Monday 3 August 1868

3rd Aug. The Governor remitted following fines &c

Franklin	Dan Kirkpatrick &c	$10.	Absence
Farmington	H Ford & Wacker	$250.	Bail Bond
W Crockett	Crossland & Symes	$110.	&c.

The Governor appointed the following Commissioners of Deeds viz:

N. Proctor Smith	San Francisco.	California.
Nanaton S. Lyon	Cincinnati	Ohio
J. D. Kinsland	Albany	New York

The Governor filed resignation of N. E. Kirtland Commissioner of Deeds for Tennessee. Memphis.

The Governor Commissioned following Notaries Public & Justices Peace.

J. W. Gillespie	Wexford County	
Chas F Fechter	Kenton "	
W. C. Kappler	Justice Peace	Cadwell County

The Governor approved following accounts viz:

Charles Wexford	Porter. Library	22.25
Andrew Seek	Jury	603.
W. U Telegraph	Governor	9.70
C. A Pinckney	Ex Sec Supt	60
Same	"	140.25
Same.	Office Rent	150.
D. F. McK.	Clerk Sup Ct. Dec.	30.
J. B. Mayo.	Paper Pub Printer	710.
S. C. Bell.	Auditor	6.
Do.	Supt Govt	6.
Do	Treasurer.	1.25

Tuesday 4 August 1868.

4 Aug

The Governor remitted following fines & forfeitures.

Gallatin Circuit Court		Edw^d Long	$20.	Gaming.
Fayette	"	J. E. Anderson	$50.	Con Weapons.
Edmonson	"	T. J. Rountree	$200.	Tavern Rent
Graves.	"	C. K. Arnold	$25.	Breach peace
Bourbon	"	Talbott Redd & Co	$50.	Dep Sheriff
do	"	John Parker	$50	"
do	"	John Hampton	$50.	"
do	"	John Griffith	$50.	"

The Governor rejected following petitions

John Cummins of Wayne County. Shooting Affray
Hugh R. Snook " Shooting Affray No trial

The Governor issued Requisition on Governor Thompson for James Cunningham Indicted in Nicholas Circuit Court for Murder of Joseph Pendergrass & appointed John Jenkins Sheriff & Agent to receive same.

5th Aug

Wednesday 5th August 1868.

The Governor remitted following fines & forfeitures viz:

Woodford Cir Ct.	Monroe Cock	$500	Bail Bond
Ditto	T. Tacker	$100.	Selling
Fayette	J. P. Geers.	$50	Con Weapons
Franklin	Wat Mc Daniel	$5.	Breach peace
Lincoln	Reuy Wheeler	$15.	Bond C
do.	do	$15	do
do	do	$15.	do

The Governor rejected following petitions viz

Frank Tibbs & John Smith Indicted in Jefferson Circuit Court for Murder. No trial.

Charles G. Franklin Union County $50. Concealed Weapons.

The Governor Commissioned Nathaniel Gill Commissioner of Deeds for New York City.

The Governor Commissioned Madison Cockrell Justice Peace of Mercer County 1st District, in place of Watchel Cummings resigned.

The Governor allowed following Accounts viz.

George Craig	Porter Dep^t Genl P	25.
J. L. & W. B. Moore	J. M. Gunn	11.55
Dana & Company	Same	9.20
Dr. N. B. Sharpe $1.	J. M. Gunn & Kenny 2 M.G.	5.

Saturday 8th August 1868.

8 Augt. The Governor remitted Imprisonment of William Mourse on Judgment Manslaughter Conch for $500. for Stealing John Beasley.

The Governor Commissioned Charles D. Thomas Circuit Judge and J Lawrence Jones Commonwealths attorney 10th Judicial District Kentucky.

The Governor Caused to be filed Oaths of the following Commissioners of Deeds viz

Hamilton S. Lyon Cincinnati Ohio
Benj. L. Johnston New York. do.

Tuesday 11th August 1868.

11 Augt. The Governor Commissioned following Officers Elected August Second 1868. viz

John R. Grace Circuit Judge and James E Revell Commonwealths attorney 2nd Judicial district.

George H. Williams Circuit Judge & Baker Boyd Commonwealths attorney 5th Judicial district.

T. T. Alexander Circuit Judge & Monroe Hay Commonwealths attorney 6th Judicial District.

George H Kavanaugh Judge & James W Stocking Commonwealths attorney 7th Judicial District

R. H. Bruce Circuit Judge and Thos Lee Commonwealths attorney 9th Judicial District.

J Strother Boyd Criminal Judge, James Chiles for Circuit Judge & Charles Duncan Commonwealths attorney 12th Judicial District.

King J. Stites Judge — Common Pleas Court of Jefferson County.

Thomas D. Cockrell Chancellor — Louisville Chancery Court

Salaries of Circuit Judges

15th Aug | The Governor Commissioned the following Circuit Judges and Commonwealths attorneys Elected August 1868. viz:

A. R. Boon Circuit Judge & C. L. Rawle Commonwealths attorney 1st Judicial District.

George C. Rogers Circuit Judge & Charles M. Milligan Commonwealths attorney 4th Judicial District

F. T. Fox Circuit Judge & H. R. Ausley Commonwealths attorney 8th Judicial District.

William L. Pryor Circuit Judge and J. D. Lillard Commonwealths attorney 11th Judicial District.

John M Elliott Circuit Judge & Robert Riddell Commonwealths Attorney 13th Judicial District.

R. K. Stanton Circuit Judge & George L. Talbot Commonwealths attorney 14th Judicial District.

The Governor Commissioned following Police Judges viz:

A G Chambers	Birmingham	Jefferson County
Keenan Ashley	Florence	Lauderdale "
James M Compton	Madisonville	Hopkins "
John E Rayedale	Cromwell	Oldham "
R. L Stone	Morganfield	Union "
James Keenan	Mt Olivet	Robertson "
Wm N Hacker	South Carrollton	Muhlenburg "
L. L Stokes	Greenville	"
Charles Wade	Glasgow	Barren "
R. C. Graves	Versailles	Woodford "
F. W. Bailey	Lancaster	Garrard "
James Nunnelee	Harrodsburg	Lincoln "

The Governor Commissioned following Justices of the Peace Elected August Election 1868. viz.

William L Marston	Kenton	County
R. B. Cummins	Ditto	
Wm P. Tibbs	Ditto	
James B. Tapp	Webster	County
Edward McKinney	Ditto	
Wm W. Smith	Barren	"
Wm J. Sanders	Montgomery	"
Lindsey Coleman	Bath	"

15 Augh

Saturday 16 Augh

Commissioners

William N. Ferrill	Madison County.
Nelson Hawley	Ditto
Jane S Kirkpatrick &	Lamar "
Isaac M. West.	Nicholas "
Jacob S. Springer	Washington "
I. H. VanKuns	Fleming "
Taylor Ford	Ditto
William Brown	Ditto
F Everett	Ditto
John Botts	Perry "
C. D. Cooper	Perry "
Parker H. Artis	Clarke "
E. K. Owens	Marion "
Peter Duncklee	Campbell "
J. C. Dotson	Edmonson "
J. N. Brown	La Rue "
Harry G. Stewart	Ditto
W. A. Gibbons	Carroll
E. J Sanders	Ditto
D. C. Armstrong	Ditto
Silas P. Combs	Perry
L. C. Strickland	Lewis
Robt K. Grant	Boone
George Bedinger	Ditto
J. H. Kendrick	Grant
R L Skinner	Ditto
Addie Baker	Ditto
James P. Squires	Bourbon
Jonathan C Tanner	Mt Sterling
John Rowan	Ditto
James D. Thicker	Trigg
S. B. Langworthy	Pendleton
James McCann	Jackson
Perry C. Crandell	Howard
H. D Parris	Bracken
John S. Penny	Boone
Wm. M. Edwards	Perry
James M. P. Pool	Christian
Ben B. Stephens	Boone
Cindy Landrum	Owsley
Nelson E. Reed	Knox
J. S. M Clellan	Ditto
Geo W Langhorne	Estill
James Perryman	Estill
David S. Ford	Christian
H B. Innis	Franklin
Geo N. Judy	Powell

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Benjamin F. Watson	Anderson County
Thomas W. Murry	Same
John H. Coleman Jr.	Benton "
John T. Thompson	Same
R. H. Wayman	Same
Sylvester D. McKee	Abbeville
Joseph M. Avery	Same
Joseph D. Nickell	Same
Caleb Cash	Same
Sam'l Pamerton	Same
Hiram Grier	Same
W. T. Burris	Boyd
William Sherritt	Same
Preston Smith	Perry
Jos. H. Cornish	Same
Rufus G. Ragsdale	Same
David Cochran	Same
Levi Lewis	Same
William Isaac Jr	Floyd
William Pace	Same
R. T. Anderson	Coleman
Elijah Pamerton	Do
James Cole	Do
James W. Lamb	Union
Francis P. Mitchell	Same
John M. Green	Abbeville
Jackson Perry	Same
A. Johnston	Same
Sam Graham	Same
Geo. P. Graham & John P. Young	Laurens
A. K. Walton	Same
Lewis Wallace	Greenville
W. L. Osborn	Same
George E. Porter	Grayson
Jacob Pirtle	Same
Stephen C. Noble	Whitecapo
Sam'l M. Thompson	Same
George D. Pope	Pauses K
Lewis Holmes	Same
R. A. Asher	Laurens
R. F. M. Cornick	Same
H. F. Monark	Same
Asa Lanham	Monroe
Woodford Tudor	Same
Clement Langley	Abbeville
Jasper S. Pinks	Same
H. K. Carter & John Ice	Pickens

over

15 Aug

N. J. Jones. J. P. Laurel County
Greenville Preston " Johnston "
C. H. Mimp. " Magoffin "
J. R. Phelps. " Butler "
M. S. Tuttle " Jackson "
R. A. Shackelford " Logan "
W. M. G. Pate " Lawrence "

Friday 21. August 1868.

21st Augt The Governor remitted sentence imposed on Montgomery & Hargis by J H Dunaughy $10. Each Cases

Same do 50. do
Same do 60. do
Same do 60. do
Same J Merton Race 50. do
Same do 60. do
Same do 60. do.
Wayne Circuit Court Ira G. Probst. $60 Six Months
Carroll " Mike Quinn $60. do
Boulton Pat Kane $60. do.
Franklin Mike Geoghan $50 Breach peace
Rockcastle Wells L. Colyer $20. do.
Franklin Ed Summons $10. do
Lewis Geo Goodman $40. do.
Henderson J H Muncaster $40. Jail Case
Montgomery Dan Penny $10. Fining
Same J. H. Penny $10. do.
Kenton Geo Pearcy $100. Execution
Campbell Myers & Baker $ 33
Boulton Sam T. Green $50 Con: Weapons.

The Governor pardoned. Proceeding from Penitentiary
Garret Cook Fayette Circuit Manslaughter.
Robt Cunningham Fulton " Stealing Skiff

The Governor pardoned & remitted the Imprisonment of H. P. Daugherty on Judgment Fleming Circuit Court for $120. Charge Malicious Stabbing.

The Governor remitted pardon of J. M. Brooks for pardon from Penitentiary from Marshall County

The Governor Commissioned following Notaries Public
Joseph Ricketts Mecklenburg County
Mary A Woods. Warren "

21st Aug

The Governor Commissioned Joseph A Phelps Commissioner of Deeds for Chicago Illinois.

The Governor Commissioned following:

Telemachus Pelter	Police Judge	Independence
George W. Proctor	"	Surry City
T Jefferson Phelps	"	Gratz
Geo W. Mayes	Mayor of	Paytown
J. A. Cummins.	Justice Peace	Nicholas County.

The Governor affixed a record of $250. for the arrest & delivery of Rufus Morrow charged with Killing Wm C. Chesshire & Jailor Todd County.

The Governor issued a Warrant for arrest of James R Birch and Willis Berry on Requisition of Governor Baker of Indiana. Charge Fraud Larceny.

The Governor approved following accounts.

J L & W R. Moore.		Auditor	$10.
Adam C. Keenon.	Sundries.	Asst Genl	10.
Same	"	J M. Guthrie	30. 26
Same	"	Sub P Exs.	67. 83
Same	"	Reg L Off	31. 96
Same	"	Secy State	185. 12.
Same	"	State Sea Offs	.70
Same	"	State Library	81. 84
Same	"	Treasurer	14. 50.
Same	"	Auditor	272. 29
Same	"	Board Int Imp	6. 00
Same	"	Comm'th Kentucky	6241. 69
Same	"	Procs Rewards.	92. 76.
Comm'th Printing Co	"	Rives P.	839. 84
John R. Thomas	"	Price Editors	20.
Glasgow Times	"		

26 Aug

Wednesday 26th August 1868.

The Governor Commissioned Wm. P. Copass Circuit Judge & John H. Lockett Commonwealths Attorney 2nd Judicial District.

The Governor remitted following fines and forfeitures. viz:

Pulaski Circuit Court		W. E. Ingraham	$60. Signing Notes
Scott "	"	H. D. Crawford	$60. Do.
Bourbon "	"	Bixby & Allen	$60. Do.
Trigg "	"	H. G. Campbell & Co	$60. Do.
Bracken "	"	J. J. & J B. Greenup	$110. Jail Bond
Trigg "	"	Thos R. Rufner	$110. Jail Bond.

26 Aug. The Governor remitted proceeding from Forfeiture &c.
Nardin Ecket Bonner $30. Breach of Peace
Fayette King Nash $50. On Weapons.
Marion Wilson Lockhart $50 do.
Henderson G. W. Keary $50. do.

The Governor issued his Proclamation for an Election to be held on the 3rd day November next to fill the vacancy made vacant by resignation of Boyd Winchester Senator 32nd Senatorial District composed of Jefferson County & 1st & 2nd Wards of the City of Louisville.

The Governor Commissioned the following Justices of the Peace & Police Judge.

James Arnett. Laune County.
E. P. Gordon Graves "
Wm N. Holden Lincoln "
J. F. Stanton Clinton "
David Coulter Police Judge (Covington)

Friday 28. August 1868.

28 Aug. The Governor remitted proceeding from &c:
Ohio Circuit. Sweringer, Peace Bond $20. Ohio Bond
do. do. $20. do.
do. do. $20. do.
Metcalfe Wm. T. Bostwick $100. do.
Caldwell J. P. Poe $100. do.

The Governor Commissioned Victor Abrahamd of Cincinnati Ohio Commissioner of Deeds &c.

The Governor Commissioned Hon C. Cabell Justice Peace for Rowan County.

Monday 31st August 1868.

31st Aug The Governor received following from
Boyle Circuit Court. Louisville & Nashville Rail Road Co
$50. for obstructing public roads -

The Governor communicated
W. S. Randall Judge and
P. F. Tinsley Commonwealths attorney 15th Judicial
District.

W. J. Fitzpatrick Judge and
James E. Stuart Commonwealths Attorney 16th
Judicial District

Roland J. Peters Judge Sixth Appellate
District & County.

Was elected the Executive Journal of
John W. Stevenson Lieutenant acting Governor
of Kentucky.

The following correspondence should have
been entered on the 24th of January last

Department of State
Washington January 13th 1868

To His Excellency
John W. Stevenson
Governor of the State of Kentucky

Sir

I have been requested by the
Government of Belgium through its
Minister accredited to the United States
to furnish, should it be practicable to do so,
answers to the several queries contained in
the accompanying memorandum, in regard
to any legislation which may have taken place
in the various states of the United States, with
a view to the suppression of intemperance in
the use of intoxicating liquors. I will consequently
thank you for any information upon the subject of
the questions referred to so far as the same
may relate to the state of Ky
I have the honor to be your obedient Servt
William H. Seward

State of Ky
Office of Secretary of State
Frankfort Jan 24th 1868

Hon Wm H. Seward
Secretary of State
Washington

Your letter of the 13th instant addressed to Hon Excellency Governor Stevenson, in which you say that you have been requested by the Government of Belgium through its Minister accredited to the United States, to furnish answers to the several queries contained in a memorandum accompanying your letter, in regard to any legislation which may have taken place in the various states with a view to the suppression of intemperance in the use of intoxicating liquors has been received.

No law similar in any respect to what is known as the Maine Liquor Law to which the queries refer has ever been passed by the Kentucky Legislature, and our people generally believe that all such laws so far from promoting & advancing the cause of temperance are productive of the contrary result. Kentuckians believe that those states are governed best which are governed least, and that all governments should be careful how they interfere with the private rights of citizens.

We have but few temperance societies in our State, yet we have very little intemperance, and it would seem from our past history that our Legislators have generally believed that an enlightened public sentiment would do more for the cause of temperance, than any mere penal statues, which often have no other effect than to irritate & disgust those whose freedom of action they were intended to circumscribe. I have the honor to be your most obedient servt
Same B. Churchill
Secretary of State

Here closes the Executive Journal of John W. Stevenson Lieutenant & acting Governor of Kentucky
Same B. Churchill
Secretary of State