mexico; recommendations to fill the vacancies in Audrain County government; John W. Gamble; Mr. Musick; county clerk, refusal to serve with Union forces due to religious beliefs; religion, Governor Fletcher's visit to Audrain County and lodging with John P. Clark; conscientious objector
1(15)	5 (4)	April 11, 1865	Audrain County—petition, delegates to the State Convention from Audrain and Pike counties, Mexico: political unrest of Audrain County; loyal grand jury summoned by former acting sheriff, John W. Gamble; rebel sheriff, Amos Ladd; recommends Hamilton Hall as sheriff
1(15)	5 (4)	April 12, 1865	Audrain County—John W. Gamble, Mexico: appointment of Audrain County sheriff; loyalty of Amos Ladd; refusal of Union men to support Ladd; Pike County; Lincoln County; General Rosecrans; General Fisk; General Douglas
1(15)	5 (4)	April 14, 1865	Audrain County—petition, residents of Mexico: recommends Gilchrist Porter as judge of the 16 th judicial district, circuit court
1(15)	5 (4)	April 21, 1865	Audrain County—W. M. Houston, Mexico: Houston's support of the current Monroe County sheriff, Dr. McNutt; military forces in Monroe County
1(15)	5 (4)	April 23, 1865	Audrain County—John P. Clark, Mexico: current Audrain circuit court session; Judge Porter; guerilla activities; horse stealing; support of Judge Porter's appointment to the bench (letter signed on the back by Isaac Sturgeon)
1(15)	5 (4)	April 24, 1865	Audrain County—petition, members of the bar and practicing attorneys in the circuit court of Mexico, Audrain County: recommends Amos Ladd as Audrain County sheriff

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1(15)	5 (4)	April 28, 1865	Audrain County—John W. Gamble, Mexico: acknowledgment of Hamilton Hall's appointment as Audrain County sheriff; appointments to the county court; list of names for the governor to consider; Radical Union Party; Governor Fletcher's opposition to the new constitution; letter includes note of support for the appointment of Gilchrist Porter as judge of the 16 th judicial circuit
1(15)	6 (4)	May 18, 1865	Audrain County—John W. Gamble, Mexico, Audrain County: lack of gubernatorial appointments to the County court; list of recommended appointees
1(15)	6 (4)	September 18, 1865	Audrain County—R. H. Jeffries, Audrain County court Clerk, Mexico, Audrain County: transmittal of certification of vacancy in the office of county surveyor; oath of loyalty; recommends Thomas H. Musick; (additional page to letter marked private); return of rebel soldiers to Audrain County; Jefferson Davis; slaves and education; reconstruction
1(15)	7 (5)	March 23, 1865	Barton County—John M. Richardson, Springfield, Greene County: request for Governor to delay appointments of civil officers for Barton County
1(15)	8 (6)	August 23, 1865	Boone County—petition, Sturgeon: recommends Benjamin F. Crosswhite as Boone county clerk; State Convention; vacation of public offices
1(15)	8 (6)	August 26, 1865	Boone County—loyalty oath of Benjamin F. Crosswhite (handwritten)
1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—petition, Company A, 51 st Regiment, Infantry, Missouri Volunteers: recommends Charles Schreiber, James P. Pettigrew, and William Randall to the Buchanan County court
1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—Radicals petition, residents: recommends Col. William Albin as Buchanan County court justice; resignation of Ransom Ridge, County court
1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—petition, officials of Buchanan County, vacancy on county court; recommends M . L. Harrington for the position

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1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—petition, citizens of several townships of Buchanan County, Capt. P.A. Jones' Company: recommends William S. Harrington as judge of the court of common pleas; Union men, loyalty, State Convention
1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—petition, citizens: supporting the appointment of M. Gordon Ruby as County court justice
1(15)	9 (7)	No date	Buchanan County—Radical Union Party ticket
1(15)	10 (7)	March 10, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, residents: recommends Charles Schreiber, John Douglas, and M. Gordon Ruby to the Buchanan County court
1(15)	10 (7)	March 17, 1865	Buchanan County—Willis Sherwood, St. Joseph: recommends W. S. Harrington as county court justice
1(15)	10 (7)	March 17, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, residents: recommends George A. Pearcey as Buchanan County recorder of deeds
1(15)	10 (7)	March 18, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, members of the grand jury, March term: recommends Judge Wyatt for court of common pleas
1(15)	10 (7)	March 20, 1865	Buchanan County—Willis M. Sherwood, Buchanan County court Clerk, St. Joseph: request for appointment as county clerk; November 1, 1864 election
1(15)	10 (7)	March 21, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, St. Joseph: recommends the retention of Ransom Ridge, as Buchanan County sheriff; November 1, 1864 election
1(15)	10 (7)	March 21, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, citizens of St. Joseph: recommends the retention of William C. Toole, as circuit clerk; November 1, 1864 election
1(15)	10 (7)	March 21, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, members of the Bar, St. Joseph: recommends William Heren, judge of the 12 th judicial circuit; election of November 1863
1(15)	10 (7)	March 22, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, St. Joseph: recommends the retention of Charles Schreiber as county court justice

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1(15)	10 (7)	March 24, 1865	Buchanan County—James T. Beach, secretary of the Union League of America, (Union League of America Stationery), St. Joseph: recommends William S. Harrington, judge of the court of common pleas
1(15)	10 (7)	March 27, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, citizens: recommends Willis M. Sherwood as Buchanan county clerk
1(15)	10 (7)	March 27, 1865	Buchanan County—Willis M. Sherwood, St. Joseph: transmittal of petition on behalf of Sherwood; includes supporting petition
1(15)	10 (7)	March 30, 1865	Buchanan County—W. R. Penick, St. Joseph: recommends John Douglas and Charles Schreiber's appointments to the Buchanan County court; indictment of Col. William Albin; indictment of Capt. E.O. Hill; grand jury
1(15)	10 (7)	April 4, 1865	Buchanan County—G. A. Moses, St. Louis: transmittal of petition listing appointees for County Office; malfeasance
1(15)	10 (7)	April 7, 1865	Buchanan County—Eli Smith, St. Louis: claim submitted by Smith to State Auditor Thompson; Major M. Sawyer
1(15)	10 (7)	April 7, 1865	Buchanan County—Lewis H. Weatherby and Eli Smith, St. Louis: recommendations for political offices in Buchanan County
1(15)	10 (7)	April 8, 1865	Buchanan County—W. R. Penick, mayor of St. Joseph, (William Ridgeway Penick): recommends M. Gordon Ruby as County court justice; Radical Union Party
1(15)	10 (7)	April 11, 1865	Buchanan County—W. R. Penick (William Ridgeway Penick), mayor of St. Joseph: transmittal of petition; J. C. Parker; Clark's alleged involvement in fraudulent activities; grand jury
1(15)	10 (7)	April 13, 1865	Buchanan County—W. R. Penick (William Ridgeway Penick), mayor of St. Joseph: endorsement of J. C. Parker as district Circuit attorney; General Fisk; restoration of civil law in Buchanan County; grand jury statements; James M. Jones of Liberty; William Reynolds, Platte County

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1(15)	10 (7)	April 17, 1865	Buchanan County—Congressman Benjamin F. Loan, St. Joseph: recommends John R. Bell and James Pettigrew to the Buchanan County court; Bloomington Township; assassination of Abraham Lincoln
1(15)	10 (7)	April 18, 1865	Buchanan County—Capt. James Bresly, St. Joseph: recommends the appointment of Jacob Boyer to the Buchanan County court
1(15)	10 (7)	August 28, 1865	Buchanan County—Charles Hausding, St. Joseph: application for the appointment as Buchanan county surveyor
1(15)	10 (7)	August 28, 1865	Buchanan County—petition, citizens: supporting Charles Hausding for Buchanan county surveyor
1(15)	10 (7)	August 29, 1865	Buchanan County—W. B. Johnson, St. Joseph, (stationery of John Colhoun and Company): resignation from office as Buchanan County surveyor
1(15)	11 (8)	October 11, 1865	Camden County—W. W. Yocum, Linn Creek: resignation as Camden County probate judge
1(15)	12 (9)	August 8, 1865	Cape Girardeau County—John H. Wilson, Cape Girardeau: refusal to accept appointment as County court justice; refusal to take loyalty oath; 1865 Missouri Constitution
1(15)	13 (10)	February 14, 1865	Cass County—Representative H. H. Cundiff, Jefferson City: certification of the election of Henry Jerrard as judge; absence of Judge John B. Bean; request for commission; Pleasant Hill; Captain Andrew Allen
1(15)	13 (10)	April 10, 1865	Cass County—petition, Harrisonville: supporting the retention of Judge A. L. Lutt, and Maj. John E. Ryland, circuit attorney; establishment of civil courts; civil law
1(15)	14 (11)	February 16, 1865	Christian County—John M. Pettijohn, Ozark: petition supporting John Collins appointment as county surveyor
1(15)	14 (11)	March 21, 1865	Christian County—D. M. Payne, Marshfield, Webster County: recommends Judge Waddill to the circuit court, and Lt. John Gidean as circuit clerk for the county

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1(15)	14 (11)	June 5, 1865	Christian County—petition, citizens: supporting the appointment of William Sanders to replace Joseph Gardner as county court justice
1(15)	14 (11)	June 19, 1865	Christian County—John M. Pettijohn, Christian county clerk, Ozark: certification of residency for Joseph Gardner
1(15)	15 (12)	October 7, 1865	Cole County—W. H. Lusk, Cole county clerk, Jefferson City: certification of vacancy in the office of County court justice; Phillip Ott, failure to file loyalty oath
1(15)	15 (12)	December 16, 1865	Cole County—copy, Frank W. Hickox, Madison Miller, and W. A. Lusk, Jefferson City: letter of introduction for H. C. Sandford
1(15)	15 (12)	December 16, 1865	Cole County—petition, citizens: supports appointment of Capt. J. B. Moyer as County court justice; resignation of Phillip Ott; 10 th Missouri Cavalry
1(15)	15 (12)	December 28, 1865	Cole County—Henry C. Sandford, St. Louis: personal application for appointment as supervisor of registration for Cole County; Frank W. Hickox; General Madison Miller; Major Lusk
1(15)	16 (13)	February 19, 1865	Crawford County—J. B. Maxwell, Steelville: request for removal of disloyal officeholders; loyalty oath; State Convention, 1865 Constitution
1(15)	17 (14)	March 28, 1865	Dekalb County—William R. Penick, St. Joseph, Buchanan County: recommends Ira Brown as Dekalb County circuit clerk; Radical Union Party
1(15)	18 (15)	No date	Franklin County—A. W. Maupin, Washington: supporting Judge Wall's retention; loyalty of Judge Wall
1(15)	18 (15)	February 14, 1865	Franklin County—James W. Owens, St. Louis: recommends Capt. Edward Schiller, as circuit court clerk; South Point; State Convention
1(15)	18 (15)	March 25, 1865	Franklin County—A. W. Maupin, Washington: recommends E. Butler for circuit clerk

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1(15)	18 (15)	March 25, 1865	Franklin County—A. W. Maupin, Washington: supporting the retention of Edward Butler as circuit clerk
1(15)	18 (15)	March 27, 1865	Franklin County—Charles Jones, Union: request for the governor to appoint him to an office
1(15)	18 (15)	March 27, 1865	Franklin County—Charles Jones, Union: recommends the retention of Edward Butler as circuit clerk
1(15)	18 (15)	March 29, 1865	Franklin County—supporting the appointment of Col. A. Maupin as circuit clerk (note: fragment; unknown author)
1(15)	18 (15)	April 9, 1865	Franklin County—August Kruges, Washington: supporting the retention of Judge Wall
1(15)	18 (15)	April 10, 1865	Franklin County—Lt. Col. David Murphy, and others, Union: appointments of public officials in Franklin County; recommends the retention of Judge Wall; State Convention order ousting public officials; Radical Union Party (note: document is fire damaged)
1(15)	18 (15)	April 11, 1865	Franklin County—M. L. G. Crowe, Union: supporting the retention of Judge Wall; freedom, loyalty, (Judge Wall was) elected by the Radical Union Party of Franklin County in 1862; Capt. Cleve
1(15)	18 (15)	April 11, 1865	Franklin County—Senator Gert Goebel, Union: supporting the retention of Judge Wall
1(15)	18 (15)	April 17, 1865	Franklin County—Charles Jones, Union: letter given by A. Maupin to Edward Butler supporting Butler's appointment as circuit court clerk
1(15)	18 (15)	December 28, 1865	Franklin County—W . H. Murphy, 1 st Sgt. Co., E 31 st Missouri State Militia, St. Clair: application for appointment as supervisor of registration; service in Fletcher's Regiment; lists references
1(15)	19 (16)	No date	Gasconade County—petition, citizens: supporting appointments to county office (document is badly fire damaged)

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1(15)	19 (16)	No date	Gasconade County—Vasten Buschman: resignation from County court; Legislative Acts of 1855 assigning districts; petition supporting Buschman as a loyal citizen
1(15)	19 (16)	March 21, 1865	Gasconade County—Francis Rippstein, chairman of Convention of Loyal Citizens, Hermann: meeting to select local citizens for public office; Hermann; list of recommended names
1(15)	19 (16)	March 24, 1865	Gasconade County—Jules H. Hundelhausen, New Orleans, Louisiana: application for the position of circuit clerk
1(15)	19 (16)	April 10, 1865	Gasconade County—Frederick Munch, Femme Osage: recommends Anton Stamm as County court clerk; bilingual; immigration to Missouri
1(15)	19 (16)	April 12, 1865	Gasconade County—George J. Husmann, Hermann: Governor's Proclamation and the celebration on the 15 th ; Osage County; list of recommended names
1(15)	19 (16)	April 14, 1865	Gasconade County—John B. Wicks, postmaster, Hermann: vacancy in the office of circuit attorney
1(15)	19 (16)	May 5, 1865	Gasconade County—unknown author: Drake Constitution and Fletcher's lack of support; sheriff, county court (note: document is fire damaged, signature is lost)
1(15)	20 (17)	January 15, 1865	Gentry County—petition, citizens: recommends appointment of Rufus Brown, as county court justice; expired term of G. W. Needles; Radical Union Party; November 1864 election
1(15)	20 (17)	February 13, 1865	Gentry County—petition, citizens: recommends Rufus Brown, as county court justice; expired term of G. W. Needles
1(15)	20 (17)	December 18, 1865	Gentry County—G. W. Needles, John J. Ross, Jacob Jones, William B. Caster, Gentry county clerk: recommends P. H. B. Moulton as Gentry county surveyor; resignation of George Runyon
1(15)	21 (18)	March 22, 1865	Greene County—S. H. Boyd, Springfield: endorsement of Col. R. W. Fynn as circuit attorney

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1(15)	21(18)	March 24, 1865	Greene County—John R. Cox, 14 th judicial circuit attorney, Springfield: request to retain office as circuit attorney; Radical Union Party ticket; election; Col. S. H. Boyd; Col. J. J. Gravelly; J. E. Smith, registrar of state lands
1(15)	22 (19)	March 30, 1865	Harrison County—William Canaday, 1 st Lt. Co. E, 43 rd Missouri Infantry Volunteers and Harrison County court justice, Kansas City, Jackson County: inquiry as to what he must do to maintain his position as Harrison County court justice
1(15)	22 (19)	March 31, 1865	Harrison County—Samuel Downey, Akron: recommended loyal men for appointment as county officials; Radical Union Party
1(15)	22 (19)	March 31, 1865	Harrison County—Samuel Downey to General R. F. Wingate: request for Wingate to use his influence with Governor Fletcher to have all the incumbent Harrison County officials reappointed
1(15)	23 (20)	No date	Henry County—petition, citizens: recommending John N. Dunn as circuit clerk
1(15)	23 (20)	April 11, 1865	Henry County—W. S. Holland, delegate to the State Convention from Henry County, Sedalia, Pettis County: recommends John W. Dunn as Henry County and circuit clerk; Mr. Barlow
1(15)	23 (20)	April 16, 1865	Henry County—L. C. Marvin, Jefferson City, Cole County: recommends W. L. Avery to the county court; county court justice
1(15)	23 (20)	April 25, 1865	Henry County—F. A. Pinnel, Calhoun: recommends J. N. Dunn as county clerk; Mr. Barlow
1(15)	23 (20)	May 5, 1865	Henry County—John N. Dunn, Calhoun: Dunn's withdrawal from consideration as county clerk
1(15)	23 (20)	June 23, 1865	Henry County—petition, Clinton: request for the appointment of John N. Barlow as circuit and county clerk; resignation of N. J. Dunn (John N. Dunn)
1(15)	24 (21)	No date	Hickory County—petition, recommends John M. Quigg, Hermitage, for any position

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1(15)	25 (22)	No date	Holt County—William R. Saucher, county clerk, Oregon: recommends individuals for appointment as Holt County officials
1(15)	25 (22)	March 21, 1865	Holt County—Clarke Irvine, William Hankins, Oregon: meeting to select names of people to nominate for appointment as Holt County officials; Radical Union Party
1(15)	25 (22)	March 25, 1865	Holt County—Minutes of proceedings held at a meeting of the Radical Union Citizens of Holt County; meeting was adjourned until April
1(15)	25 (22)	April 8, 1865	Holt County—Clarke Irvine, Oregon: transmittal of recommended individuals for appointment as Holt County officials
1(15)	25 (22)	April 8, 1865	Holt County—minutes of proceedings held at a meeting of the Radical Union Citizens of Holt County: includes list of nominees and number of votes received; certified by R. D. Meuklane, president of the Convention
1(15)	25 (22)	April 8, 1865	Holt County—certification by R. D. Meuklane, of minutes of proceedings of the Radical Union Citizens of Holt County
1(15)	25 (22)	April 12, 1865	Holt County—James Scott, Holt County clerk, Oregon: Scott's loyalty and desire to keep his position as Holt County clerk; Abraham Lincoln
1(15)	25 (22)	April 12, 1865	Holt County—E. VansBuskirk, Oregon: application for appointment as Holt county clerk; certification of loyalty
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1(15)	25 (22)	April 27, 1865	Holt County—certification of loyalty oaths of J. Williams and R. W. Russell, Holt County court justices, by James Scott, Holt County clerk
1(15)	26 (23)	No date	Howard County—petition: supporting the appointment of P. M. Jackson as Howard County sheriff
1(15)	26 (23)	January 3, 1864	Howard County—Representative Clark H. Green, Jefferson City, Cole County: recommends Prior M. Jackson as Howard County sheriff
1(15)	26 (23)	December 26, 1864	Howard County—A. J. Henderson, Howard county clerk: certification of loyalty oath for Prior M. Jackson
1(15)	26 (23)	March 22, 1865	Howard County—P. M. Jackson, Fayette: request for reappointment by the governor as Howard County sheriff (Prior M. Jackson)
1(15)	26 (23)	April 1865	Howard County—Reveus Leonard, member of the Convention, St. Louis: transmittal of recommendations for Howard County officials
1(15)	26 (23)	December 25, 1865	Howard County—P. M. Jackson, Fayette: recommends James E. Harvey as supervisor of registration; B. M. Lewis
1(15)	27 (24)	No date	Iron County—petition, citizens of Iron County: recommendations for Iron County officials
1(15)	27 (24)	March 23, 1865	Iron County—J. V. Logan, Ironton: recommends David Humphreys as Iron county clerk (back of document indicates that the governor made the appointment)
1(15)	27 (24)	March 23, 1865	Iron County—James T. Sutton, Dorastus Peck, St. Louis: transmittal of recommendations for Iron County officials; 47 th Regiment

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1(15)	27 (24)	April 21, 1865	Iron County—William Bishop, state treasurer, Jefferson City, Cole County: recommends Capt. William P. Adair as Iron County sheriff; 47 th Regiment, Missouri Volunteer Militia; probate judge
1(15)	27 (24)	December 26, 1865	Iron County—petition, Unconditional Loyal Men of Iron County: recommends Jacob T. Ake as supervisor of registration; service in the Union Army and credentials
1(15)	28 (25)	No date	Jackson County—petition, Jackson County attorneys, Kansas City: request for Governor to reappoint John A. S. Tutt as circuit judge
1(15)	28 (25)	No date	Jackson County—petition (3), Kansas City: supporting the appointment of John R. Swearingen, as Jackson county clerk, and Samuel D. Lucas, as Jackson County circuit court clerk
1(15)	29 (25)	January 23, 1865	Jackson County—Major H. H. Williams, provost marshal, St. Louis: possibility of the State Convention vacating public offices; Williams application for appointment as Jackson County sheriff
1(15)	29 (25)	January 23, 1865	Jackson County—W. C. Ransom, Independence: opposed to the appointment of Abram Covingen, as register; Henry Clay; corruption; opposed to the appointment of Mr. Carpenter; recommends Captain Rodenwald; General Ewing, financial recuperation; request for information to obtain cuttings of the Virginia seedlings to plant a vineyard; denial of being the author of a previous letter to the governor
1(15)	29 (25)	January 30, 1865	Jackson County—Thomas Ewing, Brigadier General, Head Quarters, St. Louis: recommends H. H. Williams as Jackson County sheriff

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1(15)	29 (25)	February 21, 1865	Jackson County—petition (German language): recommends William H. Rodenwald as Jackson County sheriff; disloyalty of current sheriff; Rodenwald first man outside of Kansas City that raised a Company of Missouri State Militia to fight the rebels; John R. Swearingen
1(15)	29 (25)	February 24, 1865	Jackson County—Robert Thompson Van Horn , St. Louis: recommends Reese J. Lewis as circuit judge; John R. Swearingen as Jackson County clerk; judicial circuit includes Lafayette, Saline, Pettis, Johnson, and Cass counties; Lewis' service with the Dept. of Kansas, District of the Border (Missouri-Kansas Border); General Curtis; Kansas Regiment; General Ewing
1(15)	30 (25)	March 13, 1865	Jackson County—John A. S. Tutt, Lexington, Lafayette County: request for personal appointment as Jackson County circuit court judge
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1(15)	30 (25)	March 20, 1865	Jackson County—W. C. Ransom, Kansas City,: request for personal appointment as Jackson County circuit court Clerk; Ransom's service in Union Army; General Ewing; Col. Van Horn; Col. Case, and Capt. Lloyd
1(15)	30 (25)	March 22, 1865	Jackson County—Nat Shumate, Jefferson City: recommends James Lee, as Jackson County recorder; attacked by bushwhackers; Lee was forced to leave his farm; loyal Northern Methodist preacher; religion; Civil War

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1(15)	30 (25)	March 22, 1865	Jackson County—Robert Thompson Van Horn and J. D. Thatcher, Kansas City: recommends Horace B. Johnson as Jackson County circuit attorney; Lafayette County, Saline County, Johnson County
1(15)	30 (25)	March 23, 1865	Jackson County—Representative M. L. Payne, Kansas City: order vacating offices; recommends John G. Hayden as Jackson County sheriff; Kansas City mayor; Van Horn; election of Lincoln
1(15)	30 (25)	March 23, 1865	Jackson County—Capt. Will Von Daun and John A. Thomas, Kansas City: members of the Radical Union Party central committee; recommends Horace B. Johnson as circuit attorney
1(15)	30 (25)	March 24, 1865	Jackson County—P. S. Brown, Patrick Shannon, mayor of Kansas City; J. D. Thacker, et al, Kansas City, Jackson County: recommends General Lucas as Jackson County circuit clerk
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1(15)	30 (25)	March 24, 1865	Jackson County—John G. Hayden, Jackson County sheriff, Kansas City: request for reappointment as Jackson County sheriff; Col. Van Horn; Hon. M. J. Payne; Capt. A. J. Lloyd, and J. R. Swearingen as references
1(15)	30 (25)	March 24, 1865	Jackson County—M. L. Payne, Kansas City: recommends Horace B. Johnson as circuit attorney
1(15)	30 (25)	March 24, 1865	Jackson County—M. L. Payne, Kansas City: recommends Samuel D. Lucas as circuit court clerk; civil unrest in Jackson County
1(15)	30 (25)	March 25, 1865	Jackson County—T. S. Case, Head Quarters, Office of Quartermaster General, St. Louis: recommends W. C. Ransom as Jackson County circuit court clerk

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1(15)	30 (25)	March 27, 1865	Jackson County—Judge Jacob S. Boreman, Probate and court of common pleas, Kansas City: request for personal reappointment; Radical Union Party; Abraham Lincoln; Col. R. Van Horn; Charles Carpenter; Lincoln elector from this district; Col. T. S. Case, Quartermaster General; John P. Swearingen and Col. A.G. Newgent
1(15)	30 (25)	March 27, 1865	Jackson County—Samuel D. Lucas, Jackson County circuit court Clerk, Independence: application for appointment or retention as Jackson County circuit clerk; Col. Van Horn; M. J. Payne; John Swearingen
1(15)	30 (25)	March 28, 1865	Jackson County—James Lee, Kansas City: request for personal appointment as Jackson county recorder; S. J. Buren, Honey family
1(15)	30 (25)	March 28, 1865	Jackson County—petition, Kansas City: recommends Rev. James Lee, as Jackson county recorder; Union man who suffered much from his loyalty during the war
1(15)	30 (25)	March 30, 1865	Jackson County—John R. Craven, Provost Marshals Office, 6 th District of Missouri: request for personal appointment to any vacated office
1(15)	30 (25)	March 31, 1865	Jackson County—Samuel D. Lucas, Jackson County circuit court Clerk, Independence: transmittal of petitions recommending his reappointment
1(15)	31 (25)	April 2, 1865	Jackson County—George W. Nevil, Kansas City: disapproval of Lt. Lewis as circuit judge; failure by Lewis to live in the district; practice by Lewis in the military courts at Leavenworth; questions Lewis' legal abilities; recommends Judge Williams Stevens to the bench; Radical Union Party; Judge Tutt
1(15)	31 (25)	April 8, 1865	Jackson County—W. R. Pennick, St. Joseph, Buchanan County: transmittal of letter of application

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1(15)	31 (25)	April 10, 1865	Jackson County—William Stevens, Kansas City,: recommends the retention of Judge Tutt; Stevens candidacy against Tutt on the Radical Union Ticket in the election of 1863; General Ewing and Col. Van Horn; credentials and residency of Lt. Lewis; George B. McClellan
1(15)	31 (25)	April 11, 1865	Jackson County—John M. Cass, Kansas City,: protesting the appointment of Lt. Lewis to the Jackson County circuit court: failure by Lewis to be a resident of the district; lack of membership in the Missouri Bar Association; recommends the retention of Judge Tutt
1(15)	31 (25)	April 11, 1865	Jackson County—M. W. Delany, Kansas City: recommends William Stevens as circuit court judge; Kansas; Lt. Lewis
1(15)	31 (25)	April 11, 1865	Jackson County—F. A. Mitchell, Kansas City,: protesting the appointment of Lt. Lewis to the Jackson County circuit court bench; failure by Lewis to be a resident of the district, his age and lack of knowledge; recommends Tutt; possible appointment of Judge Stevens; William T. Sherman; U.S. Grant
1(15)	31 (25)	April 12, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by E. Mayworth: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; rebel flag belonged to Estes
1(15)	31 (25)	April 12, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by David L. Shouse to J. P. Howe: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by Jesse P. Alexander: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag; opposition to secession
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by William P. Allen to Justice of the Peace J. P. Howe: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag

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1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by George W. Bryant to Justice of the Peace J. P. Howe: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag; opposition to secession
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by C.A. Carpenter, Captain Company A, Jackson County to Justice of the Peace J. P. Howe: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag which belonged to Estes
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by D. Y. Chafthland: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by K. Coates: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag; Price's Army
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by M. Dively: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by Miles Flanery: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union, support of federal government
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by John G. Hayden, sheriff: personal statement of loyalty to the Union; personal information including his age military service during the Black Hawk Wars, Mexican War and also Civil War; position as marshal of the Kansas City court of common pleas; denies flying rebel flag
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by Dan Higgins Jr.: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag; Estes
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1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by F. H. Kump, Captain, Co. A, 77 th Regiment, Enrolled Missouri Militia: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag; Hayden's actions as chief of police; Colonel Van Horn
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by John McReynolds: attesting to the loyalty of J.G. Hayden; support of the Union; rebel flag belonged to southern sympathizer Estes
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by E. M. McGee: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; rebel flag belonged to Estes, southern sympathizer; State Convention of 1861; Hayden's service as marshal of the Kansas City court of common pleas
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by Rufus Montgall: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag in spring of 1861
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by William Mulkey: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by M. J. Payne: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; opposition to secession
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by Philip Rhinehardt: attesting to the loyalty of J.G. Hayden; support of the Union; falsely accused of displaying a rebel flag Estes
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1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by R. L. Van Horn to Justice of the Peace J. P. Howe: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden; support of the Union; rebel flag raised in Hayden's neighborhood belonged to Estes; Van Horn's service as Mayor of Kansas City from June-August 1861; appointed Thomas A. Smart, G. R. Threlkeld and John G. Hayden
1(15)	31 (25)	April 13, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit by H. D. Woodsmith: attesting to the loyalty of J. G. Hayden
1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—Judge Jacob S. Boreman, Kansas City court of common pleas: transmittal of letters supporting his reappointment; previous appointments made by the governor in Jackson County; Col. Van Horn; Radical Union Party; William Swearingen of Independence (Boreman was later a justice on the Utah Territorial Supreme Court)
1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—Edmund Bruce, Kansas City: recommends William Stevens as judge of the 6 th judicial circuit
1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—William Chrisman, Independence: recommends Samuel D. Lucas for reappointment to current office; includes signatures of other citizens
1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—affidavit from E. Masuch to Justice of the Peace J. P. Howe; attesting to the loyalty to the Union of John G. Hayden
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1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—Capt. William von Dawn, Kansas City: recommends William Stevens as judge of the 6 th judicial circuit; von Dawn's service as a delegate to the 1865 Missouri Constitutional Convention (William von Daun)
1(15)	31 (25)	April 18, 1865	Jackson County—Henry H. Williams, Kansas City: correction of his name on his commission as colonel of the militia; error in printing his name in the Kansas City newspaper; concern over his name being listed correctly on his commission as sheriff; vouches for the Missouri citizenship/residency of Reese J. Lewis, candidate for 6 th Judicial circuit judge; organization of the militia in Cass County; Col. Newgent; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers)
1(15)	31 (25)	April 19, 1865	Jackson County—John R. Swearingen, A. G. Newgent, members of the State Convention from Independence: recommends Reese J. Lewis, judge of 6 th judicial district court; Jacob S. Boreman, judge of the probate and common pleas court; Minor P. Graham, James D. Allen, and Jacob Leader, as Jackson County court judges; William C. Ransom, Jackson County circuit clerk and recorder; recommends all incumbents in Cass County
1(15)	31 (25)	April 19, 1865	Jackson County—Robert Thompson Van Horn, Kansas City: approval of the list of recommended appointees sent to the governor by Swearingen and Newgent; vouches for the residency of Lewis; recommends Judge Jones, Col. Samuel, and Robert Love in Clay County

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1(15)	31 (25)	April 24, 1865	Jackson County—telegram, Robert Thompson Van Horn , Kansas City: appointment of Jackson County judge; meeting with the governor
1(15)	31 (25)	April 24, 1865	Jackson County—petition, citizens of Kansas City: recommends Charles Carpenter as judge of the Kansas City court of common pleas; includes signatures of Mayor Patrick Shannon; Bernard Donnelly, register of Kansas City; David O'Brien, ex-marshal Kansas City
1(15)	31 (25)	April 25, 1865	Jackson County—A. B. Johnson, Kansas City: recommends Charles Carpenter as circuit court judge; Judge Tutt; Lt. Lewis; Judge Stevens; Johnson, Cass, Lafayette, Saline, Pettis, and Henry counties
1(15)	31 (25)	April 25, 1865	Jackson County—A. B. Johnson, Kansas City: recommends Charles Carpenter as judge of the Kansas City court of common pleas
1(15)	31 (25)	April 26, 1865	Jackson County—telegram, A. S. Newgent, J. R. Swearingen, and E. F. Rogers, Kansas City: recommends Jacob S. Boreman as judge of the Probate and Kansas City court of common pleas
1(15)	31 (25)	April 26, 1865	Jackson County—telegram; A. S. Newgent and J. R. Swearingen, Kansas City: recommends Reese J. Lewis, circuit judge; Jacob S. Boreman, judge of the court of common pleas; Ransom, circuit clerk; James D. Allen, Miner T. Graham, and Jacob Leader, Jackson County court judges

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1(15)	31 (25)	April 28, 1865	Jackson County—telegram, Samuel Lucas, Independence: requesting delay in appointment of Jackson county clerk until he receives letters sent by mail today
1(15)	31 (25)	April 28, 1865	Jackson County—Representative M. J. Payne, Kansas City: recommends Gen. Lucas as circuit court clerk; previous letters written by Payne on behalf of Lucas; disapproval of Major Ransom's appointment to the position; question of whether Ransom is a legal resident of Missouri
1(15)	31 (25)	September 9, 1865	Jackson County—loyalty oath, A. S. Newgent, Jackson County: candidate for the appointment to Jackson County court
1(15)	31 (25)	September 10, 1865	Jackson County—John R. Swearingen, Jackson County court clerk: resignation of James D. Allen from the Jackson County court; recommends of Andrew Newgent as his replacement
1(15)	31 (25)	September 21, 1865	Jackson County—C. W. Waite, private secretary to the governor, to Hon. Robert Thompson Van Horn , Hermann, Gasconade County: requesting Van Horn's opinion on the appointment of Andrew Newgent to the Jackson County court; includes reply by A. H. Hallowell in the absence of Van Horn favors the appointment of Newgent to the Jackson County court
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1(15)	32 (26)	June 3, 1865	Jasper County—J. B. Boyd, 15 th Missouri Cavalry Volunteers: transmittal of petition from Jasper County requesting the governor rescind the appointment of William G. Bulgin as Jasper County and circuit clerk; avoided military service
1(15)	33 (27)	January 14, 1865	Jefferson County—Samuel A. Reppy, Hillsboro: request for personal reappointment as Jefferson County clerk
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1(15)	33 (27)	February 25, 1865	Jefferson County—William Hendrickson, De Soto: recommends Samuel A. Reppy as circuit clerk; R. W. McMullin as county clerk; Reppy's lack of service in the 31 st Regiment, due to a broken leg; Col. L. Rankin; Radical Union Party; Tom Hasine; R. W. McMullin's service with Governor Fletcher

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1(15)	33 (27)	March 20, 1865	Jefferson County—R. W. McMullin, Hillsboro: requesting that Reppy be appointed Jefferson County circuit court clerk and for personal appointment as Jefferson county clerk; Radical Union Party; McMullin's army service
1(15)	33 (27)	April 14, 1865	Jefferson County—C. C. Fletcher, Jefferson County sheriff Hillsboro: requesting that the commissions for himself, Reppy and McMullin be sent soon; Ralls County election (letter is written on Jefferson county clerk letterhead)
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1(15)	34 (28)	March 24, 1865	Johnson County—Emory S. Foster, Constitutional Convention, St. Louis: vacancy on the Johnson County court due to the death of William Tapp; recommends John Windsor; recommends brother Melville W. Foster, as circuit clerk; Emory's service as county court clerk; Judge Tutt's alleged prosecution of citizens who helped slaves escape their masters

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1(15)	34 (28)	March 28, 1865	Johnson County—G. W. Houts, Warrensburg: vacancy on the Johnson County court; John Windsor; officers elected in November of 1864: John L. Williams and Henry Harrison to the County court; Thomas W. Williams, sheriff; A. S. Heath; coroner; David W. Reed, treasurer; E. S. Foster, county clerk; S. P. Williams is a Copperhead; recommends W. M. Foster for the appointment as circuit clerk; lack of military service by Williams (Foster served in the Enrolled Missouri Militia, citizen guards)
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1(15)	34 (28)	April 5, 1865	Johnson County—S. P. Williams, Warrensburg: Williams explains how he came to hold the position of circuit clerk, took oath of office in 1861; cites his voting record; George B. McClellan, Thomas L. Price
1(15)	34 (28)	April 8, 1865	Johnson County—Minutes, Radicals of Johnson County, Warrensburg: recommends John Windsor as County court justice; George W. Houts, county court clerk; M. Foster, circuit court clerk; Thomas W. Williams, sheriff; Col. Wells H. Blodgett, circuit attorney; Col. Reese J. Lewis, of Kansas City, circuit judge
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1(15)	37 (30)	April 26, 1865	Lafayette County—petition, Union Men of Lexington: supporting the reappointment of Lafayette County officials, John A. S. Tutt, circuit court judge; John E. Ryland, Circuit attorney; Richard C. Doniphan, circuit clerk; Jesse Schofield, Richard Corn, N. T. Litton to the County court; Richard C. Vaughan, circuit clerk; Alexander H. McFadden, county clerk; Jacob A. Price, sheriff
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1(15)	38 (31)	March 27, 1865	Lawrence County—unknown author from Atchison County: recommendations for Lawrence County offices; circuit court, Lawrence County militia
1(15)	38 (31)	March 27, 1865	Lawrence County—list of recommendations from unknown author: John C. Price; Henry C. Lollar; Andrew P. Gibson, sheriff; John L. Holt; John M. Filler served with distinction in the Lawrence County Home Guards in 1861; 7 th Provost Regiment, Enrolled Missouri Militia
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2 (16)	1	April 10, 1865	Marion County—J. F. Benjamin, Shelbyville, Shelby County: opposes reappointing Judge Porter to the 16 th judicial circuit; recommends John J. Campbell as judge; Radical Union Party; alleged charges against Judge Porter; blacks serving in the military; Col. Harrison, Latter Day Saint; religion and politics
2 (16)	1	April 11, 1865	Marion County—M. P. Green, St. Louis: recommends John J. Campbell as 16 th judicial circuit judge; lawyer; Radical election ticket; Marion County
2 (16)	1	April 12, 1865	Marion County—Senator William P. Harrison, 4 th District, Hannibal: recommends Judge Gilchrist Porter, 16 th judicial circuit; vouches for Porter's loyalty to the Union; supporter of the military; favorite of members of the Missouri bar
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2 (16)	1	April 24, 1865	Marion County—J. R. Winchell, Courier Office, Hannibal: support for reappointment of incumbent Sheriff William H. Boulware; Boulware's election in 1864; complaints made against Boulware for closing the Marion County courthouse; rebels forced Sheriff Boulware to close the courthouse

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2 (16)	4	June 28, 1865	Morgan County—B. S. Walker, Morgan County sheriff, Jefferson City: recommends Andrew Masters as Morgan County probate judge; death of Judge Wilson
2 (16)	4	June 29, 1865	Morgan County—petition, citizens of Morgan County: recommends Andrew Masters as Morgan County probate judge; death of Judge Wilson
2 (16)	4	June 30, 1865 (file date)	Morgan County—Daniel Burkhardt, Company B, Morgan County Missouri Militia: recommends Andrew Masters as probate judge
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2 (16)	7	December 31, 1865	Pettis County—Joseph L. Gage, Sedalia: attempts by Pettis County residents to avoid the registration law; application by Gage for the appointment as supervisor of registration; Radical Union Party
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2 (16)	9	No date	Platte County—petition: recommending James Durbin as county surveyor; signed by N. P. Ogden, Thomas Quinn, W. F. Slocum, John Pace, A.G. Beller, and D. W. Moore
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2 (16)	10 (9)	February 4, 1865	Platte County—William Heren, Savannah, Andrew County: recommends Charles M. Boyd as Platte County probate judge; Radical Union Party
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2 (16)	10 (9)	March 13, 1865	Platte County—D. W. Moore, Weston: opposition to G. W. Hood’s for the office of circuit clerk; Moore recommended for the position by the Committee of Safety; Moore’s illness caused him to be bed ridden at the time the letter was written; Hood’s ineligibility to hold office
2 (16)	10 (9)	March 19, 1865	Platte County—James N. Burnes, St. Louis: recommends George W. Bell as Platte County circuit clerk; ousting ordinance; refusal of previous circuit clerk to swear loyalty oath; mayor of Weston; First Union Club of Platte County; Union League; Radical Union Party; Abraham Lincoln; death of wife, personal circumstances

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2 (16)	11 (9)	April 19, 1865	Platte County—telegram, William Gabbert, W. S. Briggs, and D. B. Bonifanhe, Weston: appointment of Maj. Hood as paymaster; recommends George W. Bell as circuit clerk
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2 (16)	11 (9)	July 31, 1865	Platte County—James Durbin, attorney at law, civil engineer, Platte City: request for appointment as Platte county surveyor; loyalty to Union; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers); Governor Fletcher's visit to Weston; Jefferson Davis,; Price's slander of President Lincoln; voter registration; rebel voters; electorate; bushwhacker rebel candidate

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2 (16)	12 (9)	February 22, 1867	Platte County—Weston (MO) <u>Border Times</u> , front page, A.G. Beller, editor: articles on Radical Union Party politics; the contested state Senate election between Parks and Burnes; and the Tennessee Suffrage Law
2 (16)	12 (9)	February 25, 1867	Platte County—petition, citizens of Weston: supporting Hamm, Berg, and Merryman; request transmittal of Merryman's commission
2 (16)	12 (9)	February 25, 1867	Platte County—J. B. Wright, Weston: recommends Mr. Merryman's appointment rather than Mr. Allen's
2 (16)	11 (9)	July 26, 1867	Platte County—D. W. Moore, Weston: George W. Bell's association with the McClellan/Price Party; Solomon P. McCurdy's "college building" school
2 (16)	13 (10)	No date	Ralls County—petition, Union citizens, Macon County and adjacent counties; recommends Lt. Jefferson A. Mayhall as Ralls County high sheriff
2 (16)	13 (10)	No date	Ralls County—Reuben St. John: requesting personal appointment as Ralls County circuit clerk and recorder
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2 (16)	14 (10)	January 20, 1865	Ralls County—petition, officers and enlisted men of Co. E, 3 rd Cavalry, Missouri State Militia, and citizens of Carrolton, Carroll County: recommends Lt. Jefferson A. Mayhall as Ralls County sheriff; Kentucky; Tennessee

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2 (16)	14 (10)	February 22, 1865	Ralls County—John Wasson, president, Union League Club, Madisonville Council No. 188: removal of disloyal county officials; Sheriff William Noland; A. G. Lancaster, county clerk; Samuel K. Caldwell, circuit clerk; N. S. Dimmitt; W. E. Harris, Ralls County court justices; recommends replacements; enclosed resolutions to this effect from the Madisonville Council; Sheriff William Newland's disloyalty; refusal to call loyal men to serve on the grand jury; inability to convict rebels; Newland illegally holding office; loyalty oath; rebel sympathizers
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2 (16)	15 (10)	March 20, 1865	Ralls County—Representative E. W. Southworth, New London: recommends Reuben St. John as circuit court clerk; replace incumbent Samuel H. Caldwell (letter is written prior to the Convention's ousting ordinance)
2 (16)	15 (10)	March 21, 1865	Ralls County—N. O. Archer, president, Hannibal Union League Association, Hannibal, Marion County: recommends the appointment of Reuben St. John as Ralls County circuit clerk; Radical Union Party

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2 (16)	15 (10)	March 21, 1865	Ralls County—Reuben St. John to Col. William Bishop, Hannibal, Marion County: requesting that Bishop verbally endorse him for circuit clerk to Gov. Fletcher
2 (16)	15 (10)	March 23, 1865	Ralls County—William T. Gentry, Monroe City, Monroe County; to Adjutant General Samuel P. Simpson, Jefferson City: recommends William Newland as Ralls County sheriff
2 (16)	15 (10)	March 25, 1865	Ralls County—William Bishop, state treasurer's office, Jefferson City: transmittal of letters recommending Reuben St. John as circuit clerk and recorder of Ralls County; Hannibal Union League; Hannibal <u>Courier</u> ; Senator William P. Harrison, 4 th district
2 (16)	15 (10)	March 31, 1865	Ralls County—W. P. Green, member of Constitutional Convention 4 th Senatorial District, St. Louis: recommends George E. Mayhall as county clerk (letter is written on Bowen and Martin Commission Merchants Stationery)
2 (16)	16 (10)	April 1, 1865	Ralls County—S. S. Hendricks, first assistant, provost marshal general, St. Louis: recommends Thomas R. Dodge as Ralls County circuit clerk
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2 (16)	16 (10)	April 6, 1865	Ralls County—N. S. Dimmit, William E. Harris, and L. C. Northcutt, Ralls County court: requesting the Governor reappoint them to the Ralls County court; vouches for their personal loyalty to the Union
2 (16)	16 (10)	April 6, 1865	Ralls County—Private Thomas R. Dodge, Company I, 3 rd Division, Missouri State Militia, Head Quarters, Office of Provost Marshall, St. Louis: request for personal appointment as Ralls County circuit clerk; recounts his war service record; General Blunt

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2 (16)	17 (10)	November 13, 1868	Ralls County—affidavit, William A. Wasson: regarding the validity of the poll books; subscription to the oath of loyalty; verification of election judges; election held November 3, 1868; Madisonville Township of Jasper, Ralls County
2 (16)	17 (10)	December 4, 1868	Ralls County—George A. Shields, Hannibal: transmittal of affidavits and poll book from the November 3 election; poll book did not have signatures of election judges; verification of the subscription to the oath of loyalty; Madisonville Township of Jasper; election fraud; Radical Union Party; request for Governor to issue commissions
2 (16)	17 (10)	December 17, 1868	Ralls County—George H. Shields, Hannibal: transmittal of abstract of votes, election of November 3, 1868; Radical candidates
2 (16)	17 (10)	December 26, 1868	Ralls County—N. S. Dimmitt, William A. Wasson, and E. Southworth, New London: certification of November 3, 1868 election; failure of candidates to file oath of loyalty; disallowing non-subscribers election to office
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 20, 1865	Randolph County—A. F. Denny, Huntsville: recommends William R. Samuel as Randolph County circuit clerk
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 20, 1865	Randolph County—William R. Samuel, circuit clerk and Judge G. H. Burckhardt, 2 nd judicial district, Huntsville: recommends John H. Austin, Randolph County sheriff; Lincoln and Johnson presidential ticket
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 21, 1865	Randolph County—E. A. Holcomb, St. Louis: recommends John Austin as Randolph County sheriff; Radical Union Party; election of 1863; emancipation

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2 (16)	18 (11)	March 22, 1865	Randolph County—A. F. Denny, Huntsville: inquiry as to how to go about installing new and loyal public officials in office; incumbent sheriff is loyal
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 22, 1865	Randolph County—E. M. Samuel, General Commission and Forwarding Merchant, St. Louis: request for Governor to refrain from making political appointments in the county until he hears from the Radical Union Party; Clay County
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 29, 1865	Randolph County—Judge G. H. Burckhardt, Huntsville: recommends William R. Samuel as circuit clerk
2 (16)	18 (11)	March 30, 1865	Randolph County—petition, Sugar Creek and Sweet Spring Council of the Loyal Leagues in Randolph County: recommends George H. Burckhardt, circuit judge; William R. Samuels, circuit clerk; Capt. Milton P. Durham, county clerk; Simeon P. Styles, A. R. Rice, Capt. William A. Sears, Randolph County court
2 (16)	19 (11)	April 1, 1865	Randolph County—E. M. Samuel, General Commission and Forwarding Merchant, St. Louis: recommends his brother William R. Samuel, as Randolph County circuit clerk
2 (16)	19 (11)	April 3, 1865	Randolph County—John H. Austin, Randolph County sheriff, Huntsville: request for reappointment as Randolph County sheriff; Radical ticket
2 (16)	19 (11)	April 6, 1865	Randolph County—A. F. Denny, Glasgow, Howard County: transmittal of list of names recommended for appointment as Randolph County officials
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2 (16)	19 (11)	April 26, 1865	Randolph County—petition, residents of Huntsville: attesting to the loyalty of the incumbent county court
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2 (16)	20 (11)	January 29, 1866	Randolph County—Michael Rees, Allen: Governor's reappointment of Copperheads (Southern sympathizers) in Randolph County; Pro Slavery Party; "Grayback Convention" of October 1865 (pro-slavery members of the Legislature held a separate convention in Neosho; voted to secede from the Union; and set up a parallel Confederate Missouri government); Union League; Capt. Shimer opposed Lincoln; Nevada Territory, appointments of secessionists for all the sergeants, 9 th Regiment, Missouri State Militia; support for Lt. McKinsey's appointment as registration officer
2 (16)	21 (12)	No date	Ray County—Jeremiah Williams, Caldwell County and A. J. Barr, Ray County, St. Louis: recommends Adam J. Barr; Adam K. Raybourn; Elisha Riggs; Samuel Colley, Calvin W. Narrimore, and William McKissock, Ray County court judges; James B. Turner, Jr; Joseph E. Black

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2 (16)	21 (12)	March 11, 1865	Ray County—Daniel Proctor, Mooresville: recommends Major G.W. Murphy, 6 th Missouri State Militia; James L. Jones, Ray county clerk; Lt. William Spencer, served with Sherman
2 (16)	21 (12)	March 18, 1865	Ray County—D. P. Whitmer and Joseph E. Black, Richmond: recommendations for Ray County officials; Samuel Colley, Calvin W. Narrimore, and William McKissock as county court judges; Elisha Riggs, probate judge; Adam K. Rayburn, sheriff; James B. Turner, Jr., county clerk
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2 (16)	21 (12)	March 21, 1865	Ray County—James W. Black, John Grimes, W. W. Mosby, Richmond: recommends Clayton Jacobs as Ray County sheriff; election of Jacobs in November 1864
2 (16)	21 (12)	March 22, 1865	Ray County—John T. Ryland, Lexington, Lafayette County: recommends Clayton Jacobs as Ray County sheriff; law practice in the Ray County circuit court
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2 (16)	21 (12)	March 23, 1865	Ray County—Judge Austin A. King (Austin Augustus King, former governor) Richmond: recommends Clayton Jacobs as Ray County sheriff; Jacobs loyalty; reliable Benton Democrat; Col. King's Regiment
2 (16)	21 (12)	March 27, 1865	Ray County—E. M. Samuel, and J. M. Jones, Union Men of Clay County, St. Louis: recommends Joseph E. Black as Ray County circuit attorney
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2 (16)	21 (12)	April 13, 1865	Ray County—A. J. Barr, Richmond, to friend Weidgut: attempt to get the ordinance out of the hands of the Judiciary Committee; influence the governor's appointments in Ray County; ratification of the new constitution; Radical Union Party
2 (16)	21 (12)	April 13, 1865	Ray County—A. J. Barr, Richmond: attempt by Representative James W. Black, known Copperhead to use former Governor Austin A. King to influence Governor Fletcher's selection of Ray County officials; Black and Grimes were elected by the rebel votes of the county; requests the governor appoint men that Barr recommends
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2 (16)	24 (15)	December 18, 1865	St. Francois County—petition/notification, Farmington: vacancy in the office of Sheriff, resignation of John L. Resmiger; recommends Rufus Alexander as sheriff
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2 (16)	37 (28)	February 15, 1866	Boone County—petition, Radical citizens, Columbia: recommends J. C. Gallaman as supervisor of registration
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2 (16)	40 (31)	February 3, 1866	Callaway County—George W. Anderson, Washington D.C: recommends John S. Kidwell as supervisor of registration
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2 (16)	45 (36)	January 16, 1866	Cole County—petition, citizens and voters Jefferson City: recommends Bernard Schepers as supervisor of registration for Cole County; Schepers' military service; Provost Marshal A. C. Marvin; Major F. D. White
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2 (16)	50 (41)	1866	Dekalb County—petition, Radical Union Men: recommends George W. Lipscomb as supervisor of registration includes the signatures of Dekalb County officials
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2 (16)	52 (43)	January 30, 1866	Gasconade County—Representative W. O. Dallmeyer, Jefferson City: recommends Constance Riek as supervisor of registration
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2 (16)	56 (47)	1866	Harrison County—petition: recommends Jonathan M. Bryant as supervisor of registration; petition is certified by the county clerk, Henry O. Bryant
2 (16)	56 (47)	January 2, 1866	Harrison County—Henry O. Bryant, Harrison county clerk; Bethany: notification of Jonathan M. Bryant's oath of loyalty on file at the county clerk's office; appointment as supervisor of registration
2 (16)	56 (47)	January 4, 1866	Harrison County—Howard T. Combs, Bethany: recommends Jonathan M. Bryant as supervisor of registration
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2 (16)	59 (50)	January 1866	Howard County—Warren N. Harris, Fayette: recommends Leonard as supervisor of registration
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2 (16)	59 (50)	February 1, 1866	Howard County—Warren W. Harris, Fayette: application for the appointment as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	9 (11)	January 6, 1866	Madison County—James Finley, et al, Fredericktown: meeting of loyal men of Madison County to select Berry M. Picker for supervisor of registration; includes brief abstract of the proceedings
3 (17)	9 (11)	January 6, 1866	Madison County—H. H. Finley to J. C. McMurty, Fredericktown: recommends Berry M. Picker, supervisor of registration; military service with Federal Army; lack of support for the new constitution, friendship with Governor Fletcher
3 (17)	9 (11)	January 6, 1866	Madison County—James T. Foster, Fredericktown: recommends Berry M. Picker as supervisor of registration; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers)
3 (17)	9 (11)	January 10, 1866	Madison County—James S. McMurty, Jefferson City: transmittal of letter from Finley, recommends Berry M. Picker as supervisor of registration; Berry's service record
3 (17)	10 (12)	January 6, 1866	Maries County—petition, citizens and qualified voters: recommends William L. Pinnell as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	10 (12)	January 11, 1866	Maries County—Representative B. F. Bumpass, Jefferson City: recommends Henry V. Warren as supervisor of registration; William L. Pinnell
3 (17)	11(13)	January 13, 1866	Marion County—J. R. Winchell, proprietor and publisher of the <u>North Missouri Courier</u> , Hannibal: Radical Loyalists of Marion County recommend Jacob R. Winters of Palmyra as supervisor of registration; Senator William Harrison; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers)

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3 (17)	13 (15)	January 8, 1866	Monroe County—O. F. Smith, Paris: requesting that the governor confer with the Union Central Committee before appointing a supervisor of registration
3 (17)	13 (15)	January 10, 1866	Monroe County—J. Mahlon Hailey, Paris: transmittal of newspaper account of the Radical Union meeting January 1, 1866, in Paris; recommends Andrew Jackson Campbell as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	13 (15)	January 16, 1866	Monroe County—M. W. Wilson, president of the Loyal League of Monroe County, Madison: recommends Andrew Jackson Campbell as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	13 (15)	January 22, 1866	Monroe County—J. H. Holdsworth, Long Branch: recommends Andrew Jackson Campbell as supervisor of registration; Radical Union Men; Representative Coulter, elected by rebels; Jefferson Davis; Brutus Booth (John Wilkes Boothe)
3 (17)	13 (15)	January 29, 1866	Monroe County—Lafayette E. Campbell, 1 st Lt., 3 rd Infantry, to Dr. James E. Martin, St. Louis: requesting that Dr. Martin use his influence with Governor Fletcher to secure the appointment of his father, Andrew Jackson Campbell, as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	14 (16)	January 18, 1866	Montgomery County—S. A. Thompson, Danville: recommends Lance Miller as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	16 (18)	February 2, 1866	Nodaway County—B. K. Davis, Senate Chambers, Jefferson City: application for appointment as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	17 (19)	No date	Osage County—petition, loyal citizens: recommends Col. J. M. Dennis as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	17 (19)	January 1, 1866	Osage County—J. K. Kidd, Cooper's Hill to F. Munench: requesting that Munench use his influence to help Kidd obtain the appointment as supervisor of registration; Representative Cooper; Copperhead; Radical Union Party
3 (17)	17 (19)	January 3, 1866	Osage County—Dr. Franz Braerklein, et al, Westphalia: recommends Col. J. M. Dennis as supervisor of registration; U.S. Volunteer Army
3 (17)	17 (19)	January 10, 1866	Osage County—J. M. Dennis, Medora: recommends Capt. J. K. Kidd as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	17 (19)	January 16, 1866	Osage County—J. J. White, near Chamois: recommends J. K. Kidd as supervisor of registration; meeting of the Radical men of Osage County
3 (17)	17 (19)	November 1, 1866	Osage County—Gert Goebel, Senate Chamber, Jefferson City: competition for the position of supervisor of registration in Osage County; Capt. J. K. Kidd; Col. Dennis
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3 (17)	20 (22)	January 1, 1866	Pettis County—G. R. Smith, Assessor's Office, U.S. Internal Revenue Service, 5 th District, Sedalia: opposes Higgins as supervisor of registration; Emancipation Proclamation; Radical Union Men
3 (17)	20 (22)	January 3, 1866	Pettis County—G. R. Smith, et al, Sedalia: recommends Major Bacon Montgomery as supervisor of registration; county court; Radical Union Party
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3 (17)	21 (23)	February 15, 1866	Pike County—D. P. Dyer and S. J. Reynolds, Jefferson City: recommends Philanes Draper as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	22 (24)	1866	Platte County—Congressman Robert Thompson Van Horn , et al, Washington, D.C: recommends Obadiah Miles as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	22 (24)	January 2, 1866	Platte County—James Durbin, recording secretary, Platte County Radical Union Party, Platte City: recommends Manoah Miles, supervisor of registration
3 (17)	22 (24)	January 2, 1866	Platte County—A. G. Beller, Platte City: organization of the Radical Union Party in Platte County; recommends Manoah Miles as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	22 (24)	January 5, 1866	Platte County—James T. Layton, Platte City: request for appointment as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	22 (24)	January 7, 1866	Platte County—Congressman Robert Thompson Van Horn, Washington, D.C: recommends Capt. Manoah Miles as supervisor of registration; editor of the <u>Weston Times</u> ; New Years Day (written on 39 th Congressional stationery)

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3 (17)	23 (25)	January 10, 1866	Polk County—petition, officers and citizens of Bolivar: recommends W. W. Donham as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	24 (26)	January 1866	Randolph County—William A. Hall, Huntsville: recommends Capt. Alexander Denny as supervisor of registration; Capt. Denny's relationship to cousin Senator Denny; Chariton County; political corruption
3 (17)	24 (26)	January 1866	Randolph County—petition: recommends Capt. Alexander Denny as supervisor of registration; Denny's service as a Militia Officer
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3 (17)	24 (26)	January 27, 1866	Randolph County—Senator A. H. Denny, Jefferson City: recommends Capt. William A. Skinner as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	25 (27)	January 13, 1866	Ray County—A. J. Barr, Richmond: transmittal of petition supporting the appointment of C. W. Narrimore as supervisor of registration; service as presiding judge of Ray County, residency since 1829; Union Men of Ray County; Ray County newspaper; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers)

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3 (17)	26 (28)	February 14, 1866	St. Charles County—Robert Bailey Sr., William E. Clauss, and Frederick Munch, Jefferson City: recommends George R. Buckman as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	28 (30)	January 1, 1866	St. Louis County—W. A. Heyuembourg, St. Louis: application for appointment as supervisor of registration; endorsed by A. G. Brown
3 (17)	28 (30)	January 11, 1866	St. Louis County—John E. Sanders, St. Louis: personal application for appointment as supervisor of registration; service in the U.S. Army, Captain 41 st Regiment, Missouri Volunteers; Col. Weydemeyer, Assessor of 5 th District St. Louis; lists references; resident of the 9 th Ward of St. Louis; Radical Central Committee
3 (17)	28 (30)	February 10, 1866	St. Louis County—Henry L. Lasar, St. Louis: personal application for appointment as supervisor of registration; endorsed by William McKee
3	28	May 29, 1866	St. Louis County—D. C. Coleman, St. Louis; regarding sale of State Tobacco Warehouse
3	28	June 11, 1866	St. Louis County—Ann Cotting; St. Louis; regarding deed of State Tobacco Warehouse [first name possibly Amen]
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3 (17)	29 (31)	January 6, 1866	Ste. Genevieve County—Alva B. Culver, Ste. Genevieve: recommends Capt. Gustavus St. Gem as supervisor of registration; Wilder's lack of qualification
3 (17)	29 (31)	January 18, 1866	Ste. Genevieve County—Gustavus St. Gem, Ste. Genevieve; to Representative H. C. Newcomb, Jefferson City: personal application for appointment as supervisor of registration; Copperheads (Southern sympathizers); Claybanks; Thomas Noell; Peter Wilder
3 (17)	29 (31)	January 21, 1866	Ste. Genevieve County—Gustavus St. Gem, Ste. Genevieve; to Senator Madison Miller, Jefferson City: Conservatives and Copperhead Democrats; Thomas E. Noell; enforcement of the Registry Law; county politics; Peter Wilder
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3 (17)	29 (31)	February 19, 1866	Ste. Genevieve County—Joseph E. Baldwin, Senate Chambers, Jefferson City: transmittal of letter from Gustavus St. Gem; recommends St. Gem's appointment as supervisor of registration; withdrawal of Wilder's name
3 (17)	30 (32)	January 17, 1866	Scott County—G. W. Frickey, Scott County deputy sheriff: recommends William Greene as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	33 (34)	January 11, 1866	Stone County—W. D. S. Mack, Missouri Senate chambers, Jefferson City: recommends the appointment of Capt. William F. McCullah as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	34 (35)	January 29, 1866	Sullivan County—John A. Richardson, former editor of <u>Milan Radical</u> newspaper, Milan: recommends James Beatty as supervisor of registration; Beatty's service as Provost
3 (17)	34 (35)	January 24, 1866	Sullivan County—Representative J. Comstock, Jefferson City: recommends Edward E. Prindle as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	34 (35)	January 24, 1866	Sullivan County—Orra Garvin, Milan: recommends James Beatty as supervisor of registration; J. Comstock
3 (17)	35 (36)	February 8, 1866	Taney County—Francis M. Gideon, Jefferson City: recommends Elias Cleavenger as supervisor of registration and Licander Jennings as county and circuit clerk; resignation of previous clerk
3 (17)	36 (37)	February 7, 1866	Texas County—Representative Jeremiah White, House of Representatives, Jefferson City: recommends Jahue C. White as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	37 (38)	No date	Washington County—petition, citizens of Washington County, members of House of Representatives: recommends James J. Wilkinson as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	39 (41)	January 15, 1866	Appointments —J. W. Baldwin, Jefferson City, Cole County: post office; Butler County; recommends Charles Addy Jr. as supervisor of registration
3 (17)	39 (41)	May 22, 1866	Appointments —B. V. Shumard, St. Louis; to Professor Barnard: recommends Professor George Swallow for the chair of the Geology and Paleontology Departments in the Columbia College of Mines; Geological Survey of Missouri; Scientific Journals of the US and Europe; University of Missouri
3 (17)	39 (41)	August 20, 1868	Appointments —Willis C. Hall, California, Moniteau County; to E. L. King, Jefferson City, Cole County: request for Hall to meet with Governor Fletcher and ask for a commission as notary public for Moniteau County
3 (17)	39 (41)	October 5, 1868	Appointments —B. H. Burton, U.S. Attorney, Kentucky District, Louisville, Kentucky: letter of introduction for Dr. T. S. Bell; loyalty to Union; social conditions in Kentucky

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3 (17)	39 (41)	November 5, 1868	Appointments —petition: recommends John W. Rice as notary public for Douglas County
3 (17)	39 (41)	December 3, 1868	Appointments —Silas Reed, Stanton, Franklin County: request for commission and bond for Henry G. Hay; failure to mail his bond in the proper time; Hay's profession as a mine surface manager, secretary of state
3 (17)	39 (41)	January 6, 1869	Appointments —William H. Bailey, Salisbury, Rowan County, North Carolina: request for appointment as commissioner of deeds for Missouri
3 (17)	39 (41)	January 23, 1869	Appointments —John W. Bachmann, Clarksville, Pike County: recommends M. W. Mopps as notary public
3 (17)	40 (43)	May 15, 1865	Commissions—James Coff to transfer Cora James, accused of grand larceny, from Ohio to St. Louis
3 (17)	40 (42)	January 27, 1866	Commissions—John R. Knox as supervisor of registration for Lincoln County
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3 (17)	40 (45)	February 17, 1868	Commissions—Henry G. Hay as Franklin County notary public
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3 (17)	40 (42)	May 14, 1866	Commissions—George Patterson, Carrollton, Carroll County: return/transmittal of his commission as supervisor of registration; ill health, current duties as Probate Clerk; recommends L.C. Axton
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3 (17)	40 (42)	June 15, 1866	Commissions—Stephen Ridgely, St. Louis: return/transmittal of commission as supervisor of registration; traveling out of the state of Missouri; recommends Hugh M. Thompson as supervisor of registration
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3 (17)	40 (42)	July 3, 1868	Commissions—J. H. Berthune, Mississippi county clerk: certification of the resignation of George W. Jackson, supervisor of registration
3 (17)	40 (44)	July 6, 1868	Commissions—John H. McMurdy, Chicago, Illinois: return of Commission; recommends as a suitable replacement
3 (17)	40 (44)	July 15, 1868	Commissions—Aaron Grigsby for supervisor of registration for Mississippi County
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3 (17)	41 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances—petition, citizens of Caldwell County: request for remission of fine imposed on Lewis C. Woodward for permitting gambling; tried to stop gambling in back room; Mr. Woodward's loyalty; social conditions during 1865; Caldwell County circuit court
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3 (17)	41 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances—petition, citizens of Henry County: requesting remittance of fine for William P. Wilson and Polk Riggins, convicted for selling spirituous liquors without a license
3 (17)	41 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances—George W. Randolph, 13 th judicial circuit attorney, Randolph County: requesting remittance of fine imposed upon M. P. Griffith for selling liquor without an oath and bond
3 (17)	41 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances—petition, Isaac Crowder and citizens of St. Clair County: requesting remittance of \$50 fine imposed on Isaac Crowder for his conviction for selling liquor without a license
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3 (17)	41 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances—Horace B. Johnson, circuit attorney, Johnson County: notification of indictment against William Gooch for selling liquor with a license; certification of charges; application for remitter; and a handwritten note from Gooch requesting remittance of fine imposed upon him
3 (17)	42 (46)	1865	Fine Remittances, Clingman—L. C. Marvin, Henry County: request for remission of fine imposed on J. C. Clingman, convicted of working a stray horse without posting, horse found alone on prairie
3 (17)	42 (46)	1865	Fine Remittances, Clingman—L. C. Marvin to General R. F. Wingate: request for Wingate to transmit to the governor a request for the remission of a fine imposed upon J. C. Clingman for working a stray without posting
3 (17)	43 (46)	July 11, 1865	Fine Remittances, Cummings—transcript of proceedings in Cummings Case, Ralls County: Cummings accused of aiding John Walkup to commit robbery
3 (17)	43 (46)	August 29, 1865	Fine Remittances, Cummings—petition, Ralls County: requesting remittance of forfeiture, recognizance bond of Jacob Cummings; unfair for county to be stuck with paying bond
3 (17)	43 (46)	June 11, 1868	Fine Remittances, Cummings—E. W. Southworth, New London, Ralls County: request for remittance of forfeiture, recognizance bond for Jacob Cummings, indicted for robbery
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3 (17)	44 (46)	No date	Fine Remittances, Robinson —petition requesting fine remittance on behalf of Alexander Robinson, Cass County: conviction by Cass County court for selling liquor without a license in 1865; fine of \$20; Harrisonville; Pleasant Hill
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3 (17)	44 (46)	January 6, 1866	Fine Remittances, Robinson —Henry Jerard, Cass County court judge, and other Cass County officials, Harrisonville, Cass County: support for Alexander Robinson; Robinson's loyalty and service with the first House Guards, Second Battalion, Missouri State Militia; Cass County Volunteer Militia; request for clemency
3 (17)	44 (46)	September 24, 1866	Fine Remittances, Robinson —W. J. Terrell, Harrisonville, Cass County: Alexander Robinson Case, request for pardon by the governor
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3 (17)	44 (46)	December 15, 1866	Fine Remittances, Robinson —W. J . Terrell, Claim Agent, Terrell and Mather, attorneys at law, Harrisonville, Cass County; to C. W. Waite: response to how our representative stands upon the senatorial question; Charles Drake; transmittal of case papers regarding Capt. Alex Robinson's conviction; remittance of fine

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3 (17)	44 (46)	March 27, 1867	Fine Remittances, Robinson —W. J. Terrell, Claim Agent, Terrell and Mather, Harrisonville, Cass County: requesting response to his previous request regarding the Robinson Case; Terrell denies being a pardon broker
3 (17)	45 (46)	February 11, 1867	Fine Remittances—D. C. Smith, St. Louis; details of his case, request for remittance of fine; also includes a letter of support from the South West Pacific Railroad, commissioner's office in St. Louis
3 (17)	45 (46)	1866	Fine Remittances—petition, officials of Linn County: requesting remittance of fines imposed in circuit court on: Samuel Moore, Ira Gilbert, S. H. Herriford, George W. Hinkle, William Fox, N. W. Washbourne, L. W. James, John McCormick, James Wilson, Robinson Tovey
3 (17)	45 (46)	1866	Fine Remittances—James H. Trim, Phelps County: personal request for pardon and fine, convicted of felonious assault; discusses hardships suffered in Texas County during the Civil War; Wood Battalion, 6 th Missouri Cavalry Volunteers; Phelps County circuit court; Texas County order to sell farm; also includes supporting letter from C. H. Frost
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3 (17)	45 (46)	April 6, 1866	Fine Remittances—petition, citizens of Kingston, Caldwell County: requesting pardon for Alfred C. Liard, convicted of gaming and betting, ownership of a saloon in Kidder; didn't permit gaming on his property, joined in on one game; service in the Civil War
3 (17)	45 (46)	April 28, 1866	Fine Remittances—Eli Hughes, former Capt. Co. K, Enrolled Missouri Militia, et al, Richmond, Ray County: requesting clemency and remittance of fine imposed upon Capt. Peter Stevens and Henderson Sloan, forfeiture of recognizance bond of Thomas Thacker who was convicted of grand larceny; \$800 judgment
3 (17)	45 (46)	May 30, 1866	Fine Remittances—petition, Daviess County court, Gallatin, Daviess County: requesting remittance of \$10 fine imposed on Isaac N. Thomas, overseer of road district no. 8; convicted and fined for failing to keep the roads in his district in good repair during the fall of 1864; at which time Thomas was on active duty in the Militia; Thrailkid and Bill Anderson; bushwhacking
3 (17)	45 (46)	June 6, 1866	Fine Remittances—John W. Brown, Harrison County circuit clerk, Bethany: certification of judgment against John Hall for selling liquor with a bond; fined \$50, fine payment
3 (17)	45 (46)	August 1, 1866	Fine Remittances—S. N. Perryman, Princeton, Mercer County: transmittal of applications by John Hall and Edgar Blachley for remittance of fines
3 (17)	45 (46)	August 7, 1866	Fine Remittances—C. H. Frost, Rolla, Phelps County: statement of support for James H. Trim; service with the Union Army; loss of his wife and family; drinker
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3 (17)	46	July 23, 1866	Fine Remittances, Gooch—license, dealer/peddler, William Gooch, Johnson County
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3 (17)	46	April 1867	Fine Remittances, Gooch—grand jury indictment, William Gooch: selling liquor without a license
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3 (17)	47 (46)	1867	Fine Remittances—Michael Guthrie and leading citizens of Nodaway County; Maryville: request for relief from a forfeiture of recognizance bond for William Guthrie who served with 4 th Regiment Missouri State Militia; charged with larceny and jailed; defendant's father posted bond; Guthrie was released from jail and became involved in a murder in Sedalia, Pettis County; escaped
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3 (17)	48 (46)	December 13, 1867	Fine Remittances—Jonas J. Clark, Chillicothe, Livingston County: transmittal of petition from citizens of Harrison County; requests remittance of fine imposed upon Mr. Banton; selling liquor without a license
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3 (17)	48 (46)	December 26, 1867	Fine Remittances—William Ridenbaugh and Samuel S. McGibbons, St. Joseph, Buchanan County: deposition before notary public on the Morgan forgery case; swears that Sheriff Michael D. Morgan had no part in acts of forgery perpetrated by Milton Morgan; that all monies collected by sheriff were promptly paid; good character of Michael D. Morgan; should not be held responsible for judgment against Milton Morgan
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3 (17)	49 (46)	February 18, 1868	Fine Remittances—C. M. Bassett, St. Joseph, Buchanan County: request for remittance of judgment against Michael Morgan and Samuel S. McGibbon; death of Morgan, hardship for Mrs. Morgan
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3 (17)	52 (46)	October 1868	Fine Remittances—Petition, citizens of Versailles, Morgan County: support for Humphrey Roberts, unprovoked attack by George Nyrick, known thug
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3 (17)	57 (47)	August 17, 1868	Elections—Vernon County; call for election for the new representative from the 5 th Congressional District; includes notice of election by Vernon County sheriff, Oscar M. Nelson; bill to the state for posting notices
3 (17)	57 (47)	October 7, 1867	Elections—Washington County; call for the election of a new representative from the 3 rd Congressional District; death of Congressman Thomas Estes Noell; reply from Sheriff John C. Breckenridge
3 (17)	57 (47)	October 7, 1867	Elections—Wayne County; call for the election of a new representative from the 3 rd Congressional District; death of Congressman Thomas Estes Noell; reply from L. H. Linville, sheriff
3 (17)	57 (47)	October 7, 1867	Elections—Wayne County; call for the election of a new state representative for the 24 th General Assembly; reply from Sheriff L. H. Linville
4 (18)	1 (2)	September 28, 1868	Crime—Baker: Thomas Todd, Newton County; attempt by convict Daniel Baker's family to convince the governor they are destitute and to free Baker from the state penitentiary; poor character of family; father left county to avoid arrest for attempted murder; Baker's conviction for horse stealing; Lexington, Lafayette County

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4 (18)	2 (3)	May 30, 1868	Crime—Bannister: Capt. Romey M. Ogle, Savannah, Andrew County; request for pardon for William Banister/Bannister; convict from Andrew County; service with the Missouri State Militia
4 (18)	3 (4)	No date	Crime—Birch: application for remitter, Dade County; remittance of fine imposed upon George W. Birch, convicted of selling liquor without a license
4 (18)	3 (4)	October 27, 1865	Crime—Birch: John C. Price, et al, Greenfield, Dade County; request for relief of fine imposed upon George W. Birch, convicted of selling liquor without a license; in poor health
4 (18)	3 (4)	October 27, 1865	Crime—Birch: John H. Howard, Greenfield, Dade County; overview of the circumstances which led to the conviction of George W. Birch for selling whiskey without a license; request for Governor to help Birch out of his situation
4 (18)	4 (5)	October 12, 1865	Crime—Bird: petition, citizens of Hickory County; request for remittance of fine imposed upon George L. Bird for his conviction of aiding and abetting the assault by one William Means on the person of Dr. Duncan; Bird's service with Missouri State Militia
4 (18)	5 (7)	December 3, 1868	Crime—Blackwell: Judge Jonas Clark, 17 th judicial circuit, Utica, Livingston County; attempt by the friends of William Blackwell to submit a misleading petition requesting a pardon for Blackwell; conviction for selling liquor on Sunday, refusal to pay the fine, threatened the life of the Livingston County sheriff; imprisonment and escape from the Livingston County jail with other inmates; description of crimes committed by inmates and escapees William Darr and William Thomas; Sheriff Harker, Garland Parker did not try to escape and attempted to aid the jailor
4 (18)	6	June 22, 1868	Crime—Broughton: J. Pitezel, Cainsville, Harrison County; transmittal of petition requesting the governor refuse to pardon Marion Broughton

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4 (18)	6	June 12, 1868	Crime—Broughton: petition, citizens of Harrison County, Cainsville; request for Governor to refuse to pardon Marion Broughton, convicted of horse stealing, band of horse thieves, Northern Missouri
4 (18)	7 (8)	November 29, 1868	Crime—Cline: Lyman Robinson, St. Louis; request for the governor to grant clemency to Levi Cline; convicted of horse stealing and sentenced to the state penitentiary for five years; charge originated between Stafford and Cline's wife whom Stafford had seduced and instigated to give testimony against her husband for the purpose of removing him out of the way; Randolph County; Cline's service with the Union and loss of his first wife and home; driven out by bushwhackers
4 (18)	8 (9)	June 4, 1865	Crime—Davidson: James Baker, Springfield, Greene County to Honorable S. H. Boyd; transmittal of petition requesting the pardon of Alfred Davidson; influence of Radicals in Springfield; McElhany; Flech
4 (18)	8 (9)	June 4, 1865	Crime—Davidson: petition requesting the pardon of Alfred Davidson; convicted of robbery and sentenced to 10 years in prison by the Green County circuit court, January 1865; Davidson, rebel sympathizer, convicted for taking a gun from John Day; more an act of war than of robbery; Davidson loyal at present
4 (18)	9 (10)	June 26, 1867	Crime—Everman: petition, citizens of Knox County; request to refuse pardon for Thomas Everman; Knox County circuit court; Edina, Knox County; Judge Harrison, trial at Marion County; Thomas Everman served as a Confederate soldier; jury composed of rebel sympathizers ; altercation between Everman and Doctor John L. Taylor on June 24 th resulted in blows; Everman ambushed Dr. Taylor, shooting him in back with shotgun; Everman reloaded gun and shot Taylor in face and legs; Taylor died
4 (18)	10 (11)	July 1868	Crime—Fehrel: petition for pardon of Charles Fehrel, convicted in St. Louis Criminal Court for burglary and larceny and sentenced to five years

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4 (18)	10 (11)	October 1, 1868	Crime—Fehrel: petition, citizens of St. Louis; request for pardon of Charles Fehrel, convicted of burglary and larceny; good character, undue influences
4 (18)	10 (11)	October 16, 1868	Crime—Fehrel: Capt. V. Soden, St. Louis; transmittal of petition requesting a pardon for Charles Fehrel
4 (18)	10 (11)	December 3, 1868	Crime—Fehrel: J. C. McGinnis, 408 Market Street, St. Louis; inquiry to the status of a pardon for Charles Fehrel
4 (18)	11 (12)	July 3, 1866	Crime—Hartley: J. F. Ware, circuit court clerk, Cynthiana, Harrison County, Kentucky; letter of recommendation for Joseph B. Hartley; association with the Freedman's Bureau in Harrison County, Kentucky
4 (18)	11 (12)	April 1867	Crime—Hartley: petition, officers, Missouri State Prison; request for the governor to grant clemency to Joseph B. Hartley; convicted by the St. Louis Criminal Court for Larceny; Hartley's character and personal habits; model prisoner; defendants' promise to leave Missouri
4 (18)	12 (13)	No date	Crime—Hinderliter (Hinterrenther, sic): petition for pardon from Isaac Hinderliter, Missouri State Prison, Jefferson City; convicted in December 1863 in St. Louis Criminal Court of horse stealing and sentenced to seven years
4 (18)	12 (13)	August 26, 1863	Crime—Hinderliter: court proceedings, St. Louis Criminal Court; statements, Missouri vs. Richard Kirk and Israel Hinderliter; description of case; arresting officers; Casper Link and G.T. Wright; horse owner, Giles Bradford and value of horse; St. Louis, Mount Olive; police stable; glass house; Concordia Park; Plank Road; police station; St. Louis Criminal Court
4 (18)	12 (13)	1865	Crime—Hinderliter: petition; requesting a pardon for Israel Hinderliter; includes the signatures of the Prosecutors of the case
4 (18)	12 (13)	February 10, 1865	Crime—Hinderliter: J. P. Corman, St. Louis; request for a pardon for Israel Hinderliter; seven year sentence; request governor to look into testimony

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4 (18)	12 (13)	May 30, 1865	Crime—Hinderliter: T. D. Bicknell, M.D., St. Louis; request for a pardon for Israel Hinderliter; Hinderliter's unknowingly was hired by the thieves to bring stolen government horses from "Carendales" (Carondolet) to St. Louis; Hinderliter's aged father; wife and child
4 (18)	12 (13)	September 14, 1865	Crime—Hinderliter: Lynas Englbert and Giles Bradford, Prosecutors, St. Louis; request for pardon for Israel Hinderliter, convicted of horse stealing; Englbert and Bradford were the owners of the stolen horse; destitute condition of Hinderliter's wife and child
4 (18)	12 (13)	November 22, 1865	Crime—Hinderliter: T. D. Bicknell, M.D., St. Louis; request for a pardon for Israel Hinderliter; falsely charged and convicted, lack of counsel
4 (18)	13 (14)	August 11, 1866	Crime—Howard: certified copy of docket transcript, Missouri vs. John Howard, grand larceny and sheep stealing; William A. Mason, owner of sheep; John Howard, black man, Marion County; Hannibal; value of sheep
4 (18)	14 (15)	July 1868	Crime—Hughes: petition, requesting clemency for Albert Hughes, colored man convicted of murder; sentenced to be hung on July 24 th in Plattsburg or Platte City; Clinton County circuit court; Hughes in the hands of the sheriff of Clinton County; requesting pardon or commutation of the sentence; transmittal of the case as written by Attorney H. J. Chapman, Kingston who attended the trial (note on document indicates that the pardon was refused as the defendant is dead)
4 (18)	12 (13)	July 1868	Crime—Hughes: H. J. Chapman, notary public, Kingston, Caldwell County; Albert Hughes, colored man, without means or influential friends; discusses circumstances of case; confession under unusual circumstances; no direct evidence at trial; conviction was based on his confession; evidence of beating during capture and in jail before trial
4 (18)	15 (16)	September 20, 1865	Crime—Keller: court proceedings, Keller Trial, September term of Buchanan County circuit court, St. Joseph; seven year sentence for conviction of attempted rape

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4 (18)	15 (16)	May 21, 1868	Crime—Keller: J. W. Strong, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; requesting pardon for Joseph Keller, convicted of attempted rape; Strong served as the attorney for Keller during the trial; only witness suspicious
4 (18)	16 (17)	1869	Crime—King: petition, residents of Cape Girardeau County; requesting clemency for James H. King, convicted of assault with intent to kill Catharine Hughes; King's service during the Civil War in the Federal army; received an honorable discharge; not in his right mind, at time of offense
4 (18)	16 (17)	February 15, 1869	Crime—King: L. Harill, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County; to H. Burnshle, Jefferson City; sale of farm, interest payments, requesting he try and obtain pardon for King
4 (18)	17 (18)	No date	Crime—Lath: petition, citizens of Franklin County; requesting a pardon for Daniel Lath, convicted by the St. Louis Criminal Court of burglary and larceny; sentenced to 11 years at the Missouri Penitentiary; service in the Union Army, disability discharge, childhood and character, religious upbringing
4 (18)	17 (18)	November 19, 1865	Crime—Lath: Landon Caldwell, Franklin County; vouching for the character of Daniel Lath, prisoner in the Penitentiary; life in Franklin County; death of his parents; service in the Union Army
4 (18)	18 (19)	1868	Crime—Malloy: statement of prisoner, Thomas Malloy, circumstances of his case; stealing a pair of pants, influence of alcohol; service in Mexico; Missouri Indian Battalion for the Plains during the Mexican War, under the leadership of the military associates of Doniphan; Civil War service, Gettysburg, Battles of the Wilderness, Cold Harbor, Petersburg, Washington, Winchester, Fisher's Hill, and Cedar Creek; General Price, Claiborne Jackson
4 (18)	18 (19)	April 11, 1868	Crime—Malloy: copy of recommendation for executive clemency by the Platte County court; clemency for Thomas Malloy

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4 (18)	18 (19)	April 20, 1868	Crime—Malloy: prisoners petition, citizens of Platte County; requesting clemency for Thomas Malloy; Platte County circuit court
4 (18)	18 (19)	July 29, 1868	Crime—Malloy: N. P. Ogden, Weston, Platte County; transmittal of letter from Thomas Malloy; disposition of the case and request for a pardon; includes Malloy letter
4 (18)	18 (19)	August 13, 1868	Crime—Malloy: Thomas Malloy; requesting a pardon for his conviction of grand larceny; inability of his material witness to testify due to family policy; references from judges, attorneys and county officials, ex members of Congress and leading members of state legislature; R. P. C. Wilson of Platte City; James Hill of Weston; Judge Lucas
4 (18)	19 (20)	March 7, 1865	Crime—Marsh: petition for pardon; Joseph Marsh was convicted in St. Louis Criminal Court of grand larceny and burglary and sentenced to 10 years; includes a copy of the 1865 proclamation issued by Fletcher calling for the restoration of civil law; the re-establishment of civil law, and for citizen support
4 (18)	19 (20)	1866	Crime—Marsh: petition, citizens of St. Louis; requesting a pardon for Joseph Marsh
4 (18)	19 (20)	September 20, 1866	Crime—Marsh: Horace Holton, St. Louis; requesting a pardon for Joseph Marsh, sail maker, convicted by the St. Louis Criminal Court of burglary; robbery of a dry goods store; De Soto, Ripley County
4 (18)	19 (20)	March 5, 1867	Crime—Marsh: H. A. Swift, warden, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City; behavior of Joseph Marsh while imprisoned
4 (18)	19 (20)	October 23, 1867	Crime—Marsh: Joseph Marsh to Horace Holton; request for Holton to intercede with Governor Fletcher and secure a pardon for his release; release and pardon of James F. W. Smith, Marsh's partner in crime
4 (18)	19 (20)	October 28, 1867	Crime—Marsh: Horace Holton, Holton's Military Clothing Depot, St. Louis to General Clinton B. Fisk; request for a pardon for Marsh; partner released; character reference for March; plight of wife and children; suffered enough

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4 (18)	19 (20)	December 2, 1867	Crime—Marsh: Joseph Marsh to Horace Holton; Holton's attempt to procure a pardon from Governor Fletcher for Marsh; Governor Fletcher's trip to St. Louis
4 (18)	19 (20)	May 18, 1868	Crime—Marsh: Horace Holton, Horace Holton's Military Clothing Depot, St. Louis; requesting a pardon for Joseph Marsh, convicted by the St. Louis Criminal Court of burglary and sentenced to 10 years; pardon of partner in crime
4 (18)	19 (20)	May 27, 1868	Crime—Marsh: Horace Holton, to Mr. C.C. Draper; request for pardon for Marsh, destitute condition of the convict's wife
4 (18)	20 (21)	No date	Crime—Meighan: application for pardon for Andrew Meighan, convicted of horse stealing and sentenced to two years (note indicated that Meighan was pardoned by Governor Joseph Washington McClurg)
4 (18)	20 (21)	February 18, 1868	Crime—Meighan: B. H. Wilson, Marshall, Saline County; request for the release of Andrew Meighan
4 (18)	21 (22)	1868	Crime—Phillips: Petition for Pardon for Riley Phillips, convicted in New Madrid Circuit Court for murder
4 (18)	21 (22)	September 5, 1868	Crime—Phillips: Blane Ballard, Louisville, Kentucky; requesting a pardon for Riley Phillips, New Madrid County
4 (18)	21 (22)	October 2, 1868	Crime—Phillips: Thomas E. Branlette, Louisville, Kentucky; letter of introduction for Richard Phillips of Jefferson County, Kentucky; Riley Phillips case
4 (18)	21 (22)	October 2, 1868	Crime—Phillips: James Speed, Louisville, Kentucky; vouches for the character of Riley Phillips and his family; request for a pardon of Riley Phillips (Speed was Abraham Lincoln's Attorney General)
4 (18)	21 (22)	October 5, 1868	Crime—Phillips: U.S. Marshal William Allenwoerthen, Louisville, Kentucky; request for the pardon/release of Riley Phillips on behalf of his father Richard Phillips

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4 (18)	21 (22)	October 5, 1868	Crime—Phillips: T. S. Bell, Louisville, Kentucky; vouches for the character of Riley Phillips and his family; residents of Jefferson County, Kentucky; acquitted of charges in a fray in which Wilson was cut in the body and arm with a pocket knife; four months after the wound healed, a secondary hemorrhage required amputation; Wilson died during the operation
4 (18)	21 (22)	October 5, 1868	Crime—Phillips: Henry Dent, Louisville, Kentucky; requesting a pardon for Riley Phillips, New Madrid County; circumstances of charges, death of Wilson
4 (18)	22 (23)	December 10, 1867	Crime—Reno: John Ballinger, Daviess County sheriff, Gallatin; arrest and incarceration of John Reno and Frank Sparks; robbery of the Daviess County collector's office; Reno's confession to the crime; requests Governor Fletcher to refuse extradition request to Indiana
4 (18)	22 (23)	March 17, 1868	Crime—Reno: T. A. Herring, Methodist Episcopal preacher, Brownstown, Indiana; attempts by John Reno and his family and friends to obtain a pardon for his conviction; family's criminal reputation
4 (18)	22 (23)	June 5, 1868	Crime—Reno: Alfred Gaither, Adams Express Company, office of the superintendent, Western Division, Cincinnati, Ohio; to S. M. Breckenridge, St. Louis; character of John Reno; robbery of the Adams Express Company in 1865; robbery of \$12,000 from the company safe; 2 nd robbery of \$16,000; tried and convicted in Missouri; Frank Reno, John Reno, Tim Reno; escape plans led to robbery of \$56,000 from the Express passenger train of the Jeffersonville Railroad; money to be used to purchase pardon
4 (18)	22 (23)	June 6, 1868	Crime—Reno: S. M. Breckenridge, St. Louis; Mr. Gaither; character of the Adams Express Company; requesting that Reno be required to serve his full sentence

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4 (18)	22 (23)	June 8, 1868	Crime—Reno: S. M. Breckenridge, St. Louis; transmittal of letter from Alfred Gaither of the Adams Express Company, Cincinnati, Ohio; requesting that the governor refuse the petitions to grant a pardon to John Reno
4 (18)	22 (23)	June 17, 1868	Crime—Reno: petition; request for a pardon of John Reno, Gallatin, Daviess County; burglary of the Daviess County collector's office; capture of Reno and Franklin Sparks in Jackson County, Indiana; release of Sparks, intimidation used to convince Sparks to plead guilty and refuse counsel; Reno convicted and sentenced to 25 years in the state penitentiary; indictment of Daniel Smith, Silas Smith and Clifford for the same charge; grand jury failed to hand down an indictment; Reno's service with the Union Army during the Civil War
4 (18)	22 (23)	June 20, 1868	Crime—Reno: S. M. Breckenridge, St. Louis; Fletcher's response to the request for a pardon of John Reno
4 (18)	22 (23)	July 17, 1868	Crime—Reno: James W. Owens (on stationery of the office of the secretary of state), Jefferson City, Cole County; requesting a pardon for John Reno
4 (18)	22 (23)	July 23, 1868	Crime—Reno: newspaper clippings published by the Republican, Seymour, Indiana; detailing the crime spree perpetrated on Indiana and Missouri by the Reno brothers and Frank Sparks; conditions in Missouri immediately after the end of the Civil War
4 (18)	22 (23)	December 26, 1868	Crime—Reno: Laura Reno, Jefferson City, Cole County, to Mr. Ballinger, Daviess County sheriff; requesting help from Ballinger for her brother John Reno; money ready, keep arrangements quiet
4 (18)	23 (24)	No date	Crime—Richards: G. W. Richards, prisoner, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City; request for a pardon and release from prison; innocent of the charge for which he was convicted; changed in prison

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4 (18)	23 (24)	No date	Crime—Richards: John N. Straat, former assistant St. Louis County circuit attorney; statement, George W. Richards case; indictment for grand larceny and found guilty; witnesses include Lewis Henderson, (owner of the lost property) James W. Curd, colored, and police officer Kohlhund; Richards was accused of stealing Henderson's watch; Curd testified that Foley had watch in his position; Officer Kohlhund was present when Richards was brought into the police station; Henderson testimony completely at variance with his testimony before the grand jury
4 (18)	23 (24)	No date	Crime—Richards: H. A. Swift, warden, state penitentiary, Jefferson City; attempted jail break at the St. Louis jail, stampede at St. Louis jail; George W. Richards, attempted escape; found by jailer's wife
4 (18)	23 (24)	November 26, 1868	Crime—Richards: John N. Straat, St. Louis; request for a pardon of George W. Richards; Straat's previous petition
4 (18)	23 (24)	November 30, 1868	Crime—Richards: Warden H. A. Swift, state penitentiary, Jefferson City; report to the governor about prisoner George W. Richards; conviction of grand larceny by the Criminal Court in St. Louis; sentenced to five years at the state penitentiary; report of his conduct as a prisoner
4 (18)	23 (24)	December 1, 1868	Crime—Richards: Deputy Warden J. D. Wright, state penitentiary, Jefferson City; report to the governor about prisoner George W. Richards; request by Mrs. Richards to solicit the governor's help; attempt by George Richards to escape
4 (18)	23 (24)	December 5, 1868	Crime—Richards: Langfield Hirsch, Jefferson City; requesting the pardon of George W. Richards
4 (18)	24 (25)	No date	Crime—Seale: R. W. Hard, justice of the peace, Callaway County; request for pardon of Hayden F. Seale; indicted by the grand jury for burglary in the Callaway County circuit court
4 (18)	24 (25)	November 27, 1866	Crime—Seale: Bernard Schepers, Jefferson City; transmittal of petition to the governor on behalf of Mrs. Seale; Union loyalist of Callaway County

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4 (18)	25 (26)	1866	Crime—Stearnes: N. N. Cook, Paul Hubbard, W. H. Duncan, et al; request for a pardon of David F. Stearnes, convicted of attempted rape by the Pettis County circuit court; refers to his mother, who reports that David F. Stearnes was thrown from a wagon and mentally and physically injured
4 (18)	26 (27)	No date	Crime—Stevens: William Plunel, Captain, Company B, 6 th Missouri State Militia; request for clemency for William Stevens, 25 year sentence, state penitentiary
4 (18)	26 (27)	December 3, 1866	Crime—Stevens: W. P. Beach, attorney, Macon, Macon County; request for clemency for William Stevens, former Union soldier; convicted of grand larceny by the Boone County circuit court; accused of stealing a gold ring and clothing in Centralia; Stevens capture; Centralia reputation as a hotbed for southern sympathizers; slavery
4 (18)	27 (28)	October 9, 1868	Crime—Taylor: James C. McGinnis, St. Louis; request for a pardon of Martin Helen and Eugene Taylor; convicted of petit larceny; pawned a coat of a roommate, St. Louis Criminal Court
4 (18)	28 (29)	No date	Crime—Tilton: William Tilton, prisoner, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City; to H.H. Wallace; plea for help to secure a pardon and release from the governor; Judge Tutt; Major Reford
4 (18)	28 (29)	No date	Crime—Tilton: petition, citizens of Lafayette County; requesting a pardon for William Tilton; conviction Lafayette County circuit court; convicted for the murder of Charles F. Mehl; confinement in the Lafayette County jail prior to his transfer to the state penitentiary; Mehl and Tilton fought; Mehl not deliberately murdered
4 (18)	28 (29)	May 24, 1866	Crime—Tilton: John A. Tutt, Lexington, Lafayette County; conviction for the murder of “a man by the name of Mehl,” 12 year sentence; request for a pardon
4 (18)	28 (29)	August 11, 1866	Crime—Tilton: H. C. Wallace, attorney, Lexington, Lafayette County; request for a pardon of Tilton; Lafayette County circuit court; transmittal of petition; reference to Tilton’s letter to Wallace, (see previous entry), written by another as Tilton is illiterate

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4 (18)	29 (30)	July 26, 1868	Crime—Turner: J. Wiethuehter, St. Louis, to Mr. Wuhlbach; character reference for the mother of Charles Turner, colored, Mrs. Lewis; request for Wuhlbach's aid in requesting a pardon for Turner
4 (18)	29 (30)	July 27, 1868	Crime—Turner: G. Wuhlbach, St. Louis; request for the pardon and release of Charles Turner; family was emancipated in St. Louis by military order; family lived with Wuhlbach for two years and did work well; emancipation of slaves; black prisoner
4 (18)	29 (30)	July 29, 1868	Crime—Turner: H. A. Swift, warden, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City; report to the governor about prisoner Charles Turner; conviction by the St. Louis Criminal Court for grand larceny, sentenced to five years state penitentiary; poor behavior in prison, fighting, refusal to work, quarreling, and insolence; black prisoner (note: half white)
4 (18)	30 (31)	No date	Crime—Williams: petition, citizens of St. Louis; request for a pardon of John H. Williams; extreme youth
4 (18)	30 (31)	April 26, 1867	Crime—Williams: John H. Williams, inmate, State Penitentiary, Jefferson City; to C. F. Bell; inquiry into his case; irregular mail, family disgrace; promises to leave state immediately if pardoned
4 (18)	30 (31)	November 14, 1867	Crime—Williams: M (sister) to Johnnie; John H. Williams incarceration, conviction, and the disgrace he has brought to the Williams family; request for John to keep his incarceration a secret; refusal to solicit for signatures on a petition to the governor
4 (18)	30 (31)	November 15, 1867	Crime—Williams: Frank Pugh (brother in law of John H. Williams) Popes Depot, Mississippi; to Taylor and Greene; character of John H. Williams; Pugh's refusal to tell Mrs. Williams of his situation; request for Taylor and Greene not to contact Mrs. Williams
4 (18)	30 (31)	March 12, 1868	Crime—Williams: Peter P. Dailey, clerk of the St. Louis Criminal Court, St. Louis; certification of the conviction of John H. Williams; convicted of burglary, breaking and entering the home of George B. Mullen; stole pair of pants and one dress coat; convicted of burglary in the second degree and sentenced to three years

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4 (18)	30 (31)	April 26, 1868	Crime—Williams: John H. Williams, inmate Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, to Mr. Bell; inability of Williams' attorneys to secure his release; brother in law-Frank Pugh; request for Bell's help in securing a pardon from the governor
4 (18)	30 (31)	May 6, 1868	Crime—Williams: George B. Mullen, St. Louis; request for the governor to pardon John H. Williams; return of stolen property by convicted criminal
4 (18)	30 (31)	May 18, 1868	Crime—Williams: John H. Williams, inmate Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, to P.V. Bell; receipt of Bell's letter dated May 5, 1868; requests conditional pardon; willing to pursue any vocation Bell advocates
4 (18)	30 (31)	June 16, 1868	Crime—Williams: Francis Banfield, St. Louis; petition requesting the pardon of John H. Williams; character reference
4 (18)	31 (32)	No date	Crime—Morgan: petition, members of the Buchanan County circuit court; requesting the governor remit judgment in the forgery case against Milton Morgan
4 (18)	31 (32)	No date	Crime—Morgan: S. Ensworth, listing of papers of the Morgan case
4 (18)	31 (32)	No date	Crime—Morgan: statement of the grand jury and petition against the remittance of bond held for Milton Morgan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; Morgan's arrest for forging "a large amount of Buchanan County warrants; Morgan waived an examination and gave bond in the sum of \$10,000 with Michael D. Morgan and S.S. McGibbons as his security; skipped bond
4 (18)	31 (32)	March 26, 1867	Crime—Morgan: newspaper account of the suicide of Milton N. Morgan; location and newspaper name unknown
4 (18)	31 (32)	April 10, 1867	Crime—Morgan: telegram to M. D. Morgan (Michael D. Morgan), from E. W. Carpenter, Hazelhurst, Mississippi; notifying Morgan that his brother is dead

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4 (18)	31 (32)	April 15, 1867	Crime—Morgan: E. W. Carpenter, Hazelhurst, Mississippi; to M. D. Morgan, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; details of the death of Milton Morgan; died and buried March 26, 1867
4 (18)	31 (32)	April 17, 1867	Crime—Morgan: sworn statement of Dr. H. Harsten, Hazelhurst, Copiah County, Mississippi; suicide of Milton N. Morgan; Morgan's mental state at time of death; residence at the Kirkpatrick Hotel; former suicide attempt; committed suicide by ingesting acid
4 (18)	31 (32)	April 23, 1867	Crime—Morgan: statement of E. W. Carpenter, Druggist, Hazelhurst, Copiah County, Mississippi; suicide of Morgan; attempts by Dr. H. H. Hanslow to prevent Morgan from committing suicide; burial by the Masonic fraternity
4 (18)	31 (32)	April 23, 1867	Crime—Morgan: statement of William A. Kirkpatrick, Hazelhurst, Copiah County, Mississippi; suicide of Morgan; meeting with Morgan on February 13, 1867, railroad station; travel to New Orleans and Canton Mississippi; Morgan became a resident at Kirkpatrick's Hotel; working as a carpenter; state of mind
4 (18)	31 (32)	May 16, 1867	Crime—Morgan: statement of Samuel Leffew, Danville, Hendricks County, Indiana; life of Milton Morgan
4 (18)	31 (32)	May 16, 1867	Crime—Morgan: statement of Mary Padgett, Hendricks County, Indiana; life of Milton N. Morgan; Morgan's residence with Padgett from 1865-1866; paranoia, refusal to eat; constant melancholy thoughts of wife and children
4 (18)	31 (32)	May 16, 1867	Crime—Morgan: statement of Rufus Tharp, Danville, Hendricks County, Indiana; Morgan's refusal to work and eat; insanity

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4 (18)	31 (32)	November 19, 1867	Crime—Morgan: E. O. Hill, St. Joseph, Buchanan County; investigation into the securities held for the Milton Morgan case; deposit by Morgan of \$2,500 with McGibbons, money was paid to the Buchanan County sheriff; debt of Milton Morgan's estate to his brother Michael in the amount of \$1,400; refusal of Michael to sign over to widow the deed for property owned by Milton; request for Governor to secure the deed of property for Morgan's widow, remit the bond
4 (18)	31 (32)	June 14, 1869	Crime—Morgan: handwritten note on a petition for remitter, M.D. Morgan and S.S. McGibbon; forfeiture of recognizance; rejected by Governor Fletcher notation crossed out and a handwritten note states that the remitter was issued on June 14 or 15, 1869, signed by C.C. Draper
4 (18)	32 (33)	No date	Subject Correspondence—statement from R. A. Barnes, Missouri State Bank, St. Louis: listing dividends declared on stock owned or held by the state of Missouri; St. Louis; and Chillicothe
4 (18)	32 (33)	November 18, 1864	Subject Correspondence—Samuel Huffman, Savannah, Andrew County: recommends the appointment of Horace A. Swift as warden of the state penitentiary; Radicals, Jefferson City; support for Fletcher administration
4 (18)	32 (33)	November 20, 1864	Subject Correspondence—S. S. Barney Capt. and Adjutant General, Cavalry Division, Washington, D.C.: letter of recommendation for Pvt. Henry Stevens, Company G., 21 st New York Cavalry
4 (18)	32 (33)	November 25, 1864	Subject Correspondence—petition, certified by Joseph Washington McClurg, Jefferson City, Cole County: recommends the appointment of Horace A. Swift as warden of the state penitentiary
4 (18)	32 (33)	December 1864	Subject Correspondence—petition, citizens of Jefferson City, Cole County: supporting the appointment of S. W. Cox as clerk of the state penitentiary; qualifications

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4 (18)	32 (33)	December 30, 1864	Subject Correspondence—James F. Bench, general secretary, U. L. A., Jefferson City, Cole County: recommends the appointment of Horace Swift as warden of the state penitentiary
4 (18)	33 (34)	January 5, 1865	Subject Correspondence—petition, members of the Legislature: supporting the appointment of Horace Swift as warden of the state penitentiary
4	33	January 24, 1865	Subject Correspondence—Teely Young, location unknown: Convention, ousting ordinance (note: referred to J. W. Owens by Governor Fletcher)
4 (18)	33 (34)	April 27, 1865	Subject Correspondence—A. J. Barr, Colonel, Missouri State Militia, Richmond, Ray County: organization of a militia regiment; nine companies including an all Negro company; civil authorities; protection of the district, blacks in the military, black population in northern Missouri
4 (18)	33 (34)	April 27, 1865	Subject Correspondence—John McNeil, St. Louis: letter of introduction for Capt. Ferdinand Chaveaux, 5 th Cavalry, Missouri State Militia
4 (18)	33 (34)	August 17, 1865	Subject Correspondence—Henry Stevens, Co. G, 21 st New York Cavalry, clerk at headquarters district of Kansas, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, to Brigadier General Townsend, assistant adjutant general, U.S. Army: personal request for discharge, forwarded to Governor Fletcher; poor health, pay not enough to support family; capture of Jefferson Davis; Marine Artillery; Col. William A. Howard, commanding Burnside Expedition, Newburne, (New Bern), North Carolina, 21 st New York Cavalry; owed eight months of back pay (Stevens was discharged Sept. 22, 1865 by a special order of the War Department)
4 (18)	33 (34)	November 24, 1865	Subject Correspondence—R. A. Barnes, president of the Missouri State Bank, St. Louis: statement of the bank in response to the report by the state auditor on the condition of the bank; includes detailed financial statement of the bank, its holdings; sale of bonds, New York, New Orleans, London, Paris, Stock, Illinois; rebellion and the effect on the state bank

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4 (18)	33 (34)	December 1865	Subject Correspondence—Lyon Monument Association, Jefferson City: inaugural invitation (back of document, handwritten note from Kingston, Caldwell County, recommending John T. Ross as colonel for the militia)
4 (18)	33 (34)	December 25, 1865	Subject Correspondence—Representative B. H. Wilson, Marshall, Saline County: resignation from office as member of the 23 rd General Assembly
4 (18)	34 (35)	January 13, 1866	Subject Correspondence—proceedings of the 23 rd General Assembly: resolution to fill vacancies in the House of Representatives; death of Thomas C. Gordon, Clay County; death of T. P. Burton, Douglas and Ozark counties
4 (18)	35 (36)	June 4, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Connecticut state librarian, Charles J. Hoadley
4 (18)	35 (36)	May 31, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Georgia state librarian, James G. Montgomery
4 (18)	35 (36)	May 21, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Illinois secretary of state, Sharon Tyndale
4 (18)	35 (36)	June 5, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Kentucky secretary of state, John L. Van Winkle
4 (18)	35 (36)	August 16, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Maine state librarian, G. G. Haey
4 (18)	35 (36)	October 7, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: New Jersey state librarian, C. G. Merilford
4 (18)	35 (36)	May 24, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: New Hampshire state librarian, Nathan W. Gove
4 (18)	35 (36)	July 12, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: New York state librarian J. R. Woolworth
4 (18)	35 (36)	June 25, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Oregon state librarian P. H. Hatch
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4 (18)	35 (36)	May 24, 1867	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Wisconsin state librarian O. M. Conner
4 (18)	36 (37)	January 16, 1867	Subject Correspondence—resolution by the House of Representatives: notifying the governor of the vacancy in office of a representative for Texas County
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4 (18)	36 (37)	March 13, 1867	Subject Correspondence—resolution by the House of Representatives: notifying the governor of the vacancy in office of representatives from Maries, Pemiscot, Shannon, and Callaway counties; request for special election
4 (18)	37 (38)	1868	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: secretary of the Territory of Arizona, James P. T. Carter
4 (18)	37 (38)	June 15, 1868	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: New York state librarian J. R. Woolworth
4 (18)	37 (38)	August 1, 1868	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Ohio state librarian S. G. Harbaugh
4 (18)	37 (38)	June 4, 1868	Subject Correspondence—requests/transmittals of state laws: Rhode Island deputy secretary of state Charles Staples

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4 (18)	38 (39)	January 8, 1868	Subject Correspondence—receipt and settlement for bonds: issued upon the Pacific Railroad, canceled coupons
4 (18)	38 (39)	March 7, 1868	Subject Correspondence—Governor E. M. Pease, Austin, Texas: request for the extradition of Fredrick Biesbusch; charged with aiding and abetting Frank E. Burdell, alias E. B. Fairchild; forgery; Galveston, Texas; Michael Jackues, Texas agent
4 (18)	38 (39)	March 22, 1868	Subject Correspondence—Elias Keach, Galveston, Texas: statement of witness to the crime committed by Fredrick Biesbusch and Frank E. Burdell, includes certification of the Justice's Court
4 (18)	38 (39)	April 11, 1868	Subject Correspondence—E. Keach (Elias Keach), Galveston, Texas to Col. William, St. Louis: requisition for Texas agent Michael Jackues to convey unknown individual (possibly Fredrick Biesbusch or Frank E. Burdell) to Texas
4 (18)	38 (39)	December 23, 1868	Subject Correspondence—A. Thompson, state auditor, and William Bishop, state treasurer, Jefferson City, Cole County, inspectors of the Missouri Penitentiary: lease of property by the office to Phillip Leppeenfeld; includes description of property and terms of lease
4 (18)	38 (39)	December 29, 1868	Subject Correspondence—John G. Richardson, president of the Missouri Valley Railroad Company, New York: extension and consolidation of the railroad system; construction of the railroads in northwest Missouri; Savannah, Andrew County; St. Joseph, Buchanan County; construction of the railroads in eastern Kansas; Leavenworth, Kansas City; completion of the Ogles Mills line from 8 miles north of Savannah to the Iowa state line; cost of construction, weather delayed construction, harsh winter of 1868
4 (18)	40	March 24, 1876	Subject Correspondence—George D. Reynolds, Boulder, Colorado: stock in mining company belonging to George W. Garnett

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