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March 30. The Governor respited for twelve months a judgment of the Nelson Circuit Court of $100. against Wm. Wilson and others upon a forfeited recognizance.

He remitted the following fines to wit:
Louisville City Ct. vs. Benj. Thiel $50. - Concealed Weapons
Harrodsburg Pl. " " B. H. Cunningham $20 + 15. days imprisonment
Bracken Cir. " " J. Walker $100 - Forg.

He issued a bond of the State for $100.000. to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund nine months after date thereof under an act of General Assembly approved 28th of March 1861: Which bond reads in words and figures following, to wit:

"State of Kentucky
$100.000.

"Be it remembered that there is due "from the Commmonwealth of Kentucky to the Commissioners "of the Sinking Fund of Kentucky the sum of One "Hundred Thousand Dollars: payable nine months after "the date hereof, bearing interest at the rate of Six per "cent per annum from this date. This bond is issued for "money loaned to the State of Kentucky by the Commissioners "of the Sinking Fund in pursuance of an act of the "General Assembly, authorizing said loan. Approved March "28th 1861.

"In Testimony Whereof I Beriah Magoffin Gov- "ernor of the Commmonwealth of Kentucky have "hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the "Seal of said Commmonwealth at Frankfort the "31st day of March in the year of our Lord 1861 "and in the 69th year of the Commmonwealth

L. S.

"By the Governor: B. Magoffin"
"Tho. B. Monroe Jr
"Secretary of State"

He approved and signed enrolled bills Chapters 211 to 216 inclusive,

April 1. The Governor commissioned Robt. Harper Adjutant, Lay Paymaster, C. D. Lay Surgeon and F. M. Lay Quartermaster of the enrolled Militia for Hickman County.

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The Governor pardoned Wm Ford convicted of Manslaughter by the Greenup Circuit Court and sentenced to eight years Confinement in the Penitentiary.

Also pardoned John Jourdan (free man of Color) convicted of felony by the Jefferson Circuit Court and sentenced to eighteen months Confinement in the Penitentiary.

He accepted the resignation of W. C. Turk Colonel of the enrolled Militia for Adair County.

He appointed W. N. Dora Cons. of Deeds for Ohio. (Cincinnati)

He remitted to James & Thomas Fitzgerald so much of a judgment of the Benton Circuit Court as sentenced them to six months Confinement in the County Jail and respited a fine of $100 each for six months

He remitted to Wm Ricketts $100 of a judgment of $250 by the Nicholas Circuit Court and respited the balance for twelve months. Said judgment upon a forfeited recognizance

He respited for six months a judgment of the Pulaski Circuit Court of $300 against Wm Love and others for forfeiture of tavern bond.

He respited the following judgments for twelve months, to wit:

Logan Circ. Ct vs. Wm Baker $40. Selling liquor to a slave
Powell Cir. " " Wm Simpkins $100. - Misdemeanor
Whitley " " " Jas. Underwood $20. - Gaming

He remitted the following judgments, to wit:

Garrard Cir. Ct. vs. Jno. Carpenter $50. Concealed Weapons
Trigg " " " E. Bishop Jr $50. Selling liquor to a slave
Powell " " " Jas R. Johns $20. Gaming
Madison " " " T. E. Walker $50. Concealed Weapons
Christian " " " Wm A. Ford $20. Selling liquor
Nelson " " " Moore Lane $200. + 6 months imprisonment

Apr 1. The Governor remitted the following judgments.
Bracken Cir. Ct. vs. Shoebe Case $60. Tipling
Madison " " " Jno. Hill $200. Recognizance
Louisville City " " Jno. McGreen - Assault.

2. The Governor appointed Wm L. Nugent Com. of Deeds for Mississippi (Greenville)

3 Also M. S. Wardrip Com. of Deeds for Georgia - Savannah.)

Also A. O. McGee Com. of Deeds for Colorado Territory. (Denver city)

He approved an account of $20.00 to Steamer Dove for transportation of ammo for State of Kentucky.

He appointed C. J. Burchmore Aid with the Rank of Colonel.

He pardoned Alexander Palfry convicted of Grand Larceny by the Owsley Circuit Court and Sentenced to Imprisonment in the Penitentiary

He remitted to Hansom Johnson three judgments of $20. each by the Daviess Circuit Court. for tipling

He approved and signed on the 1st instant enrolled bills Chapters 247 to 266 inclusive: Also on the 3rd instant enrolled bills Chapters 267 to 300 inclusive

4 The Governor nominated to the Senate for their advice and consent W. C. Gillis to be Notary Public for Wetley County: Also S. B. Buckner to be Inspector General. Scott Brown to be Adjutant General and Geo. M. D. West to be Quarter Master General all of which were duly confirmed.

He pardoned S. Wright convicted of felony by the Simpson Equity Court and sentenced to one years Imprisonment in the Penitentiary

He remitted to W. M. Clark three judgments one of $200. the other two $50. each by the Logan Equity and Criminal Court.

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Apr. 4 The Governor remitted to F. & M. Roberts two judgments one of $200. the other for $60. judgments by the Henry Circuit Court.

He approved and signed enrolled bills. Chapters 301 to 438 inclusive also Resolutions No 10. 11. & 12.

5 The Governor commissioned J. H. Bonde Police Judge of Burkesville.

He appointed Jno. A. Lynch Com. of Deeds for Ohio (Cincinnati)

He respited for twelve months the following Judgments: Shelby Cir. Ct. vs. Moses Washburn $30. disorderly house. Hickman Equity " " R. M. Leay $200. Gaming.

He remitted to J. C. Akin a Judgment of the Hickman County Court of $15. for a breach of the peace

6 The Governor caused to be filed the Oath of A. B. Pomeroy Com. of Deeds for New York.

He commissioned Wm. M. Gibson, Adjutant W. S. Wilson Quarter Master, F. H. Dawkins Paymaster and F. A. Dougherty Surgeon of the Enrolled Militia for Oldham County

Also sundry officers in the Enrolled Militia for the Counties of Clarke, Hancock and Breckinridge

He approved the following Gas accounts to the City of Frankfort. for the month of March, to wit:

Governors House	$38.70
" Secretary's Office	7.60
Auditor & Treasurer's "	40.90
State House	83.24

8 The Governor approved two accounts over of $173. the other of $54. to A. G. Hodges & Co. Amount of printing bills to date.

9 The Governor appointed James Flanagan a Notary Public for Clarke County until the end of the next session of the General Assembly.

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He Governor appointed Hiram Penn Com. of Deeds for Tennessee (Memphis): Also Chas. Nettleton Com. of Deeds for New York (N.Y. City)

He commissioned J. Drake Police Judge of Grayson: And W. Sowder Police Judge of Mt. Vernon.

He commissioned the officers of the Enrolled Militia for Breathitt County.

He appointed Nelson Fields a Justice of the Peace for District No 1. Fulton county in place of Sid. J. Binford resigned.

He accepted the resignation of L. Desha Captain of the Ky. State Guard.

He approved sundry accounts to Adams Express - Office amounting to $6.25/100 certified by the Auditor

He approved an account to Ky. Penitentiary of $382. for fuel and repairs at Governor House.

He approved accounts of Quarter Master General of $6.60/100

He remitted to Benj Sparks $200. of a fine of $500. Judgment by the Louisville City Court and respited the balance for twelve months

He respited for twelve months the following Judgments
Pulaski Cir. Ct. vs L. B. Hanson $300. Forfeited recog. bond.
Morgan " " " Jno. Burton Sr. & others $6. each - Misdemeanor.
Nelson " " " A. Brumfield $50. Concealed Weapons.
" " " " Pat O'Mara $60. Tipling
Letcher " " " Wm Nash $400. Forfeited Recognizance
Edmonson Cy. " " " W. Sanders $60. Tipling
" " " " G. Gilbert $60. "
Simpson " " " Jno. Alexander $20. - Misdemeanor.
Boyd C.C. " " " Gen. Shockley $20. "
Boyle " " " John May $20. breach of the peace

He remitted to Jno. Bunch a judgment of the Whitley Circuit Court of $20. for gaming

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Apr 9 The Governor remitted the following judgments, to wit:
Bullitt Cir. Ct. Ps. Peg + W. Tilsen $250. forfeited recognizance
Whitley " " " Thr. Craven $50. Concealed Weapons.
" " " " W. Hays $50. " "
Harlan " " " W. S. Taylor $20. Selling liquor
Jackson " " " Baker + Owens $20. each Gaming
Pulaski C.P. " " Benj. Burton $5. breach of the peace
Edmonson Cy. " Jno. Quirk $100. forfeited recognizance
Harrodsburg Ps. " J.D. Alexander $30. breach of the peace
Warren Equity " J.W. Young $200. Gaming.
Edmonson " " Jo. Sevis Jr. $20. "
Louisville City " Jno. Doyle $60. Tipling
" " " W. Jennings $25. breach of the peace
" " " Ed. S. Hall $50. Concealed Weapons.
" " " Jo. Melchor $60. Tipling.
Lexington " " S. S. Sevis $50. Concealed Weapons
Nelson C.P. " " F.W. Downs $15. + 15 days imprisonment

10. The Governor accepted the resignation of W. S. Rodgers Captain in State Guard.

He approved an account of $1.50 to L.R. Graham Certified to by State Librarian.

11 The Governor accepted the resignation of J.S. Hall Lt. Colonel of the 44th Enrolled Militia

He appointed S.A. Jones Notary Public for the County of Jefferson until the end of the next session of the General Assembly.

He caused to be filed the Oath of Sal. F. Bond Com. of Deeds for New. Jersey

He pardoned Rufus Jones convicted of Manslaughter by the Wayne Equity and Criminal Court, and sentenced to five years imprisonment in the Penitentiary

12 The Governor remitted for twelve months a judgment of the Louisville City Court of $150. against C. Sheehan upon a forfeited recognizance.

He commissioned J.F. Bullitt Judge of the 3rd Appellate Judicial District.

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Apr. 12. The Governor approved an account of $18.00 of the Louisville Courier Office for publishing the Governors Writ of election for Judge of the Court of appeals.

He offered a reward of $250. for "Lem Brent" a slave charged with the murder of Dr. H. Sturrod in Henderson

13 The Governor approved an account of $33.75 to Wm. P. Enos for 27 days work done at State Arsenal.

15 The Governor approved an account to Steamer Dove of $39.46 for transportation of Ammo. as certified to by the Lt. Gov. Genl.

He pardoned Jno W. Sarke convicted of burglary by the Porter Circuit Court and sentenced to three years Confinement in the Penitentiary

16 The Governor appointed Thos Mitchell a Justice of the Peace for Jefferson County 3rd & 4th Wards of the City of Louisville in place of Ger. Morris resigned.

He approved an account of $32.00 to F. C. Smith.

He Commissioned Gen. R. Price Police Judge of the town of Edmonton.

He accepted and caused to be filed the resignation of Jno W. Abbott Colonel of the Enrolled Militia for Trimble County

He pardoned Jonathan Greer convicted of Man-slaughter by the Christian Circuit Court and sentenced to five years Confinement in the Penitentiary.

He remitted the following judgments, to wit:
Fayette Cir. Ct. vs J. O. Berry $200 Disorderly House
Louisville City " " Allen Smith $50.- Assault

17 The Governor respited for twelve months the following Judgments,
Graves Eq. Ct. vs. Jno A. Pannin $70. Breach of the peace
Mason Cir. " " M. S. Collins $14. " " "
Christian Cir. " " J. S. Sarke $100. Forfeited recognizance

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Apr 17 The Governor respited for twelve months the following Judgments. to wit:
Franklin Cir. Ct. vs. G. Wattell $50. selling liquor to a slave.
Greer " " " W. G. Black $100. Gaming.
Keuton " " " Jacob Metz $50. Weapons.
McLean " " " Brown & Robertson $150. forfeited recognizance
Clarke " " " West $100. - Weapons.

He remitted the following Judgments, to wit:
Bath Cir. Ct. vs A. Hart $60. Tipling
Knox " " " Wm Dye $. Assault.
Whitley " " " A. Barton $40. Gaming.
Taylor " " " N. & R. Blemmins $40. "
Morgan " " " W. Woods $ 10. Adultery
Franklin " " " Jno. Heffner $100. fpr. recognizance

18 The Governor remitted to Polly Ann Donivan and others a Judgment of $50. by the Nicholas Circuit Court upon a forfeited recognizance.

19 The Governor caused to be filed the oaths of H. S. Ingent Com. of Deeds for Mississippi and Lewis Hurst for New York.

22 The Governor issued a requisition on Tennessee for Jno. L. Owens upon two indictments in the Jefferson Circuit Court for felony, and appointed Rich'd W. Moore his Agent to make said demand.

24 The Governor issued a Proclamation calling for an extra Session of the General Assembly to convene at the Capitol on the 6th day of May 1861.

26 The Governor issued issued a Proclamation ordering an election in the County of Trigg for a Member of the House of Representatives to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal from the County of G. A. Linn.

Also ordering an election in Calloway County for a member of the House of Representatives to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Virgil Coleman.

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Apr 26. The Governor appointed W. E. Woodruff Notary Public for Jefferson County until the end of the next session of the Genl Assembly.

29 The Governor appointed and Commissioned Geo. B. Hodge Paymaster General of Kentucky with the Rank of Colonel.

He approved Sundry accounts to Rail Road for the transportation of Arms amounting to $9[illegible] certified to by the Q. M. General.

He approved an account of $7[illegible] to Bobbs & Dehoney for articles furnished the Auditors Office.

He pardoned Jacob Peace convicted of felony by the Perry Circuit Court and sentenced him to One years confinement in the Penitentiary

He commissioned the following persons in the State Guard, to wit:

Heath Rogers	Captain	Major[illegible] Regt	Louisville
W. D. Chipley	1st Lt	" "	"
H. G. Davidson	2d "	" "	"
Wm Ernest	3d "	" "	"
S. W. Lawler	Captain	National Guard	"
G. W. Powell	1st Lt	" "	"
J. D. Price	2d "	" "	"
F. Reynolds	3d "	" "	"
Chas. D. Jacob	Captain	Capt May Chasseurs	"
L. H. Huber	1st Lt	" "	"
B. D. Karsner	2d "	" "	"
G. Schusser	3d "	" "	"
J. O'neal	1st "	Carrol Riflemen	Carrollton
Jno. M. Garrett	2d "	" "	"
C. H. Powell	3d "	" "	"
C. W. Brooks	Captain	Dilphman Guards	Grave Co.
B. G. Williams	1st Lt	"	"
W. L. Smith	2d "	"	"
N. L. Road	3d "	"	"
L. S. Hayden	Captain	Boyd "	"
T. W. Kennedy	1st Lt	" "	"
J. H. Bostwick	2d "	" "	"
T. J. Gregory	3d "	" "	"

Apr 29 The Governor commissioned the following persons in the State Guard, to wit:

Elisha Hodden Captain, Mt Eden Shelby County
Jos A. Snyder 1st " " "
R.F. Fraser 2d " " " "
J.W. Gray 3d " " " "
Lyttleton Cooke Captain Magoffin Artillery. Paducah
W.B. Swan 1st " " "
Powhattan Ellis Jr. 2d " " " "
J.W. Woolfork 3d " " " "

He commissioned the officers of the Enrolled Militia for the counties of Jefferson, Calloway, Hancock. Anderson, Perry and Clarke.

He commissioned J.T. Galbreath Quartermaster Commissary and Jno. S. Shields Adjutant and Paymaster in the State Guard. duly appointed

He remitted to Elias Scudder a judgment of the Maysville City Court of $30. for a misdemeanor.

30 The Governor issued a requisition upon the Auditor for $650. in favor of John Haly in part payment for the erection of a monument over the graves of Daniel Boone & Wife under an act of General Assembly approved March 2d 1861

He commissioned the following persons in the State Guard, to wit:

W.W. Price Captain Bedford Grays - Bedford
J.G. Newkirk 1st " " "
J.R. Sanders 2d " " " "
A.J. Pierce 3d " " " "

He appointed Jno. W. Rogers Notary Public for Jefferson County

He accepted the resignation of L.S. Handley Justice of the Peace for Henry County

He accepted the resignation of W.S. Ware Police Judge of Blandville.

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Apr. 30 The Governor respited for twelve months the following judgments. to wit;
Rowan Cir. Ct. vs. J.F. Kissick $60. Tipling
Edmonson Cy. " " Chas. Meridith $50. Concealed Weapons.

He remitted the following judgments, to wit:
Hickman Cy. Ct. vs. Jas. M. Shuson — 2 judgments each $50. - Gaming
Monroe " " " Thos. Moore $500. $50. remitted.
Carter Cir " " H.H. Overton & others $20. Gaming
Madison " " " Wm. Shanks $50. Concealed Weapons.

May 1 The Governor caused to be filed the oath of Jno. A. Staley Comr. of Deeds for Georgia

He respited for six months two judgments of the Police Court of Constantine one for $15. the other for $5. against F.M. Bohannon for misdemeanors.

2 The Governor commissioned Thos. H. Hunt as Colonel of the 2nd Regiment of Infantry.

Also commissioned the following persons in the State Guard, to wit:
Jas. M. McGill - Captain Ky. Rifles. Louisville
Phil S. German 1st Lt. " " "
Chas. Vanderbilt 2? " " " "
Henry F. Ruer 3? " " " "
Wm Bell Captain Prætus Guard "
J.D.G. Galt 2d Lt. " " "
J.W. Ghiselin 2? " " " "
Wm Irwin 3? " " " "

He commissioned the officers elected in the Enrolled Militia for Mason County.

He commissioned the following persons in the State Guard, to wit:
Chas Kinzey Captain Pygert Guards Springville Ky
W.B. Shakspeare 2d Lt. " " " "
Jno. P. Thompson 2? " " " "
A.B. Thurston 3? " " " "