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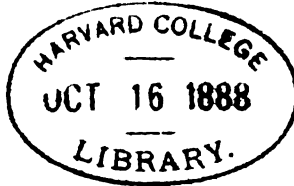
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IN EXECUTIVE SESSION, SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

June 28, 1886.

Resolved, That the entire Executive Journal of the Senate, from the 23d February, 1829, the date to which the said proceedings have already been printed and published by order of the Senate, be printed, to the end of the last session of the Fortieth Congress, under the direction of the Secretary of the Senate, with a copious and comprehensive index to each volume, and that one hundred copies thereof be printed.

Resolved, That until the further order of the Senate the said print shall not be made public.

Attest:

ANSON G. McCOOK,
Secretary.

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JOURNAL OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE OF THE
UNITED STATES IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

[Thirty-seventh Congress, second session, commencing December 2,
1861.]

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Daniel Evans, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Bilbao, in the place of Maximo de Aquirre, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Kent, of Maine, to be consul of the United States at Valencia, in the place of Peter Morand, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December —, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Pickering, of Illinois, to be governor of the Territory of Washington, in the place of William H. Wallace, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 5, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for its consideration with a view to ratification, a treaty between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, concerning the abolition of the Stade or Brunshausen dues, signed at Berlin on the 6th November, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 5, 1861.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel Evans and Geo. Kent be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Pickering be referred to the Committee on Territories.

The treaty "concerning the abolition of the Stade or Brunshausen dues," concluded at Berlin on the 6th day of November, 1861, between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Denmark, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,
Ordered, That the said treaty and the message be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Andrew G. Carothers, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States at Martinique, in the place of Alexander Campbell, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6th*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edward E. Cowles, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Singapore, in the place of John P. O. Sullivan, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 8th*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William S. Campbell, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Dresden, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6th*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William H. Dabney, of Rhode Island, to be consul of the United States at Teneriffe, in the place of Felipe Bodmann, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Richard C. Hannah, of Indiana, to be consul of the United States at Santander, in the place of Louis Gallo, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Joseph E. Wilbur to be deputy postmaster at Taunton, in the county of Bristol and State of Massachusetts, in the place of Abijah M. Ide, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Edwin Shaw to be deputy postmaster at Fall River, in the county of Bristol and State of Massachusetts, in the place of Ebenzer Slocum, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thomas Shankland, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Port Louis, Isle of France, in the place of George H. Fairfield, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 10, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate Enoch J. Smithers, of Delaware, to be consul of the United States at Scio.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 10, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate Albert J. de Zeyk, of Iowa, to be consul of the United States at Taranto.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 10, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate J. W. Massey, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Paso del Norte, in the place of David R. Diffenderfer, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 10, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate Convers O. Leach, of Maryland, to be consul of the United States at St. John's, Newfoundland, in the place of William S. H. Newman, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 12, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate J. H. McChesney, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at New Castle, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 10, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate Denison Card, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Tumbes, in the place of Leonard G. Sanford, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 12, 1861.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 6, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

General officers.

William H. Keim, of Pennsylvania, to be brigadier-general.

John M. Palmer, of Illinois, to be brigadier-general.

Adjutant-General's Department.

John Mills Kendrick, of Ohio, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Benjamin F. Hawkes, of Ohio, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Henry Benmore, of ———, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

W. P. Prentice, of New York, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Andrew Steinmetz, of ———, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

Percy B. Spear, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, November 30, 1861.

John M. Palmer, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

George Roberts, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

E. M. Buchanan, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

F. B. Owen, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

James G. Fitts, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

John S. Burdette, of Virginia, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

THOMAS A. SCOTT,

Acting Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 6, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

GENERAL OFFICERS.

To be brigadier-generals:

James Cooper, of Maryland, May 17, 1861.

Henry H. Lockwood, of Delaware, August 8, 1861.

Louis Blenker, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 Henry W. Slocum, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 James I. Wadsworth, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 John J. Peck, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 Ormsby M. Mitchell, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 George W. Morell, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 John H. Martindale, of New York, August 9, 1861.
 Major George Stoneman, of the Fourth Cavalry, August 13, 1861.
 Major Henry W. Benham, of the Corps of Engineers, August 13, 1861.
 Captain William F. Smith, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers,
 August 13, 1861.
 James W. Denver, of California, August 14, 1861.
 Colonel George H. Thomas, of the Fifth Cavalry, August 17, 1861.
 Egbert L. Viele, of New York, August 17, 1861.

Adjutant-General's Department.

William McMichael, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, August 15, 1861.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Martin H. Insley, of Kansas, August 6, 1861.
 James A. Ekin, of Pennsylvania, August 7, 1861.
 James Dunlap, of Illinois, August 8, 1861.
 Benjamin W. Perkins, of Massachusetts, August 12, 1861.
 William A. Van Vliet, of New York, August 15, 1861.
 Edwin C. Wilson, of Pennsylvania, August 16, 1861.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

A. F. Garrison, of Missouri, August 7, 1861.
 A. C. Wilder, of Kansas, August 7, 1861.
 Ninian W. Edwards, of Illinois, August 8, 1861.
 Festus H. Moore, of New York, August 15, 1861.
 Charles B. Hindsill, of Michigan, August 16, 1861.
 George M. Adams, of Kentucky, August 17, 1861.
 William M. Green of Ohio, August 17, 1861.
 Jacob Heaton, of Ohio, August 17, 1861.

PAY DEPARTMENT.

To be additional paymasters.

Robert P. Dodge, of the District of Columbia, August 8, 1861.
 John M. Pomeroy, of Pennsylvania, August 14, 1861.
 Valentine C. Hanna, of Pennsylvania, August 15, 1861.
 Morgan L. Martin, of Wisconsin, August 17, 1861.
 Charles J. Sprague, of California, August 17, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obe't serv't,

THOMAS A. SCOTT,
Acting Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 6, 1861.*

Sir: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named persons for appointment in the Army of the United States :

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

William Henry Harrison, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant, November 30, 1861, vice McQuesten, promoted.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

George M. Wright, of Massachusetts, to be second lieutenant.
William D. Wolf, of Illinois, to be second lieutenant.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Samuel J. Frank, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

Uniacke C. Mackay, of New York, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
THOMAS A. SCOTT,
Acting Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 6, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 6, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States :

PROMOTIONS.

Quartermaster's Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Swords, deputy quartermaster-general, to be assistant quartermaster-general with the rank of colonel, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major H. Vinton, quartermaster, to be deputy quartermaster-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Ebenezer S. Sibley, quartermaster, to be deputy quartermaster-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Edwin B. Babbitt, quartermaster, to be deputy quartermaster-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, August 3, 1861, vice Swords, promoted.

Captain James Belger, assistant quartermaster, to be quartermaster with the rank of major, August 3, 1861, vice Vintou, promoted.

Captain James L. Donaldson, assistant quartermaster, to be quartermaster with the rank of major, August 3, 1861, vice Sibley, promoted.

Captain Langdon C. Easton, assistant quartermaster, to be quartermaster with the rank of major, August 3, 1861, vice Babbitt, promoted.

Ordnance Department.

Major John Symington to be colonel, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major George D. Ramsay to be lieutenant-colonel, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major William Maynadier to be lieutenant-colonel, August 3, 1861, vice Ripley, appointed Chief of Ordnance.

Captain Robert H. K. Whitely to be major, August 3, 1861, vice-Symington, promoted.

Captain Peter V. Hagner to be major, August 3, 1861, vice Ramsay, promoted.

Captain Robert A. Wainwright to be major, August 3, 1861, vice Maynadier, promoted.

First Lieutenant Stephen V. Benét to be captain, August 3, 1861, vice Hagner, promoted.

First Lieutenant Silas Crispin to be captain, August 3, 1861, vice Wainwright, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Adelbert R. Buffington to be first lieutenant, July 22, 1861, vice Welcker, dismissed.

Second Lieutenant Daniel W. Flagler to be first lieutenant, August 3, 1861, vice Benét, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Thomas C. Bradford to be first lieutenant, August 3, 1861, vice Crispin, promoted.

Brevet Second Lieutenant William H. Harris to be second lieutenant, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Brockholst Livingston to be captain, August 3, 1861, vice Robertson, dismissed.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Leroy S. Elbert to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Maury, dismissed.

First Regiment of Artillery.

Captain Israel Vodges to be major, May 14, 1861, vice Keyes, appointed colonel of the Eleventh Infantry.

Captain Lewis G. Arnold, of the Second Artillery, to be major, May 15, 1861, vice Anderson, appointed brigadier general.

First Lieutenant William Silvey to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Vodges, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William M. Maynadier to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Slaughter, dismissed.

Second Lieutenant Edmund Kirby to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Silvey, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Judson Kilpatrick to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Baird, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant William Elderkin to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Beukwith, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Henry Benson to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Hunt, appointed major in the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant John C. Tidball to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Barry, appointed major in the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Edward R. Platt to be captain, May 15, 1861, vice Arnold, promoted major in the First Artillery.

First Lieutenant James Thompson to be captain, June 14, 1861, vice Pratt, appointed paymaster.

Second Lieutenant John M. Wilson to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Benson, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Alexander C. M. Pennington, jr., to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Tidball, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Pierce to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Webb, appointed captain in the Eleventh Infantry.

Second Lieutenant John I. Rodgers to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Blunt, appointed captain in the Twelfth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Samuel N. Benjamin to be first lieutenant, May 15, 1861, vice Haines, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John W. Barlow to be first lieutenant, May 15, 1861, vice Platt, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Francis A. Davies to be first lieutenant, May 17, 1861, vice d'Lagnel, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Leroy L. Janes to be first lieutenant, June 10, 1861, vice Greble, killed in action.

Second Lieutenant John H. Butler to be first lieutenant, June 10, 1861, vice Long, resigned.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Captain Henry S. Burton to be major, May 14, 1861, vice Sherman, appointed lieutenant-colonel of the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Horatio G. Gibson to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Burton, promoted.

First Lieutenant Charles C. Churchill to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Reynolds appointed lieutenant-colonel of the Fourteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Augustus G. Robinson to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Mason, appointed captain in the Eleventh Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edward R. Warner to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Gibson, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Lawrence Kip to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Ayres, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Elias B. Carling to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Churchill, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Martin D. Hardin to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Arnold, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Major William W. Morris to be lieutenant-colonel, May 14, 1861, vice Brown, appointed colonel of the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Delavan D. Perkins to be captain, May 17, 1861, vice McCown, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Francis W. Seeley to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Hudson, appointed captain in the Fourteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Charles B. Throckmorton to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Terrill, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Evan Thomas to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Pelouze, appointed captain in the Fifteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant George W. Dresser to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Weed, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Henry C. Hasbrouck to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Abert, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Alonzo H. Cushing to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Hascall, transferred to the Fifth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Charles C. Parsons to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Bainbridge, transferred to the Fifth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Joseph B. Campbell to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Tallmadge, who vacates his regimental commission.

First Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant George A. Williams to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice King, appointed major in the Fifteenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Edwin D. Phillips to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Carpenter, appointed major in the Nineteenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant James E. Powell to be captain, June 11, 1861, vice Barton, resigned.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant James P. Roy to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Steele, appointed major in the Eleventh Infantry.

First Lieutenant Adolphus F. Bond to be captain, June 6, 1861, vice Wessels, promoted major in the Sixth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant George D. Ruggles to be first lieutenant, May 2, 1861, vice Long, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Joseph S. Conrad to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice McLean, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Salem S. Marsh to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Roy, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Samuel T. Cushing to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Spencer, appointed captain in the Seventeenth Infantry.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Thomas W. Walker to be captain, May 20, 1861, vice Chandler, promoted major in the Fifth Infantry.

First Lieutenant John McL. Hildt to be captain, May 30, 1861, vice Schroeder, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Joseph A. McCool to be first lieutenant, May 20, 1861, vice Walker, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Daingerfield Parker to be first lieutenant, May 30, 1861, vice Hildt, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John B. Williams to be first lieutenant, June 6, 1861, vice Jackson, resigned.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Caleb H. Carlton to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Hodges, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Samuel M. Sprole to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Kautz, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Julius W. Adams to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Crook, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Brightly to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Collins, promoted.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Henry C. Bankhead to be captain, June 25, 1861, vice Stevenson, dismissed.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Benjamin F. Smith to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Flint, appointed major in the Seventeenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant John McCleary to be captain, May 17, 1861, vice Garnett, resigned.

First Lieutenant Orlando H. Moore to be captain, May 26, 1861, vice Armistead, resigned.

First Lieutenant Montgomery Bryant to be captain, June 10, 1861, vice Johnson, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Samuel A. Foster to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Kelton, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Hamilton S. Hawkins to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Smith, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Robert L. Eastman to be first lieutenant, May 17, 1861, vice Sawtelle, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Wright Rives to be first lieutenant, May 17, 1861, vice McCleary, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James P. Drouillard to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Moore, promoted.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Edmund C. Jones to be captain, May 23, 1861, vice Garland, dismissed.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant William B. Hazen to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Holloway, resigned.

First Lieutenant Henry M. Lazelle to be captain, June 11, 1861, vice Blake, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Martin V. B. Lewis to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Hartz, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John N. Andrews to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Hazen, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James M. Warner to be first lieutenant, May 30, 1861, vice Cooke, resigned.

Second Lieutenant William S. Worth to be first lieutenant, June 7, 1861, vice Taylor, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Henry B. Noble to be first lieutenant, June 11, 1861, vice Lazelle, promoted.

Ninth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Hugh B. Fleming to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Archer, resigned.

Second Lieutenant William H. Jordan to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Douglass, appointed captain in the Eighteenth Infantry.

APPOINTMENTS.

General officers.

Henry W. Halleck, of California, to be major-general, August 19, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Robert Anderson, of the First Artillery, to be brigadier-general, May 15, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Adjutant-General's Department.

First Lieutenant Oliver D. Greene, of the Second Artillery, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, August 3, 1861, vice Drum, promoted.

Inspector-General's Department.

Paymaster Randolph B. Marcy to be inspector-general with the rank of colonel, August 9, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Quartermaster's Department.

To be assistant-quartermaster with the rank of captain.

First Lieutenant Walworth Jenkins, of the First Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Miller, promoted.

First Lieutenant James J. Dana, of the Fourth Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Montgomery, promoted.

First Lieutenant Herbert A. Hascall, of the Fifth Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Allen, promoted.

First Lieutenant Edmund C. Bainbridge, of the Fifth Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Belger, promoted.

First Lieutenant Warren L. Lothrop, of the Fourth Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Donaldson, promoted.

First Lieutenant Alfred T. A. Torbat, of the Fifth Infantry, August 3, 1861, vice Easton, promoted.

First Lieutenant George Kenzel, of the Fourth Artillery, August 3, 1861, vice Tillinghast, died of wounds received in action.

First Lieutenant Herman Biggs, of the First Infantry, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Herbert M. Enos, of the Third Cavalry, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Elisha E. Camp, of the Ninth Infantry, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant At Lee W. Putnam, of the Seventh Infantry, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be military storekeeper.

Daniel G. Thomas, of Pennsylvania, August 15, 1861, vice Gibson, appointed captain in the Eleventh Infantry.

Subsistence Department.

First Lieutenant Thomas J. Haines, of the Second Artillery, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, August 3, 1861, vice Simpson, promoted.

Medical Department.

John Bell, of New Hampshire, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

John H. Janeway, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Henry A. Du Bois, of New York, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Williams, resigned.

Benjamin Howard, of New York, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Glisan, resigned.

Henry C. Parry, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Ridgely, resigned.

Henry R. Tilton, of New Jersey, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Gaenslen, resigned.

Samuel M. Horton, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Covey, resigned.

John C. G. Happersett, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, August 26, 1861, vice Hollenbush, deceased.

Pay Department.

Captain John A. Whitall, of the Fifth Infantry, to be paymaster, August 8, 1861, vice Reynolds, resigned.

Ordnance Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel James W. Ripley, Ordnance Department, brevet brigadier-general, to be Chief of Ordnance with the rank of brigadier-general, August 3, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

John C. Vaughan, of Pennsylvania, to be military storekeeper, August 7, 1861, vice Humphreys, resigned.

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

First Sergeant John Mix, of Company K, to be second lieutenant, August 14, 1861, vice Gordon, promoted.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

Edward Heaton, of Ohio, to be second lieutenant, August 13, 1861, vice Rodgers, promoted.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

Ira F. Gensel, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant, August 15, 1861, vice Brightly, promoted.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Hanson E. Weaver, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant, June 25, 1861, vice Smith, promoted.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

Reece E. Fleeson, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant, August 5, 1861, vice Powell, appointed first lieutenant in the Thirteenth Infantry.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Charles H. Lieb, of Illinois, to be first lieutenant, August 20, 1861.

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

Alexander J. Dallas, of at large, to be captain, May 14, 1861.
B. B. Lawton, of Rhode Island, to be captain, May 14, 1861.

Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Samuel A. Wainwright, of the District of Columbia, to be captain, May 14, 1861.

William H. De Forest, of New York, to be captain, August 19, 1861.

Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.

J. C. Peterson, of New York, to be captain, August 5, 1861.
Joseph S. Yorke, of New York, to be captain, August 29, 1861.
Charles A. Van Deursen, of New Jersey, to be first lieutenant, August 5, 1861.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Edward McConnell, of Illinois, to be first lieutenant, August 31, 1861.

Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry.

Henry J. McLandburgh, of Ohio, to be captain, August 5, 1861.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Thomas C. Williams, of Missouri, to be captain, August 19, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
THOMAS A. SCOTT,
Acting Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, Dec'r 11, 1861.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 11, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as brigade surgeons in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

J. K. T. Van Pelt, of Pennsylvania.

Frederick Seymour, of Ohio.

D. P. Smith, of Massachusetts.

W. C. Otterson, of New York.

John S. Hodgen, of Missouri.

R. H. Webbill, of Pennsylvania.

J. P. G. Baxter, of Wisconsin.

L. Quick, of Pennsylvania.

Norman Gay, of Ohio.

George Rex, of Pennsylvania.

R. W. Johnson, of Ohio.

T. A. Worall, of Pennsylvania.

T. M. Heister, of Pennsylvania.

G. D. Beebe, of Illinois.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Benjamin H. Smith, of Virginia, to be attorney of the United States for the western district of Virginia, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in place of Aquilla B. Caldwell, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate James O. Broadhead, of Missouri, to be attorney of the United States for the eastern district of Missouri, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in place of Asa S. Jones, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert J. Lackey, of Missouri, to be attorney of the United States for the western district of Missouri, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in place of Jonas J. Clark, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert Crozier, of Kansas, to be attorney of the United States for the district of Kansas, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in the place of John Taylor Burris, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate James E. Dalliba, of Colorado Territory, to be attorney of the United States for said Territory, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in place of Theodore D. Edwards, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of Washington William Huntington, of said Territory, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in the place of Charles Weed, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of New Mexico Albert W. Archibald, of said Territory, who was commissioned during the last recess of the Senate, in place of Levi J. Keithly, who declined the commission offered to him.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Bland Ballard, of Kentucky, to be judge of the district court of the United States for the district of Kentucky, in place of Thomas B. Munroe, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Joseph E. Streeter, of Illinois, to be an associate justice of the supreme court for the Territory Nebraska, in place of Sam Milligan, of Tennessee, who has failed to assume the duties of the office.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the following persons to be justices of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia : Robert J. Hedrick, of Washington City ; Gwinn Harris Heap, of Washington City ; Joseph N. Fearson, of Georgetown ; Thomas G. Clayton, of Washington ; and John S. Hollingshead, of Washington, the first three of whom have been commissioned during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 9, 1861.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Andrew G. Carothers, Edward E. Cowles, William S. Campbell, William H. Dabney, Richard C. Hannah, Thomas Shankland, Enoch J. Smithers, Albert J. de Zeyk, J. W. Massey, Convers O. Leach, J. H. McChesney, and Denison Oard be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of William H. Keim and others, James Cooper and others, William H. Harrison and others, Thomas Swords and others, and of J. K. T. Van Pelt and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Benjamin H. Smith, James O. Broadhead, Robert J. Lackey, Robert Crozier, and James E. Dalliba, and of William Huntington and Albert W. Archibald, and of Bland Ballard and Joseph E. Streeter be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nominations of Robert J. Hedrick and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Joseph E. Wilbur and Edwin Shaw be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 5th instant, a treaty between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, concerning the abolition of Stade or Brunshausen dues, signed at Berlin on the 6th November, 1861, reported the said treaty without amendment.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 5th instant, the nomination of George Kent, reported.

Mr. Morrill submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to communicate to the Senate, in confidence, information touching the plan for the movement of the land and naval forces and for the conduct of the war.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 12, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, December 12, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States:

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Cornelius L. King, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to be captain, to fill an original vacancy.

Thomas M. Hulings, of Pennsylvania, to be captain, to fill an original vacancy.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain George L. Willard, of the Eighth Regiment of Infantry, to be major, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient serv't,

SIMON CAMERON.

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 13, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, December 13, 1861.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States :

APPOINTMENTS.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

James C. Hunt, of New Jersey, to be second lieutenant.

E. F. Benton, of Maryland, to be second lieutenant.

Fourth Regiment of Cavalry.

Thomas W. Sullivan, of the Volunteers, lately sergeant of Company C, Fourth Cavalry, to be second lieutenant.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Henry F. Brownson, of New York, to be second lieutenant, to date from December 1, 1861.

William Clarendon Cuyler, of Georgia, to be second lieutenant.

First Regiment of Infantry.

Charles Wilkins, of New Hampshire, to be second lieutenant.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

Charles L. Noggle, of Wisconsin, to be second lieutenant.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

A. J. Cady, of Wisconsin, to be second lieutenant.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Frederick F. Burlock, of Iowa, to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

William F. Goodwin, of New Hampshire, to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant John P. Sherburne, First Infantry, to be captain, October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

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Under the act of August 5, 1861.

William F. Biddle, of Pennsylvania, to be an additional aide-de-camp, with the rank of captain, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

THOMAS A. SCOTT,

Acting Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United State, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 12, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, December 12, 1861.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointment in the Army of the United States.

PROMOTIONS.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Marcus A. Reno to be captain, November 12, 1861, vice Whittlesey, promoted to the Fifth Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Samuel McKee to be captain, November 14, 1861, vice Davidson, promoted to the Second Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Edwin V. Sumner to be first lieutenant, November 12, 1861, vice Reno, promoted.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Edward Treacy to be captain, November 5, 1861, vice Elliott, promoted to the First Cavalry.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Dunbar R. Ransom to be captain, November 1, 1861, vice Judd, promoted to the Fourth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Thomas M. Saunders to be captain, November 21, 1861, vice Ord, promoted to the Fourth Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Henry Meinell to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Chandler, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant William W. Tompkins to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Tyler, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant James L. Thomas to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Magan, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John R. Myrick to be first lieutenant, November 18, 1861, vice Ransom, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James R. Kelly to be first lieutenant, November 29, 1861, vice Mills, retired.

Second Lieutenant George F. Barstow to be first lieutenant, November 30, 1861, vice Saunders, promoted.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Richard Loder to be captain, November 29, 1861, vice Garland, retired.

Second Lieutenant George Dickenson to be first lieutenant, November 29, 1861, vice Loder, promoted.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Frank C. Goodrich to be first lieutenant, November 19, 1861, vice Hunter, cashiered.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant William J. Slidell to be captain, November 19, 1861, vice Johnston, resigned.

Second Lieutenant William H. Bartholomew to be first lieutenant, November 19, 1861, vice Slidell, promoted.

APPOINTMENT.

Medical Department.

William T. Okie, of ———, to be assistant surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Benjamin B. French, of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner of Public Buildings and Grounds in the city of Washington, commissioned during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 4, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Joseph F. Brown, of Washington City, D. C., Zenas C. Robbins, of Washington City, D. C., George S. Gideon, of Washington City, D. C., William H. Tenney, of Georgetown, D. C., and Sayles J. Bowen, of Washington county, D. C., to be commissioners of the Metropolitan police of the District of Columbia, all of whom were commissioned during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 4, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate James D. Doty, of Wisconsin, to be superintendent of Indian affairs in the Territory of Utah, commissioned during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 4, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert D. McDougall, of Ohio, to be register of the land office at Chillicothe, Ohio; also Floris Van Renth, of Maryland, to be

register of the land office at Dacotah City, Nebraska Territory; also William F. Elkin, of Illinois, to be register of the land office at Springfield, Illinois, all of whom were commissioned during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 4, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate George N. Black, of Illinois, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Springfield, Illinois; also James B. Mills, of Minnesota, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Otter Tail City, Minnesota; also Asaph Whittlesey, of Wisconsin, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Bayfield, Wisconsin, all of whom were commissioned during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 4, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Francis A. Ryan, of Wisconsin, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Menasha, Wisconsin.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 5, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William H. Broadhead, of Utah Territory, to be attorney of the United States for the said Territory; and Henry W. Lawrence, of Utah Territory, to be marshal of the United States for the said Territory, in place of Henry Grice, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Isaiah Thomas, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Algiers, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles Howard Edwards, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Alicante, in the place of William L. Giro, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 13, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate George S. Fisher, of California, to be consul of the United States at Kanagawa, Japan.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert Haley, of California, to be consul of the United States at Manzanillo, in the place of A. Morrell, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1861.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Cornelius L. King and others, James C. Hunt and others, and Marcus A. Reno and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Benjamin B. French be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Public Grounds.

Ordered, That the nominations of Joseph F. Brown and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nomination of James D. Doty be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of Robert D. McDougall, Floris Van Reuth, and William F. Elkin, George N. Black; James B. Mills, and Asaph Whittlesey; and Francis A. Ryan be referred to the Committee Public Lands.

Ordered, That the nominations of William H. Brodhead and Henry W. Lawrence be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nominations of Isaiah Thomas, Charles H. Edwards, George S. Fisher, and Robert Haley be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That the messages of the President of the United States, nominating Cornelius L. King and others, James Hunt and others, and Marcus A. Reno and others, together with the messages of the 12th instant, nominating William H. Keim and others, William H. Harrison and others, and Thomas Swords and others be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George Kent; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George Kent, agreeably to the nomination.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1861.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I submit to the Senate for consideration, with a view to ratification, the amendments introduced by the Constituent National Assembly of Bolivia, in its decree of ratification, into the treaty of peace, friendship, commerce, and navigation, concluded with that Republic on the 13th of May, 1858, an official translation of which decree accompanies this message with the original treaty. As the time within which the exchange of ratifications should be effected is limited, I recommend, in view of the delay which must necessarily occur and the difficulty of reaching the seat of Government of that Republic, that the time within which such exchange shall take place be extended in the following terms: "Within such period as may be mutually convenient to both Governments."

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1861.

The message was read.

The amendments introduced by the Constituent National Assembly of Bolivia, in its decree of ratification, into the treaty of peace, commerce, and navigation, concluded with that Republic on the 13th May, 1858, were read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,
Ordered, That the said amendments, together with the message and documents transmitted by the President of the United States therewith, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate James H. Lane, of Kansas, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 18, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 18, 1861.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of James H. Lane, of Kansas, for appointment as brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, respectfully, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles T. Larned, now an additional paymaster, to be a paymaster in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 17, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 17, 1861.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Charles T. Larned, now an additional paymaster, to be paymaster in the Army of the United States, to date from August 30, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Alfred T. Mahan, George O. Remy, Alexander S. Mackenzie, Norman H. Farquhar, Samuel D. Greene, Charles H. Swasey, Theodore F. Kane, Beatty P. Smith, Cornelius M. Schoonmaker, Roderick Prentiss, Roderick S. McCook, Gilbert C. Wiltse, and Thomas S. Spencer to be lieutenants in the Navy, from the 31st August, 1861, to fill existing vacancies in that grade.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, *17th December, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles H. Loring to be a chief engineer in the Navy, from the 25th March, 1861; William H. Rutherford to be a chief engineer in

the Navy, from the 12th August, 1861; Edward D. Robie and Thomas Williamson to be chief engineers in the Navy, from the 21st September, 1861; William B. Brooks and William H. Cushman to be chief engineers in the Navy, from the 16th October, 1861; Charles H. Baker to be a chief engineer in the Navy, from the 29th October, 1861; and Philip G. Peltz to be a chief engineer in the Navy, from the 5th November, 1861, all to fill existing vacancies in the grade of chief engineers.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 17th December, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Passed Assistant Surgeon Philip S. Wales to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 12th October, 1861, vice Surgeon Richard W. Jeffrey, dismissed; Passed Assistant Surgeon Albert C. Gorgas to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 13th October, 1861, vice Surgeon William M. Page, dismissed; Passed Assistant Surgeon Alexander M. Vedder to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 14th November, 1861, vice Surgeon Charles F. Fahs, dismissed; Simon Newcomb, to be a professor of mathematics in the Navy, from the 21st September, 1861, vice Professor F. J. Robinson, dismissed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 16th December, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Assistant Paymaster Charles H. Eldredge to be a paymaster in the Navy, vice Paymaster Thomas R. Ware, dismissed; Assistant Paymaster Gilbert E. Thornton to be a paymaster in the Navy, vice Paymaster Andrew J. Watson, deceased; Assistant Paymaster George Plunkett to be a paymaster in the Navy, vice Paymaster James A. Semple, dismissed; Assistant Paymaster Edward Foster to be a paymaster in the Navy, vice Paymaster Philip Senac, dismissed; Assistant Paymaster George Lawrence to be a paymaster in the Navy, vice Paymaster Henry R. Woodbridge, deceased; Edward May, Henry M. Denniston, Richard Washington, William H. H. Williams, Charles W. Hassler, Thomas C. Masten, Rufus Parks, Frank C. Cosley, Edwin Stewart, William T. Meredith, William H. Thompson, Joseph A. Smith, Richard H. Douglas, B. Julius Richardson, Lawson C. Merrill, James S. Turnbull, Clifton Hellen, Ambrose J. Clark, Charles E. Hammond, George Cochrane, Levi S. Stockwell, Thomas T. Caswell, George A. Sawyer, Caspar Schenck, William W. Williams, Francis C. Upton, Judson S. Post, William H. Weldon, Charles Hoy, jr., Arthur J. Pritchard, and Benjamin F. Camp, jr., to be assistant paymasters in the Navy, to fill vacancies created by the act of Congress, approved 17 July, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 17 December, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Second Lieutenants George W. Collier, George P. Houston, Philip O. Kennedy, James Forney, Louis M. Goldsborough, William H. Cartter, McLane Tilton, John H. Higbee, Frank Munroe, and Robert W. Huntington to be first lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 1st of September, 1861, to fill existing vacancies created by the act of Congress, approved 25 July, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 17 December, 1861.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of James H. Lane; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James H. Lane, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 16th instant, the nominations of Joseph F. Brown and others, reported.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom were referred, on the 16th instant, the nominations of Robert D. McDougall, William F. Elkin, George N. Black, James B. Mills, Asaph Whittlesey, and Francis A. Ryan, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of Joseph E. Wilbur and Edwin Shaw, reported.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 5th instant, the nomination of William Pickering, reported.

On motion by Mr. Howe,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Francis A. Ryan; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Francis A. Ryan, agreeably to the nomination.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thomas McDowell, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Cape Town, in the place of D. M. Huckins, recalled.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 19th*, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate for its advice a copy of a draft for a convention with the Republic of Mexico, proposed to the Government of that Republic by Mr. Corwin, the minister of the United States accredited to that Government, together with the correspondence relating to it.

As the subject is of momentous interest to the two Governments at this juncture, the early consideration of it by the Senate is very desirable.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 17*, 1861.

The messages were read,

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas McDowell be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the draft of a convention, together with the message and accompanying correspondence, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Foote, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was referred, on the 16th instant, the nomination of Benjamin B. French, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of William H. Keim and John M. Palmer, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of Andrew J. Caruthers, Robert Haley, and Thomas Shankland, reported.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Robert Haley; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Robert Haley, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William Pickering, Robert D. McDougall, Wm. F. Elkin, George N. Black, James B. Mills, and Asaph Whittlesey; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Joseph F. Brown, Zenas O. Robbins, George S. Gideon, William H. Tenney, and Sayles J. Bowen; and,

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That the further consideration of said nominations be postponed to to-morrow.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1861.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Cyrus O. Poole, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Minatitlan, in the place of A. C. Allen, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 20th December, 1861.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Cyrus O. Poole be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Thomas Shankland, Andrew G. Carothers, William H. Keim, and John M. Palmer; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 21, 1861.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, Dec. 21, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States:

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Military storekeepers.

Charles Wilkins, of Massachusetts.
Julian Molinard, of New York.

Aides-de-camp.

Gustavus Koerner, of Illinois, to be aide-de-camp with the rank of colonel, for Major-General Halleck, commanding army of the Missouri.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Calvin H. Hale, of Washington Territory, to be superintendent of Indian affairs for Washington Territory.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *December 23, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Thomas Clowes to be deputy postmaster at Troy, in the county of Rensselaer and State of New York, in place of George T. Blair, appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 21, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Thomas R. Jarvis to be collector of the customs for the district of Cherrystone, in the State of Virginia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 23, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry P. Parker to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Accomac C. H., in the State of Virginia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 23, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles H. Foster, of North Carolina, to be marshal of the United States for the district of North Carolina.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 21, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the following-named persons for the offices to which they were appointed during the recess of the Senate, viz:

J. Lothrop Motley, of Massachusetts, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Austria, in the place of J. Glancy Jones, resigned.

Robert H. Pruyn, of New York, to be minister resident of the United States to Japan, in the place of Townsend Harris, resigned.

Thomas Biddle, of Pennsylvania, to be secretary of the legation of the United States to Brazil, to fill a vacancy.

Charles W. Goddard, of Maine, to be consul-general of the United States at Constantinople, in the place of David P. Heap, recalled.

B. F. Rexford, of New York, to be commissioner of the United States under the convention of the 2d July, 1860, for the adjustment of claims of citizens of the United States against Costa Rica, in the place of Calvin Huson, deceased.

John T. Neal, of Kansas, to be consul of the United States at Kingston, Jamaica, in the place of Isaac Winston, recalled.

George G. Baker, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Athens, in the place of John D. Diomatari, recalled.

James H. Armsby, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Naples, in the place of Alexander Hammett, recalled.

Charles F. De Vivaldi, of Kansas, to be consul of the United States at Santos, in the place of William T. Wright, jr., recalled.

Theodore Carrisiur, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Vienna, in the place of Edward C. Stiles, recalled.

Thaddens Hyatt, of Kansas, to be consul of the United States at La Rochelle, in the place of Thomas W. Rountree, recalled.

Charles M. Allen, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Bermuda, in the place of F. B. Wells, recalled.

John Young, of Indiana, to be consul of the United States at Belfast, in the place of Theodore Frean, recalled.

Henry Boernstein, of Missouri, to be consul of the United States at Bremen, in the place of Isaac R. Diller, recalled.

James Lesley, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Lyons, in the place of Joel W. White, resigned.

Frederick Wippermann, of Minnesota, to be consul of the United States at Maracaibo, in the place of Robert H. Swift, recalled.

Marcus Otterbourg, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at the city of Mexico, in the place of John Black, recalled.

Benjamin Lindsey, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States at St. Catharines, in the place of Robert S. Cathcart, recalled.

John Bigelow, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Paris, in the place of Henry W. Spencer, recalled.

John S. Prettyman, of Delaware, to be consul of the United States at Glasgow, in the place of George Vail, resigned.

Lucius H. Chandler, of Virginia, to be consul of the United States at Matanzas, in the place of High Martin, jr., recalled.

Theodore D. Edwards, of Kentucky, to be consul of the United States at Demerara, in the place of Thomas E. Jenkins, resigned.

Horace N. Congar, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Hong-Kong, in the place of James Keenan, recalled.

Thomas McCunn, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Londonderry, in the place of Alexander Henderson, recalled.

Henry B. Stacy, of Vermont, to be consul of the United States at Revel, in the place of Charles A. Leas, transferred to Stockholm.

Elisha F. Wallace, of New York, to be consul of the United States at St. Iago de Cuba, in the place of Stephen Cochran, recalled.

F. Cosby, of Kentucky, to be consul of the United States at Geneva, in the place of William Fell Giles, jr., recalled.

James W. Marshall, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Leeds, in the place of Albert Davy, recalled.

Andrew J. Stevens, of Iowa, to be consul of the United States at Leghorn, in the place of Robert M. Walsh, recalled.

Israel S. Diehl, of California, to be consul of the United States at Batavia, in the place of Henry Anthon, jr., recalled.

Francis J. Klauser, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Amsterdam, in the place of R. G. Barnwell, recalled.

Alfred Caldwell, of Virginia, to be consul of the United States at Honolulu, in the place of John A. Parker, recalled.

Samuel Whiting, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Nassau, New Providence, in the place of Isaac J. Merritt, recalled.

William Walton Murphy, of Michigan, to be consul of the United States for the Electorate of Hesse-Cassel, the Landgraviate of Hesse-Hombourg, the Duchy of Nassau, and the Grand Duchy of Hesse-Darmstadt, in the place of Samuel Ricker, recalled.

Warren C. Foster, of Connecticut, to be consul of the United States at Carthage, in the place of Albert Matthieu, recalled.

Thomas Howard, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at San Juan del Sur, in the place of Ran Runnels, recalled.

Zebina Eastman, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Bristol, in the place of Samuel Ward, recalled.

Franklin Webster, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Munich, in the place of Andrew Ten Brook, recalled.

Noah L. Wilson, of Indiana, to be consul of the United States at Tabasco, in the place of E. P. Johnson, recalled.

James Q. Howard, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at St. John's, New Brunswick, to fill a vacancy.

W. J. Stillman, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States at Rome, in the place of H. de V. Glentworth, resigned.

William D. Howells, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Venice, in the place of J. J. Sprenger, recalled.

Franklin Olcott, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Jerusalem, in the place of W. R. Page, recalled.

Charles D. Cleveland, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Cardiff.

Rossiter P. Johnson, of California, to be consul of the United States at Acapulco, in the place of L. W. Emory, recalled.

James De Long, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Tangier, in the place of George V. Brown, resigned.

Mannel Barcena, of Spain, to be consul of the United States at Vigo, to fill a vacancy.

W. C. Buchanan, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Guatemala, to fill a vacancy.

Jasper Smith, of New York, to be consul of the United States at San Juan, Porto Rico, in the place of Charles De Ronceray, recalled.

J. H. Sherman, of Vermont, to be consul of the United States at Prince Edward Island, in the place of A. G. Catlin, recalled.

Julius Bing, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States at Smyrna, in the place of E. S. Offley, recalled.

Alvin M. Mothershead, of Indiana, to be consul of the United States at Leipsic, in the place of P. A. Stockton, recalled.

Henry B. Hammond, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States, at Dublin, in the place of Samuel W. Talbot, recalled.

William Blanchard, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States at Melbourne, in the place of James F. Maguire, recalled.

John de La Montagnie, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Nantes, in the place of Hypolytes Roques, recalled.

Aaron J. Westervelt, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Bangkok, to fill a vacancy.

Thomas H. Dudley, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Liverpool, in the place of Beverly Tucker, recalled.

Amasa Mason, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Manila, in the place of Charles Griswold, recalled.

J. P. M. Epping, of South Carolina, to be consul of the United States at Gottenburg, in the place of Egmont Rohss, recalled.

James C. Patterson, of Iowa, to be consul of the United States at Maranham, in the place of William H. McGrath, recalled.

George F. Seward, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Shanghai, in the place of William L. G. Smith, recalled.

James Lesley, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Nice, to fill a vacancy.

Charles S. Ogden, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Quebec.

Charles A. Munro, a citizen of the United States, to be consul of the United States at Lisbon.

William Moran, jr., of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Bayonne, to fill a vacancy.

Thomas Fitnam, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States at Gaspé Basin, to fill a vacancy.

Theodore Gen to be consul of the United States at Napoleon Vendée, in the place of Charles Andony, recalled.

Allen Francis, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Victoria, Vancouver's Island.

Peter Lott, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Tehuantepec, in the place of Charles R. Webster, resigned.

Max Einstein, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Nuremberg, in the place of Philip Geisse, recalled.

H. R. Helper, of North Carolina, to be consul of the United States at Buenos Ayres, in the place of William H. Hudson, resigned.

William A. Chapman, of Sabanilla, to be consul of the United States at Sabanilla, in the place of John W. Magill, resigned.

George W. Palmer, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Candia, in the place of Augustus Canfield, resigned.

William S. Speer, of Tennessee, to be consul of the United States at Zanzibar, in the place of William G. Webb, recalled.

William Young, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Rio Grande, in the place of George F. Upton, recalled.

Marinus J. Levison, of Belgium, to be consul of the United States at Ghent, in the place of Robert M. Livingston, recalled.

William Irwin, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Bahia, in the place of J. S. Gilmer, recalled.

William M. Weaver, of Vermont, to be consul of the United States at La Paz, to fill a vacancy.

Edward Harte, of California, to be consul of the United States at Macao, to fill a vacancy.

Thomas Addison, jr., of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Pernambuco, in the place of Richard A. Edes, recalled.

Charles A. Seas, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Stockholm, in the place of A. W. Frestadius, jr., recalled.

Ladislans Ujhazi, of Texas, to be consul of the United States at Ancona, to fill a vacancy.

J. S. Redfield, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Otranto.

Alexander Thompson, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Constantinople.

William B. Richmond, of Tennessee, to be consul of the United States at Tunis, in the place of Geo. W. S. Nicholson, recalled.

John W. Dawson, of Indiana, to be governor of the Territory of Utah, in the place of Alfred Cumming, removed.

Henry Connelly, of New Mexico, to be governor of the Territory of New Mexico, in the place of Abraham Bencher, removed.

Moses Kelly, of the District of Columbia, to be register of wills in and for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, in the place of Edward N. Roach, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON. 23d December, 1861.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles Wilkins, Julian Molinard, and Gustavus Koerner be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Calvin H. Hale be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Thomas Clowes be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas R. Jarvis and Henry P. Parker be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles H. Foster be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nominations of John Lothrop Motley, Robert H. Pruyn, Thomas Biddle, and B. F. Rexford be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles W. Goddard, Alexander Thompson, and of all the consuls received this day be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of John W. Dawson and Henry Connelly be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Ordered, That the nomination of Moses Kelly be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, the 12th instant, the nomination of Albert J. De Zeyk, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Albert J. De Zeyk, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate, as in Committee of the Whole, proceeded to consider the special treaty between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, concerning the abolition of the Stade or Brunshausen dues, concluded at Berlin the 6th day of November, 1861; and,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That it be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin B. French; and,

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That it be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Joseph F. Brown, Zenas C. Robbins, Geo. S. Gideon, William H. Tenney, and Sayles J. Bowen; and,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That they be postponed until to-morrow.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1861.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Hamilton Cummings to be deputy postmaster at Covington, in the county of Kenton and State of Kentucky, in place of W. D. Holt, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 21, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Myron Buck to be deputy postmaster at St. Albans, in the county of Franklin and State of Vermont, in place of John J. Deavitt, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 23, 1861.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, December 21, 1861.

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, December 21, 1861.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States:

PROMOTIONS.

Subsistence Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph P. Taylor, assistant commissary-general of subsistence, to be commissary-general of subsistence with the rank of colonel, September 29, 1861, vice Gibson, deceased.

Major Amos B. Eaton, commissary of subsistence, to be assistant commissary-general of subsistence with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, September 29, 1861, vice Taylor, promoted.

Captain Amos Beckwith, commissary of subsistence, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of major, September 29, 1861, vice Eaton, promoted.

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Alexander B. Hasson to be surgeon, August 17, 1861, vice Madison, resigned.

Corps of Topographical Engineers.

Major Stephen H. Long to be colonel, September 9, 1861, vice Albert, retired.

Major Thomas J. Cram to be lieutenant-colonel, September 9, 1861, vice Kearney, retired.

Captain Howard Stansbury to be major, August 6, 1861, to fill an original vacancy (since retired).

Captain William R. Palmer to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Long, promoted.

Captain George Thom to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Graham, retired.

Captain Amiel W. Whipple to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Cram, promoted.

First Lieutenant Nathaniel Michler to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Palmer, promoted.

First Lieutenant John G. Parke to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Thom, promoted.

First Lieutenant Gouverneur K. Warren to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Whipple, promoted.

First Lieutenant George H. Mendell to be captain, September 28, 1861, vice Stansbury, retired.

Second Lieutenant James H. Wilson to be first lieutenant, September 9, 1861, vice Michler, promoted.

Ordnance Department.

First Lieutenant George T. Balch to be captain, November 1, 1861, vice Symmes, retired.

Second Lieutenant Richard M. Hill to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Balch, promoted.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Captain Llewellyn Jones, of the Third Cavalry, to be major, September 28, 1861, vice Steen, promoted into the Second Cavalry (since retired).

Captain Washington L. Elliott, of the Third Cavalry, to be major, November 5, 1861, vice Jones, retired.

First Lieutenant Benjamin F. Davis to be captain, July 30, 1861, vice H. B. Davidson, dismissed.

First Lieutenant James Wheeler to be captain, September 7, 1861, vice Carleton, appointed major in the Sixth Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Richard S. C. Lord to be captain, October 26, 1861, vice Gardner, promoted into the Second Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Augustus Pleasonton to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Gregg, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant George B. Sanford to be first lieutenant, July 30, 1861, vice Davis, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Isaac R. Dunkelberger to be first lieutenant, August 7, 1861, the date of First Lieutenant McKee's appointment as adjutant.

Second Lieutenant John Adair to be first lieutenant, September 7, 1861, vice Wheeler, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John A. Schulze to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Lord, promoted.

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas J. Wood, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be colonel, November 12, 1861, vice Cook, appointed brigadier-general.

Major Enoch Steen, of the First Cavalry, to be lieutenant-colonel, September 28, 1861, vice Howe, promoted to the Third Cavalry.

Captain Washington I. Newton to be major, October 1, 1861, vice Graham, promoted to the Fifth Cavalry (since retired).

Captain John W. T. Gardiner, of the First Cavalry, to be major, October 26, 1861, vice Newton, retired (since retired).

Captain John W. Davidson, of the First Cavalry, to be major, November 14, 1861, vice Gardiner, retired.

First Lieutenant John Green to be captain, August 13, 1861, vice Armstrong, resigned.

First Lieutenant Lewis Merrill to be captain, October 1, 1861, vice Newton, promoted.

First Lieutenant John K. Mizner to be captain, November 12, 1861, vice Buford, appointed assistant inspector-general.

Second Lieutenant Theophilus F. Rodenbough to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Gay, appointed captain in the Sixteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Charles W. Canfield to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Sanders, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Robert E. Clary to be first lieutenant, May 30, 1861, vice Gordon, promoted.

Second Lieutenant David S. Gordon to be first lieutenant, June 1, 1861, vice Jackson, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Robert S. Smith to be first lieutenant, June 6, 1861, vice Armstrong, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles McK. Leoser to be first lieutenant, August 8, 1861, vice Livingston, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James F. McQuesten to be first lieutenant, August 23, 1861, vice Green, promoted.

Second Lieutenant George G. Sokalski to be first lieutenant, October 1, 1861, vice Merrill, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Gibson to be first lieutenant, November 12, 1861, vice Mizner, promoted.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Marshall S. Howe, of the Second Cavalry, to be colonel, September 28, 1861, vice Simonson, retired.

First Lieutenant Joseph G. Tilford to be captain, July 31, 1861, vice Walker, resigned.

First Lieutenant Christopher H. McNally to be captain, September 21, 1861, vice Jones, promoted to the First Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Edward P. Cressesey to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Howland, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Andrew J. Alexander to be first lieutenant, vice McRea, promoted, to date from July 26, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Elisha W. Tarlton to be first lieutenant, vice Jones, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant William Hawley to be first lieutenant, vice Tilford, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Sidney Banks to be first lieutenant, vice Claffin, appointed first lieutenant in the Sixth Cavalry, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant James R. Kemble to be first lieutenant, September 28, 1861, vice McNally, promoted.

Fourth Regiment of Cavalry.

Major James Oakes, of the Fifth Cavalry, to be lieutenant-colonel, November 12, 1861, vice Wood, promoted to the Second Cavalry.

First Lieutenant George D. Bayard to be captain, August 20, 1861, vice Beall, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Tillinghast L'Hommedieu to be first lieutenant, August 20, 1861, vice Bayard, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Eugene B. Beaumont to be first lieutenant, September 14, 1861, the date of First Lieutenant Hunt's appointment as adjutant.

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Major Lawrence P. Graham, of the Second Cavalry, to be lieutenant-colonel, October 1, 1861, vice Sackett, appointed inspector-general.

Captain Joseph H. Whittlesey, of the First Cavalry, to be major, November 12, 1861, vice Oakes, promoted to the Fourth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Julius W. Mason to be first lieutenant, June 1, 1861, the date of First Lieutenant Arnold's appointment as adjutant.

Second Lieutenant Edward H. Leib to be first lieutenant, June 10, 1861, vice Williams, resigned.

First Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Justin Dimick, of the Second Artillery, to be colonel, October 26, 1861, vice Erving, retired.

Major George Nauman, of the Third Artillery, to be lieutenant-colonel, July 23, 1861, vice Gardner, promoted to the Second Artillery.

First Lieutenant John M. Schofield to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Seymour, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Richard C. Duryea to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Chalfin, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Henry W. Closson to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Dawson, appointed major in the Nineteenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Loomis L. Langdon to be captain, August 28, 1861, vice Hill, promoted to the Second Artillery.

First Lieutenant Charles H. Webber to be captain, October 26, 1861, vice Knowlton, retired.

First Lieutenant William M. Graham to be captain, October 26, 1861, vice French, promoted to the Second Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Guy V. Henry to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Gillem, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant George A. Woodruff to be first lieutenant, vice Schofield, promoted to date from June 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Justin E. Dimick to be first lieutenant, vice Bell, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from June 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Franck E. Taylor to be first lieutenant, vice Duryea, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant John S. Gibbs to be first lieutenant, vice Robinson, resigned, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Edward L. Appleton to be first lieutenant, vice Ramsay, killed in battle, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Hardman P. Norris to be first lieutenant, vice Jenkins, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant William L. Haskin to be first lieutenant, vice Closson, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant John S. Crosby to be first lieutenant, August 28, 1861, vice Langdon, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Chandler P. Eakin to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Webber, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Joseph P. Sanger to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Graham, promoted.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel John L. Gardner, of the First Artillery, to be colonel, July 23, 1861, vice Payne, resigned (since retired).

Lieutenant-Colonel William W. Morris, of the Fourth Artillery, to be colonel, November 1, 1861, vice Gardner, retired.

Major Horace Brooks to be lieutenant-colonel, October 26, 1861, vice Dimick, promoted to the First Artillery.

Captain Bennett H. Hill, of the First Artillery, to be major, August 28, 1861, vice Burke, promoted to the Third Artillery.

Captain William H. French, of the First Artillery, to be major, October 26, 1861, vice Brooks, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Peter C. Hains to be first lieutenant, vice Thompson, promoted, to date from June 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Edward Williston to be first lieutenant, September 27, 1861, vice Davies, appointed captain in the Sixteenth Infantry.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Major Martin Burke, of the Second Artillery, to be lieutenant-colonel, August 28, 1861, vice Merchant, promoted to the Fourth Artillery.

Captain William Austine to be major, July 23, 1861, vice Nauman, promoted to the First Artillery.

First Lieutenant William A. Winder to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Wyse, promoted to the Fourth Artillery.

First Lieutenant Alexander Piper to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Hardie, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery.

First Lieutenant John Edwards to be captain, July 23, 1861, vice Austine, promoted.

First Lieutenant La Rhett L. Livingston to be captain, October 26, 1861, vice Lendrum, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Samuel F. Mills to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice De Hart, appointed captain in the Fifth Artillery (since retired).

Second Lieutenant Watson Webb to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Winder, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Franklin Harwood to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Du Barry, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Erskine Gittings to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice McKeever, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant William D. Fuller to be first lieutenant, vice Tipton, deceased, to date from June 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Henry S. Waterman to be first lieutenant, vice Kellogg, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Horace J. Hayden to be first lieutenant, vice Piper, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant John G. Turnbull to be first lieutenant, vice Edwards, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Edmund Pendleton to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Livingston, promoted.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles S. Merchant, of the Third Artillery, to be colonel, August 28, 1861, vice Belton, retired.

Major Francis O. Wyes to be lieutenant-colonel, November 1, 1861, vice Morris, promoted to the Second Artillery.

Captain Frances O. Wyse, of the Third Artillery, to be major, May 14, 1861, vice Morris, promoted.

Captain Joseph Roberts to be major, September 3, 1861, vice Porter, retired.

Captain Henry B. Judd, of the Third Artillery, to be major, November 1, 1861, vice Wyse, promoted (since retired).

Captain Edward O. C. Ord, of the Third Artillery, to be major, November 21, 1861, vice Judd, retired.

First Lieutenant John Mendenhall to be captain, July 3, 1861, vice Brown, resigned.

First Lieutenant Frederick M. Follett to be captain, September 3, 1861, vice Roberts, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William L. Baker to be first lieutenant, vice Perkins, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Frank G. Smith to be first lieutenant, vice Saxton, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant George B. Rodney to be first lieutenant, vice Mack, appointed captain in the Thirteenth Infantry, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Stephen Whitney to be first lieutenant, vice Mendenhall, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Rufus King, jr., to be first lieutenant, vice Goode, dismissed, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Franklin B. Crosby to be first lieutenant, vice Waddy, resigned, to date from August 8, 1861.

Second Lieutenant John S. Hunt to be first lieutenant, vice Follett, promoted, to date from October 25, 1861.

First Regiment of Infantry.

Major Seth Eastman, of the Fifth Infantry, to be lieutenant colonel, September 9, 1861, vice Morris, retired.

First Lieutenant Joseph A. Mower to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Granger, promoted to the Fifth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Herman Biggs, to be first lieutenant, May 10, 1861, vice Jones, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Matthew R. Marston to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Holabird, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Isaac De Russy to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Phillips, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Leslie Smith to be first lieutenant, June 11, 1861, vice Powell, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Sheldon Sturgeon to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, vice Greene, deceased.

Second Lieutenant William H. Sterling to be first lieutenant, July 28, 1861, vice Reynolds, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Fletcher to be first lieutenant, September 9, 1861, vice Mower, promoted.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

Captain Arthur T. Lee, of the Eighth Infantry, to be major, October 26, 1861, vice Hawkins, retired.

First Lieutenant James McMillan to be captain, August 10, 1861, vice Lyon, killed in battle.

First Lieutenant Alexander E. Drake to be captain, October 9, 1861, vice Lovell, promoted to the Third Infantry.

First Lieutenant Joseph S. Conrad to be captain, November 1, 1861, vice Davidson, promoted to the Fourth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Salem S. Marsh to be captain, November 12, 1861, vice Davis, appointed assistant inspector-general.

Second Lieutenant Alexander E. Drake to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice O'Connell, appointed captain in the Fourteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Richard Brindley to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Latimer, appointed captain in the Eleventh Infantry.

Second Lieutenant John S. Poland to be first lieutenant, June 6, 1861, vice Bond, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Franklin H. Barroll to be first lieutenant, August 10, 1861, vice Hawkins, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Samuel A. McKee to be first lieutenant, August 10, 1861, vice Ruggles, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant James W. Long to be first lieutenant, August 10, 1861, vice McMillan, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William F. Drum to be first lieutenant, October 9, 1861, vice Drake, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles M. Freeman to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Conrad, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John A. Clark to be first lieutenant, November 12, 1861, vice Marsh, promoted.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles F. Smith, of the Tenth Infantry, to be colonel, September 9, 1861, vice Bonneville, retired.

Captain Nathan B. Rossell, of the Fifth Infantry, to be major, September 25, vice Macrae, retired.

Captain Christopher S. Lovell, of Second Infantry, to be major, October 9, 1861, vice Sibley, promoted to the Ninth Infantry. (Since retired.)

First Lieutenant William Dickinson to be captain, July 31, 1861, vice Gordon, promoted to the Eighth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Jacob F. Kent to be first lieutenant, July 31, 1861, vice Dickinson, promoted.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Silas Casey, of the Ninth Infantry, to be colonel, October 9, 1861, vice Whistler, retired.

Major Robert C. Buchanan to be lieutenant-colonel, September 9, 1861, vice Morris, retired.

Captain Seneca G. Simmons, of the Seventh Infantry, to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Buchanan, promoted.

Captain Delozier Davidson, of the Second Infantry, to be major, November 1, 1861, vice Ketchum, promoted to the Tenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Robert N. Scott to be captain, September 25, 1861, vice Haller, promoted to the Seventh Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Abner R. Benedict to be first lieutenant, vice Bonnycastle, resigned, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Thomas A. Martin to be first lieutenant, vice Sheridan, appointed captain in the Thirteenth Infantry, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant William W. Slack to be first lieutenant, vice Gentry, appointed first lieutenant in the Seventeenth Infantry, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Avery B. Cain to be first lieutenant, vice Connor, appointed first lieutenant in the Seventeenth Infantry, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Alexander Carolin to be first lieutenant, September 25, 1861, vice Scott, promoted.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

Major Thomas L. Alexander, of the Eighth Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, July 31, 1861, vice Rains, resigned.

Captain Robert S. Granger, of the First Infantry, to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Eastman, promoted to the First Infantry.

First Lieutenant Donald C. Stith to be captain, August 8, 1861, vice Whitall, appointed paymaster.

First Lieutenant David H. Brotherton to be captain, September 25, 1861, vice Rossell, promoted to the Third Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edmund Freeman to be first lieutenant, March 27, 1861, vice Archer, promoted (since retired).

Second Lieutenant Allen L. Anderson to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Webb, appointed captain in the Sixteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Lyman Mishler to be first lieutenant, May 1, 1861, vice Chambers, appointed captain in the Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Simon Snyder to be first lieutenant, June 25, 1861, vice Bankhead, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John T. Price to be first lieutenant, August 8, 1861, vice Stith, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William P. Anderson to be first lieutenant, September 25, 1861, vice Wilson, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John S. Casey to be first lieutenant, September 25, 1861, vice Brotherton, retired.

Second Lieutenant Samuel Ovenshine to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Freeman, retired.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant John J. Upham to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Wharton, promoted to the Ninth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Billings B. Childs to be first lieutenant, vice Bryant, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Joseph B. Rife to be first lieutenant, September 9, 1861, vice Upham, promoted.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Captain Granville O. Haller, of the Fourth Infantry, to be major, September 25, 1861, vice Smith retired.

First Lieutenant David P. Hancock to be captain, May 27, 1861, vice J. M. Jones, resigned.

First Lieutenant William R. Pease to be captain, June 8, 1861, vice Wilcox, resigned.

First Lieutenant Charles B. Stivers to be captain, September 9, 1861, vice Simmons, promoted to the Fourth Infantry.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain William H. Gordon, of the Third Infantry, to be major, July 31, 1861, vice Alexander, promoted to the Fifth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Edwin W. H. Read to be captain, October 26, 1861, vice Lee, promoted to the Second Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Philip H. Remington to be first lieutenant, August 23, 1861, vice Peck, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Eugene Carter to be first lieutenant, October 26, 1861, vice Read, promoted.

Ninth Regiment of Infantry.

Major Caleb C. Sibley, of the Third Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, October 9, 1861, vice Casey, promoted to the Fourth Infantry.

Captain Henry W. Wharton, of the Sixth Infantry, to be major, September 9, 1861, vice Steptoe, promoted to the Tenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Philip A. Owen to be captain, June 25, 1861, vice Pickett, resigned.

Second Lieutenant John D. Devin to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Forsyth, appointed first lieutenant in the Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Charles O. Wood to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Hughes, appointed first lieutenant in the Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant David W. Biddle to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Harker, appointed first lieutenant in the Fifteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Mears to be first lieutenant, May 17, 1861, vice Wickliffe, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Campbell D. Emory to be first lieutenant, June 25, 1861, vice Myers, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Clayton McMichael to be first lieutenant, vice Owen, promoted, to date from August 5, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Philip R. Forney to be first lieutenant, September 6, 1861, vice Howard, resigned.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

Major William S. Ketchum, of the Fourth Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, November 1, 1861, vice Steptoe, resigned.

First Lieutenant William H. Rossell to be captain, September 7, 1861, vice Williams, appointed major in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant William G. Jones to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Murry, appointed first lieutenant in the Thirteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Robert H. Hall to be first lieutenant June 1, 1861, vice Kearny, resigned.

Second Lieutenant George W. Vanderbilt to be first lieutenant, June 14, 1861, vice Armistead, resigned.

Second Lieutenant George S. Lanman to be first lieutenant, June 25, 1861, vice Cunningham, resigned.

Second Lieutenant William T. Godwin to be first lieutenant, July 1, 1861, vice Williams, promoted.

Second Lieutenant George H. Butler to be first lieutenant, July 15, 1861, vice Deshler, dropped.

Second Lieutenant Heyward Cutting to be first lieutenant, September 7, 1861, vice Rossell, promoted.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Francis E. Brownell to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Wood, appointed captain.

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edwin M. Coates to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Lay, appointed captain.

Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Francis Clarke, to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Murry, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant Ferdinand E. De Courcy to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Carey, appointed captain.

Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Joseph H. Vanderslice to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Watson, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant Patrick Collins to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Ingraham, appointed captain.

Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant William B. Oceleston to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Ritter, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant Wilbur F. Melbourne to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Harker, appointed captain.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant William H. Ingerton to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Bascom, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant Thomas J. Durnin to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Bache, appointed captain.

Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Henry Iuman to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Gentry, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant Reuben C. Winslow to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Connor, appointed captain.

Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant James Simons to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Forsyth, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant James Powell to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Hughes, appointed captain.

Promotions by brevet.

Colonel Henry Van Rensselaer, inspector-general, to be brigadier-general by brevet, November 23, 1861.

Captain Alexander B. Dyer, of the Ordnance Department, to be major by brevet, November 27, 1861.

APPOINTMENTS.

General officers.

Colonel Philip St. G. Cooke, of the Second Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Adjutant-General's Department.

First Lieutenant Samuel Breck, jr., of the First Artillery, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, November 29, 1861, vice Baird, appointed assistant inspector-general.

Inspector-General's Department.

Lieutenant Colonel Delos B. Sacket, of the Fifth Cavalry, to be inspector-general with the rank of colonel, vice Churchill, retired, to date from October 1, 1861.

Henry Van Rensselaer, of New York, to be inspector-general with the rank of colonel, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Nelson H. Davis, of the Second Infantry, to be assistant inspector-general with the rank of major, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain James Totten, of the Second Artillery, to be assistant inspector-general with the rank of major, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain John Buford, of the Second Cavalry, to be assistant inspector-general with the rank of major, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Roger Jones, assistant quartermaster, to be assistant inspector-general with the rank of major, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Absalom Baird, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant inspector-general with the rank of major, November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Quartermaster's Department.

First Lieutenant Symmes Garduer, of the Eighteenth Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, August 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles Leib, of the Eleventh Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, August 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Benjamin C. Card, of the 12th Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, September 27, 1861, to fill original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Joseph A. Potter, of the Fifteenth Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, September 27, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles H. Tompkins, of the Fifth Cavalry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, November 13, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles A. Reynolds, of the Ninth Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, November 13, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Military Storekeeper Charles A. Alligood, of the Ordnance Department, to be military storkeeper in the Quartermaster's Department, vice W. R. Gibson, appointed additional paymaster, to date from September 19, 1861.

Subsistence Department.

First Lieutenant Thomas Wilson, of the Fifth Infantry, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, October 25, 1861, vice Beckwith, promoted.

Medical Department.

Alfred A. Woodhull, of Kansas, to be assistant surgeon, September 19, 1861, vice Hasson, promoted.

William A. Bradley, of the District of Columbia, to be assistant surgeon, to date from October 22, 1861, vice Crawford, appointed major in the Thirteenth Infantry.

George P. Jaquett, of New Jersey, to be assistant surgeon, to date from October 23, 1861, vice Ryland, deceased.

Pay Department.

Simeon Smith, of Minnesota, to be paymaster, to date from August 29, 1861, vice Marcy, appointed inspector-general.

Ordnance Department.

John A. Green, of Maryland, to be military storekeeper, to date from September 27, 1861, vice Alligood, appointed military storekeeper in the Quartermaster's Department.

Ephraim D. Ellsworth, of New York, to be military storekeeper, to date from November 16, 1861, vice Murphy, dismissed.

Charles Weston, of Maine, to be military storekeeper, to date from November 27, 1861, vice Chase, appointed major in the Thirteenth Infantry.

FIRST REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

To be second lieutenants.

Judson Haycock, of California, to date from August 26, 1861, vice Brisbin, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

1. First Sergeant James A. Hall, of Company C, October 24, 1861, vice Buel, transferred to the Ordnance Department.

5. James B. Swain, of New York, to date from November 1, 1861, vice Leyford, transferred to the Ordnance Department.

1. Cæsar R. Fisher, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 12, 1861, vice Pleasonton, promoted.

Frederick C. Ogden, of New York, to date from November 21, 1861, vice Sanford, promoted.

1. James B. Alexander, of Kentucky, to date from November 26, 1861, vice Dunkelberger, promoted.

SECOND REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

To be second lieutenants.

5. Sergeant-Major Thomas W. Burton, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Smith, promoted.

11. First Sergeant Thomas B. Dewees, of Company B, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Leoser, promoted.

1. William Blanchard, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 14, 1861, vice Parker, transferred to the Ordnance.

William H. Harrison, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 30, 1861, vice McQuesten, promoted.

THIRD REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

To be second lieutenants.

4. First Sergeant Henry Sachs, of Company K, Second Cavalry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Elbert, promoted.

23. Philip K. Thomas, of —, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Alexander, promoted.

25. William G. Hoffman, of Virginia, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Tarlton, promoted.

26. Carter B. Harrison, of —, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Hawley, promoted.

Charles Newbold, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 16, 1861, vice Banks, promoted.

FOURTH REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

To be second lieutenants.

3. First Sergeant William O'Connell, of Company B, to date from October 24, 1861, vice L'Hommedieu, promoted.

4. First Sergeant Henry Gordon, of Company C, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Beaumont, promoted.

FIFTH REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

To be second lieutenants.

William H. Brown, of Maryland, to date from October 23, 1861, vice Mason, promoted.

38. Sergeant Harrison Fosdick, of the general service, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Edie, transferred to the Ordnance Department.

SIXTH REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

Captain and Brevet Major James H. Carleton, of the First Cavalry, to be major, September 7, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Lawrence A. Williams, of the Tenth Infantry, to be major, September 7, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William P. Sanders, of the Second Cavalry, to be captain, May 14, 1861, vice Moore, declined.

Second Lieutenant Joseph C. Audenried, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be first lieutenant, June 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

1. Second Lieutenant John W. Spangler to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.
2. Second Lieutenant Peter McGrath to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

TO BE SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

1. Sergeant Isaac W. Ward, October 26, 1861.
2. Sergeant Albert Coats, October 26, 1861.
3. Sergeant Joseph Kerin, of the general service, October 26, 1861.
5. Sergeant Christian Balder, October 26, 1861.
1. Sergeant Andrew Stoll, November 1, 1861.
2. Sergeant Samuel M. Whitside, November 1, 1861.
3. Sergeant Daniel Madden, November 1, 1861.

FIRST REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

To be second lieutenants.

1. Frank S. French, at large, to date from September 27, 1861, vice Elderkin, promoted.
11. First Sergeant Robert M. Hall, of Company M, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Crosby, promoted.
27. Egbert W. Olcott, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Henry, promoted.
30. Theodore K. Gibbs, of Rhode Island, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Woodruff, promoted.
31. David E. Porter, at large, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Dimick, promoted.
36. Edward A. Duer, of New Jersey, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Taylor, promoted.
39. B. C. Chetwood, of —, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Gibbs, promoted.
- Sergeant Theophil Von Michalowski, of the Eleventh Infantry, to date from October 28, 1861, vice Appleton, promoted.
1. First Sergeant Redmond Tully, of Light Company K, First Artillery, to date from November 15, 1861, vice Norris, promoted.

SECOND REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

To be second lieutenants.

- Robert Clarke, of Pennsylvania, to date from September 23, 1861, vice Benjamin, promoted.
1. Carle A. Woodruff, at large, to date from October 22, 1861, vice Barlow, promoted.
 22. Albert O. Vincent, of Ohio, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Davies, promoted.
 3. Carleton Lowe, of Iowa, to date from October 24, 1861, vice James, promoted.
 35. Robert H. Chapin, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Butler, promoted.
 40. James S. Dudley, of Vermont, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Haines, promoted.
 44. Theodore Bradley, of New Jersey, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Farley, transferred to the Ordnance Department.
 2. William Borrowe, of New York, to date from November 15, 1861, vice Williston, promoted.

THIRD REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

To be second lieutenants.

21. Edmund Pendleton, of Virginia, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Hardin, promoted.

24. Henry Meinell, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Mills, promoted.

28. William W. Tompkins, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Webb, promoted.

33. Corporal James L. Thomas, of Company G, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Smyser, appointed first lieutenant in the Fifth Artillery.

John R. Myrick, of New York, to date from November 18, 1861, vice Rawles, appointed first lieutenant in the Fifth Artillery.

1. Sergeant James R. Kelly, of Company D, Fourth Artillery, to date from November 29, 1861, vice Babbitt, transferred to the Ordnance Department.

1. George F. Barstow, of Massachusetts, to date from November 30, 1861, vice Harwood, promoted.

2. George M. Fillmore, of Minnesota, to date from November 30, 1861, vice Gittings, promoted.

FOURTH REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

To be first lieutenants.

Edward D. Muhlenburg, of Pennsylvania, vice Kensel, appointed first lieutenant in the Fifth Artillery, to date from October 22, 1861.

3. Charles L. Fitzhugh, of New York, vice Dana, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from October 24, 1861.

To be second lieutenants.

John S. Hunt, of New York, to date from October 21, 1861, vice Dresser, promoted.

Sergeant George Dickenson, of the First Missouri Volunteer Artillery, to date from October 21, 1861, vice Hasbrouck, promoted.

Samuel Canby, of Delaware, to date from October 21, 1861, vice Cushing, promoted.

Francis D. L. Russell, of Massachusetts, to date from October 21, 1861, vice Parsons, promoted.

3. Bayard Wilkeson, of New York, to date from October 22, 1861, vice Thomas, promoted.

12. Sergeant Harry C. Cushing, of the First Rhode Island Artillery, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Campbell, promoted.

34. Eugene A. Bancroft, of Massachusetts, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Baker, promoted.

41. Henry A. Huntingdon, of Illinois, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Smith, promoted.

42. Augustus C. Craven, at large, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Whitney, promoted.

43. John M. Stephenson, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice King, promoted.

3. First Sergeant James Stewart, of Light Company B, to date from November 30, 1861, vice Crosby, promoted.

3. Henry B. Beecher, of New York, to date from November 30, 1861, vice Hunt, promoted.

FIRST REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

2. William C. Green, of Pennsylvania, to date from September 27, 1861, vice Smith, promoted.

20. Corporal John Cusack, of Company E, Second Artillery, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Sturgeon, promoted.

45. Charles D. Viele, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Sterling, promoted.

48. Edward H. Mace, of Indiana, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Fletcher, promoted.

50. Howard Reeder, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Sweet, appointed captain in the Seventh Infantry.

51. William N. Tisdall, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice McCullough, declined.

SECOND REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

2. First Sergeant George H. McLoughlin, of Company E, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Drake, promoted.

8. Sergeant Major Adolph W. Krontinger, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Brindley, promoted.

9. First Sergeant Thomas D. Parker, of Company I, Eighth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Poland, promoted.

15. Sergeant Ralph E. Elinwood, of Company I, Eighth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Barroll, promoted.

16. First Sergeant William West, of Company K, Third Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice McKee, promoted.

1. William G. Fitch, of Connecticut, to date from October 29, 1861, vice Long, promoted.

2. Abraham Grafius, to date from November 26, 1861, vice Dunu, promoted.

3. William Kidd, to date from November 26, 1861, vice Freeman, promoted.

4. John H. Markley, to date from November 26, 1861, vice Clarke, promoted.

THIRD REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

6. Sergeant Major Frederick Devoe to be second lieutenant, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Kent, promoted.

FOURTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

46. William H. Powell, of the District of Columbia, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Martin, promoted.

49. George M. Raudall, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Slack, promoted.

52. Henry W. Patterson, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Cain, promoted.

FIFTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

Edmond Butler, of New York, to date from October 7, 1861, vice Stone, appointed first lieutenant in the Fourteenth Infantry.

7. Sergeant Major Martin Mullins, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Freeman, promoted.

13. First Sergeant Charles Speed, of Company H, Third Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Mishler, promoted.

14. First Sergeant Franklin Cook, of Company C, Eighth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Snyder, promoted.

47. Samuel L. Barr, of Delaware, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Price, promoted.

1. Nelson Thomasson, of Illinois, to date from October 31, 1861, vice W. P. Anderson, promoted.

2. Francis H. Wilson, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 14, 1861, vice Casey, promoted.

SIXTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

53. Jeremiah P. Schindel, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Childs, promoted.

55. Byron Kirby, of Ohio, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Rife, promoted.

SEVENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

29. Alouzo A. Cole, of Indiana, to date from October 24, 1861.

1. Walter Newman, of Indiana, to date from October 30, 1861.

2. Corporal John Jackson, of Company C, Second Infantry, to date from October 31, 1861.

2. Richard R. Crawford, of Connecticut, to date from November 29, 1861.

3. Corporal George McGowan, of Company C, Second Infantry, to date from November 29, 1861.

EIGHTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

54. John W. French, at large, to be second lieutenant, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Remington, promoted.

NINTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

17. First Sergeant Herman O. Renaldo, of Company I, Sixth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Biddle, promoted.

4. Samuel G. Penney, of Pennsylvania, to date from November 1, 1861, vice Mears, promoted.

2. William B. Barney, of Iowa, to date from November 12, 1861, vice Emory, promoted.

3. Edward D. Wait, of New York, to date from November 12, 1861, vice McMichael, promoted.

4. John E. Yard, of California, to date from November 12, 1861, vice Forney, promoted.

TENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

18. Edwin E. Sellers, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Godwin, promoted.

19. First Sergeant Claude S. Robertson, of Company H, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Butler, promoted.

ELEVENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

Edward C. Boynton, of Mississippi, to date from September 23, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Henry C. Wood, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles E. Farrand, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

3. John E. Evans, of Maryland, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Nicodemus, appointed captain in the Twelfth Infantry.

Henry B. Livingston, of New York, to date from October 28, 1861, vice Brown, resigned.

To be second lieutenants.

56. Edward Ellsworth, of Wisconsin, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Brown, promoted.

2. First Sergeant William Fletcher, of Company F, Eighth Infantry, to date from October 29, 1861, vice Brownell, promoted.

3. Sergeant Charles Bentzoni, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

4. Sergeant Oscar Hagen, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

TWELFTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

Edward R. Pennington, of New Jersey, to date from October 4, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William J. L. Nicodemus, of the Eleventh Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Carbery Lay, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

2. Frederick Winthrop, of New York, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

Harry C. Egbert, of Pennsylvania, to date from September 23, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Benjamin C. Card, of Kansas, to date from September 27, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

William W. Dewey, of Iowa, to date from September 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

4. Second Lieutenant Bernard P. Mimmack, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be second lieutenants.

Sergeant Bernard P. Mimmack, to date from September 16, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Charles F. Van Duzer, of New York, to date from September 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

57. Frederick A. Tracy, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Depew, declined.

58. John A. Durillard, of New York, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Coates, promoted.

THIRTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be major.

Military Storekeeper Daniel Chase, of the Ordnance Department, October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be captains.

First Lieutenant Alexander Murry, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Asa B. Carey, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Albert M. Powell, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

4. William M. Wherry, of Missouri, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Powell, appointed captain.

7. Javan B. Irvine, of Minnesota, to date from October 26, 1871, vice Burke, appointed captain in the Fourteenth Infantry.

To be second lieutenants.

59. Sergeant Patrick Meagher, of Company C, Fifth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Clark, promoted.

60. First Sergeant William Griffin, of Company B, Second Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice De Courcy, promoted.

FOURTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

William C. McCall, of New Jersey, to date from September 19, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Joseph N. Locke, of Ohio, to date from September 19, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

John J. Coppinger, of New York, to date from September 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles B. Watson to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles H. Ingraham to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Roderick Stone to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant P. E. Burke, of the Thirteenth Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William R. Smedberg to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Richard P. H. Durkee to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William H. Lawrence to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Richard F. O'Beirne to date from October 25, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

6. James B. Sinclair of New York, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Stone, appointed captain.

8. James W. Weir, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Smedberg, appointed captain.

10. James H. Odlin, of ———, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Durkee, appointed captain.

12. George M. Downey, of ———, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Lawrence, appointed captain.

13. Robert H. Porter, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 25, 1861, vice O'Beirne, appointed captain.

To be second lieutenants.

Sergeant James Henton to date from October 5, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

61. George W. Hoover, of the District of Columbia, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Vanderslice, promoted.

62. Wilberforce W. Lyon, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Collins, promoted.

1. First Sergeant Daniel Loosley to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

2. First Sergeant Alonzo J. Bellows to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

FIFTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

First Lieutenant John F. Ritter, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Charles G. Harker, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant James Curtiss, to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

1. Lynde Catlin, of New York, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

6. Joseph R. Paxton, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

Irwin W. Potter, of Wisconsin, to date from September 11, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Joseph A. Potter, of Ohio, to date from September 27, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

5. Andrew M. Brown, of Illinois, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Curtiss, appointed captain.

To be second lieutenants.

Samuel S. Holbrook, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 13, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

63. Ohio H. Binckley, of Ohio, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Occleston, promoted.

64. Gilbert A. Mallory, of Ohio, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Melbourne, promoted.

2. Robert P. King, lance sergeant, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

3. Sergeant James Y. Semple, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

3. George K. Sanderson, private, to date from October 31, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

5. Sergeant George H. Burns, to date from November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

SIXTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

James Biddle, of Michigan, to date from August 5, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Francis A. Davies, of the Second Artillery, to date from September 27, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant George N. Bascom, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Francis M. Bache, to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

3. Patrick Kelly, of New York, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

7. James Kelly, of New York, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

Jacob Kline, of Pennsylvania, to date from September 9, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

John Watt, of the District of Columbia, to date from September 9, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

9. William H. Smyth, of Kansas, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be second lieutenants.

65. William M. Breeze, of Illinois, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Ingerton, promoted.

66. First Sergeant John Power, of Company I, First Infantry, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Durnin, promoted.

5. First Sergeant Homer H. Clark, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

6. Sergeant William W. Arnold, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

SEVENTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

Robert F. Morley, of Pennsylvania, to date from August 9, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Charles C. Goddard, of Ohio, to date from September 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William T. Gentry, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Edward J. Conner, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

4. Second Lieutenant William Sweet, of the First Infantry, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

9. Charles Holmes, of New Hampshire, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Henry A. Ellis, of New York, to date from November 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

1. F. E. Crossman, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

11. Robert P. Wilson, of Virginia, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be second lieutenants.

67. Edward W. Whittemore, of Massachusetts, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Inman, promoted.

69. John S. Knapp, of Illinois, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Winslow, promoted.

EIGHTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be major.

William A. Stokes, of Pennsylvania, to date from September 7, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be captains.

First Lieutenant James W. Forsyth, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William B. Hughes, to date from October 24, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant Robert B. Hull, to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

First Lieutenant William J. Fetterman, to date from October 25, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

10. John A. Thompson, of Missouri, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

11. Henry Haymond, of Virginia, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be first lieutenants.

5. Second Lieutenant William P. McCleery, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

2. Irwin M. Wallace, of ———, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Hull, appointed captain.

14. Horace Brown, of Maine, to date from October 26, 1861, vice Fetterman, appointed captain.

To be second lieutenants.

68. Daniel W. Benhem, of Ohio, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Simons, promoted.

70. William J. Phelps, of ———, to date from October 24, 1861, vice McCleery, appointed first lieutenant.

4. Sergeant-Major Frederick Phisterer, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

5. Quartermaster-Sergeant Frederick H. Brown, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

6. First Sergeant Henry B. Freeman, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

7. First Sergeant Samuel J. Dick, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

8. First Sergeant James P. Galloway, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

9. First Sergeant Thaddeus S. Kirtland, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

10. First Sergeant Joseph McConnell, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

NINETEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be captains.

5. James B. Mulligan, of New Jersey, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

8. John Tillson, of Illinois, to date from October 26, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Woerner Boecklin, of New York, to date from October 28, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Thaddeus P. Mott, of New York, to date from October 29, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Verling K. Hart, of Indiana, to date from October 30, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

James Mooney, of New York, to date from November 12, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Francis McIlvaine, of Ohio, to date from November 18, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

To be second lieutenants.

71. Samuel S. Bigger, of Indiana, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Ferguson, promoted.

72. John B. Hayes, of Pennsylvania, to date from October 24, 1861, vice Leamy, promoted.

7. Sergeant-Major Charles Berg, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

8. First Sergeant Joseph J. Wagoner, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

9. Quartermaster-Sergeant William B. Lowe, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

10. Sergeant Samuel S. Culbertson, to date from November 20, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

REAPPOINTED.

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Louis C. Bailey, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant, June 8, 1861, vice Welsh, declined.

Sixth Regiment of Cavalry.

George C. Cram, of New York, to be captain, May 14, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Fifth Regiment of Artillery.

Lloyd M. Harrison, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant, May 14, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

Henry L. Taliaferro, of Kentucky, to be second lieutenant, May 14, 1861, to fill an original vacancy.

REINSTATED.

Captain Gurden Chapin, of the Seventh Infantry, with his former rank, from April 22, 1861.

III. ADDITIONAL AIDES-DE-CAMP.

(Appointed under the act of August 5, 1861.)

Colonels.

Thomas M. Key, of Ohio, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 19, 1861.

Thomas T. Gantt, of Missouri, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 26, 1861.

Major Thomas J. Cram, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, September 25, 1861.

Major Henry J. Hunt, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Major Daniel H. Rucker, of the Quartermaster's Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Major Henry F. Clarke, of the Subsistence Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Charles P. Kingsbury, of the Ordnance Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain George Thom, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, November 16, 1861.

Richard D. Cutts, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, November 16, 1861.

John S. Clark, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army (assigned to duty with General Banks), November 18, 1861.

Charles F. Havelock, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 23, 1861.

Joseph C. McKibbin, of California, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, November 29, 1861.

Lieutenant colonels.

Major John N. Macomb, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Major Daniel P. Woodbury, of the Corps of Engineers, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Rufus Ingalls, of the Quartermaster's Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain William B. Hays, of the Second Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain George W. Getty, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Barton S. Alexander, of the Corps of Engineers, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain James A. Hardie, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Nelson B. Sweitzer, of the First Cavalry, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Edward McK. Hudson, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Albert V. Colburn, of the Adjutant-General's Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Paul Von Radowitz, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 30, 1861.

Captain James B. McPherson, of the Corps of Engineers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, November 12, 1861.

Majors.

Le Grand B. Cannon, of New York, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, August 28, 1861.

Alexander Hamilton, of New York, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, August 28, 1861.

William R. Jones, of ———, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, September 20, 1861.

Herbert Von Hammerstein, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 20, 1861.

Ernst Von Vegesack, of ———, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, October 28, 1861.

Charles John Von Herrmann, of ———, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, November 5, 1861.

Captain Delavan D. Perkins, of the Fourth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army (assigned to duty with General Banks), November, 1861.

William H. Ludlow, of ———, to General McClellan, commanding the Army (assigned to duty with General Dix), November 18, 1861.

Captains.

Richard B. Irwin, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 22, 1861.

Joseph Kirkland, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 26, 1861.

Arthur McClellan, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 26, 1861.

William Jay, of New York, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, August 28, 1861.

Louis Phillippe d'Orléans, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 24, 1861.

Robert d'Orléans, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 24, 1861.

Martin T. McMahon, of California, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, October 25, 1861.

Edward A. Raymond, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, October 30, 1861.

William P. Mason, of Massachusetts, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 12, 1861.

William Scheffler, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army (assigned to duty with General Banks), November 16, 1861.

Gustavus Von Eickstedt, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army (assigned to duty with General Dix), November 16, 1861.

Achille M. B. de Villarceau, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 23, 1861.

John Hoskin, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of the Missouri, November 29, 1861.

IV. APPOINTMENTS MADE IN THE VOLUNTEER FORCE CALLED INTO SERVICE UNDER THE ACTS APPROVED JULY 22 AND 24, 1861.

General officers.

Edwin D. Morgan, of New York, to be major-general, September 28, 1861.

Lieutenant-Colonel John F. Reynolds, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, August 20, 1861.

Major William F. Barry, of the Fifth Artillery, to be brigadier-general, August 20, 1861.

Colonel John J. Abercrombie, of the Sixth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Colonel John Sedgwick, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles F. Smith, of the Tenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Lieutenant-Colonel Silas Casey, of the Ninth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Major Lawrence P. Graham, of the Second Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Captain George G. Meade, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Abram Duryee, of New York, to be brigadier-general, August 31, 1861.

Major Justus McKinstry, quartermaster, to be brigadier-general, September 2, 1861.

Captain Alexander McD. McCook, of the Third Infantry, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Oliver O. Howard, of Maine, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Eleazer Paine, of Illinois, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Daniel E. Sickles, of New York, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Charles D. Jameson, of Maine, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Ebenezer Dumont, of Indiana, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Robert H. Milroy, of Indiana, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Lewis Wallace, of Indiana, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

William A. Richardson, of Illinois, to be brigadier-general, September 3, 1861.

Charles M. Thruston, of Maryland, to be brigadier-general, September 7, 1861.

Willis A. Gorman, of Minnesota, to be brigadier-general, September 7, 1861.

Daniel Butterfield, of New York, to be brigadier-general, September 7, 1861.

Major Horatio G. Wright, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general, September 14, 1861.

Captain Edward O. C. Ord, of the Third Artillery, to be brigadier-general, September 14, 1861.

Lieutenant William Nelson, of the U. S. Navy, to be brigadier-general, September 16, 1861.

W. T. Ward, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general, September 18, 1861.

John B. S. Todd, of Dacotah Territory, to be brigadier-general, September 19, 1861.

Colonel Randolph B. Marcy, inspector-general, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Major John G. Barnard, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Major Innis N. Palmer, of the Fifth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Major Seth Williams, assistant adjutant-general, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Major Stewart Van Vliet, quartermaster, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Major John Newton, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Captain Winfield S. Hancock, assistant quartermaster, to be brigadier-general, September 23, 1861.

Thomas L. Crittenden, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general, September 27, 1861.

Colonel George Wright, of the Ninth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Major Thomas Williams, of the Fifth Artillery, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Major George Sykes, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Major William W. Burns, commissary of subsistence, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Captain William H. French, of the First Artillery, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Captain William T. H. Brooks, of the Third Infantry, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Captain John M. Brannan, of the First Artillery, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Captain John P. Hatch, of the Third Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Captain David S. Stanly, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Isaac I. Stevens, of Washington Territory, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

William K. Strong, of New York, to be brigadier-general, September 28, 1861.

Albin Schœpf, of Maryland, to be brigadier-general, September 30, 1861.

Lovell H. Rousseau, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general, October 1, 1861.

Melancthon S. Wade, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general, October 1, 1861.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas J. Wood, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, October 11, 1861.

Captain Richard W. Johnson, of the Fifth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, October 11, 1861.

Captain John G. Foster, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general, October 23, 1861.

Major Christopher C. Augur, of the Thirteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861.

Major George W. Cullum, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861.

Captain Jesse L. Reno, of the Ordnance Department, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861.

Schuyler Hamilton, of New York, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861.

Julius H. Stabel, of New York, to be brigadier-general, November 12, 1861.

Captain John M. Schofield, of the First Artillery, to be brigadier-general, November 21, 1861.

Additional Paymaster Thomas J. McKean to be brigadier-general, November 21, 1861.

Captain John G. Parke, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be brigadier-general, November 23, 1861.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Assistant adjutants-general with the rank of major.

Charles G. Halpine, of New York, September 5, 1861.

First Lieutenant George C. Strong, of the Ordnance Department, October 1, 1861.

R. M. Copeland, of Massachusetts, November 27, 1861.

Assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

Gustavus Bascom, of New York, August 20, 1861.

Henry Thrall, of Ohio, August 20, 1861.

William H. Morris, of New York, August 20, 1861.

John H. Knight, of Delaware, August 20, 1861.

Joseph Dickinson, of Pennsylvania, August 22, 1861.

Tappan Wright, of —, August 23, 1861.

Jacob B. Freese, of New Jersey, August 24, 1861.

Charles Mundee, of Kansas, August 24, 1861.

William D. Wilkins, of Michigan, August 27, 1861.

John Murray, of New York, August 27, 1861.

Robert Chandler, of Wisconsin, August 28, 1861.

John M. Norvell, of Michigan, August 30, 1861.

J. A. Rawlins, of Illinois, August 30, 1861.

George E. Flynt, of New York, August 31, 1861.

Frederick T. Locke, of —, September 2, 1861.

Frederick Harvey, of Pennsylvania, September 3, 1861.

Charles Stewart, of Maryland, September 11, 1861.

Louis Richmond, of Rhode Island, September 13, 1861.

Francis A. Walker, of Massachusetts, September 14, 1861.

Sergeant Major Gustavus Urban, of the Fifth Cavalry, September 16, 1861.

William D. Sedgwick, of —, September 16, 1861.

Joseph Howland, of New York, September 16, 1861.

Charles Kingsbury, of Ohio, September 19, 1861.

Henry W. Smith, of Michigan, September 19, 1861.

Edward C. Baird, of Pennsylvania, September 19, 1861.

Frederick D. Sewall, of Maine, September 19, 1861.

E. Sparrow Purdy, of New York, September 19, 1861.

Charles W. Foster, of Massachusetts, September 19, 1861.

Isaac Moses, of New York, September 25, 1861.

Clarence H. Dyer, of Illinois, September 25, 1861.

John M. Wright, at large, September 25, 1861.

J. S. Gregory, of Dakota Territory, September 28, 1861.

Leonard D. H. Currie, of the District of Columbia, September 30, 1861.

James M. Wilson, of New York, October 1, 1861.

Richard T. Auchmuty, of New York, October 3, 1861.

Thomas J. Newsham, of Illinois, October 3, 1861.

Thomas J. Hoyt, of New York, October 3, 1861.

Henry Clay, of Kentucky, October 15, 1861.

Hazard Stevens, of Washington Territory, October 16, 1861.
 William H. Scheater, of —, October 25, 1861.
 Frederick Knefler, of Indiana, October 21, 1861.
 Carroll H. Potter, of Massachusetts, October 21, 1861.
 James E. Montgomery, of Pennsylvania, October 21, 1861.
 Nathan Beeve, of Michigan, October 21, 1861.
 Theodore Read, of Illinois, October 24, 1861.
 Charles J. Powers, of —, November 6, 1861.
 Daniel McCook, of Kansas, November 9, 1861.
 Placidus Ord, of California, November 11, 1861.
 Southard Hoffman, of New York, November 14, 1861.
 George D. Kellogg, of Illinois, November 15, 1861.
 George A. Hicks, of Massachusetts, November 16, 1861.
 John Pound, of New York, November 16, 1861.
 William Van Doehn, of New York, November 16, 1861.
 Andrew C. Kemper, of Ohio, November 16, 1861.
 Henry Clay McDowell, of Kentucky, November 19, 1861.
 J. H. Hammond, of —, November 20, 1861.
 Sylvanus B. Hance, of —, November 23, 1861.
 John P. Finkelmeier, of New Jersey, November 26, 1861.
 W. P. Prentice, of New York, November 26, 1861.
 Henry Z. Curtis, of Iowa, November 26, 1861.
 William G. George, of Indiana, November 30, 1861.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Woolsey B. Hopkins, of New York, August 5, 1861.
 James W. Scott, of Indiana, August 20, 1861.
 Samuel Ringwalt, of Pennsylvania, August 22, 1861.
 Ingham Coryell, of New Jersey, August 22, 1861.
 Ambrose Thompson, of New York, August 22, 1861.
 C. D. Blanchard, of Oregon, August 28, 1861.
 John M. Huntingdon, of California, August 30, 1861.
 James C. Slight, of New York, September 2, 1861.
 G. Nelson Smith, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
 C. N. Goulding, of Ohio, September 4, 1861.
 Charles D. Robinson, of Wisconsin, September 4, 1861.
 J. R. Hollowbush, of Illinois, September 10, 1861.
 Oliver Ladew, of New York, September 10, 1861.
 Jacob Springstead, of —, September 10, 1861.
 William E. Morford, of —, September 10, 1861.
 George A. Flagg, of Illinois, September 10, 1861.
 C. W. Leffingwell, of —, September 10, 1861.
 John S. Godfrey, of New Hampshire, September 10, 1861.
 Charles R. Tyler, of Wisconsin, September 10, 1861.
 M. Pinner, of New York, September 10, 1861.
 Charles D. Schidt, of New York, September 10, 1861.
 William B. Downing, of Pennsylvania, September 11, 1861.
 Paul R. George, of —, September 12, 1861.
 Z. C. Edwards, of Kentucky, September 18, 1861.
 Simon B. Brown, of Illinois, September 21, 1861.
 Elias Thomassou, of —, September 27, 1861.
 George D. Wise, of Missouri, September 28, 1861.
 William Bailhache, of Illinois, September 28, 1861.

William Lilley, of New York, October 16, 1861.
 Clement L. West, of the District of Columbia, October 31, 1861.
 Michael C. Garber, of Indiana, October 31, 1861.
 Vincent Phelps, of Pennsylvania, October 31, 1861.
 Lewis B. Parsons, of Missouri, October 31, 1861.
 William A. Hawley, of Illinois, October 31, 1861.
 George R. Dyer, of Illinois, October 31, 1861.
 Ralph Plumb, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 Alexander Sympson, of —, October 31, 1861.
 Max Paul Engle, of Maryland, October 31, 1861.
 William Painter, of Illinois, October 31, 1861.
 S. Lockwood Brown, of Illinois, October 31, 1861.
 F. W. Hurtt, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 Henry M. Whittlesey, of Michigan, October 31, 1861.
 Charles B. Wagner, of Washington Territory, October 31, 1861.
 James Hemphill, of Pennsylvania, October 31, 1861.
 Charles T. Wing, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 W. H. Owen, of New York, October 31, 1861.
 Thomas O'Brien, of Missouri, October 31, 1861.
 D. W. Swigart, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 George W. Lee, of Michigan, October 31, 1861.
 J. W. Bezell, of Pennsylvania, November 1, 1861.
 Roeloff Brinkerhoff, of Ohio, November 4, 1861.
 Anson Stager, of —, November 11, 1861.
 G. W. Harrison, of —, November 14, 1861.
 Samuel E. Meigs, of Pennsylvania, November 14, 1861.
 Samuel H. Moer, of Colorado Territory, November 16, 1861.
 Daniel Messenger, of New York, November 16, 1861.
 W. J. Kountz, of Pennsylvania, November 16, 1861.
 William Cutting, of New York, November 16, 1861.
 Luther H. Pierce, of Maine, November 16, 1861.
 John M. Hale, of Pennsylvania, November 18, 1861.
 Hiram B. Wetherell, of Massachusetts, November 27, 1861.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

H. Jones Brooke, of Pennsylvania, August 20, 1861.
 Richard W. Thompson, of Indiana, August 20, 1861.
 Josiah M. Lucas, of the District of Columbia, August 22, 1861.
 William L. Bauuing, of Minnesota, August 24, 1861.
 Samuel Simmon, of —, August 29, 1861.
 Isaac B. Bowdish, of Vermont, August 29, 1861.
 John L. Hathaway, of Wisconsin, September 4, 1861.
 Egbert T. S. Schenck, of Iowa, September 7, 1861.
 Samuel Gamage, of California, September 7, 1861.
 James P. Fredericks, of —, September 7, 1861.
 Alexander M. Lloyd, of Pennsylvania, September 7, 1861.
 Benjamin P. Walker, of Indiana, September 7, 1861.
 John Clark, of Massachusetts, September 7, 1861.
 N. J. Sappington, of Maryland, September 7, 1861.
 James M. Sanderson, of New York, September 7, 1861.
 Isaac C. Woods, of District of Columbia, September 9, 1861.
 James M. Tillapaugh, of Wisconsin, September 9, 1861.
 W. L. Mallory, of Ohio, September 9, 1861.

George L. Thorndike, of Massachusetts, September 9, 1861.
 George S. Roper, of Illinois, September 9, 1861.
 Edward S. Earle, of Michigan, September 9, 1861.
 Horace R. Wetherill, of Massachusetts, September 9, 1861.
 George W. Campbell, of Illinois, September 9, 1861.
 Stephen Hoyt, of Missouri, September 16, 1861.
 J. D. Williams, of Kentucky, September 18, 1861.
 Edward Martindale, of New Jersey, September 19, 1861.
 Nathaniel Ellmaker, of Pennsylvania, September 19, 1861.
 Elisha D. Brigham, of Massachusetts, September 30, 1861.
 William Grandin, of District of Columbia, September 30, 1861.
 Thomas Foster, jr., of Minnesota, October 28, 1861.
 James R. Paul, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 John Fry, of Kentucky, October 31, 1861.
 Robert C. Walker, of Pennsylvania, October 31, 1861.
 John F. Hopkins, of Virginia, October 31, 1861.
 Spencer C. Benham, of Illinois, October 31, 1861.
 Thomas Gray, of California, October 31, 1861.
 William Warfield, of — , October 31, 1861.
 Edwin B. Goodrich, of New York, October 31, 1861.
 William B. Lebo, of Pennsylvania, October 31, 1861.
 William Wilson, of Indiana, October 31, 1861.
 Jonathan Renick, of — , October 31, 1861.
 A McCann, of — , October 31, 1861.
 Javan B. Salisbury, of New Jersey, October 31, 1861.
 J. M. Mackenzie, of Kentucky, October 31, 1861.
 Marvin J. Green, of New York, October 31, 1861.
 Lewis G. Huling, of Pennsylvania, October 31, 1861.
 Ira B. Gibbs, of Ohio, October 31, 1861.
 Andrew J. Butler, of California, November 1, 1861.
 James M. Ellis, of Massachusetts, November 14, 1861.
 Edgar Beman, of Connecticut, November 14, 1861.
 Joseph S. Smith, of Maine, November 14, 1861.
 Francis E. Berier, of the District of Columbia, November 14, 1861.
 George E. Wood, of Minnesota, November 16, 1861.
 James F. De Wolf, of Rhode Island, November 16, 1861.
 W. W. Leland, of New York, November 16, 1861.
 George W. Cummings, of Maine, November 16, 1861.
 James G. Fuller, of Massachusetts, November 27, 1861.

To be brigade surgeons of volunteers.

William Brodie, of Michigan, August 3, 1861.
 John T. Carpenter, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
 Alpheus B. Crosby, of New Hampshire, September 4, 1861.
 William Varian, of Illinois, September 4, 1861.
 O. M. Bryan, of Illinois, September 4, 1861.
 Tarrant A. Perkins, of Illinois, September 4, 1861.
 Thomas H. Bache, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
 James D. Strawbridge, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
 Josiah Curtis, of Massachusetts, September 4, 1861.
 F. N. Burke, of Ohio, September 4, 1861.
 D. W. Hartshorn, of Ohio, September 4, 1861.
 R. B. McCay, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
 William W. Strew, of New York, September 4, 1861.
 John J. Craven, of New Jersey, September 4, 1861.

Robert L. Stanford, of Tennessee, September 4, 1861.
A. P. Maylert, of Pennsylvania, September 4, 1861.
Edwin Bently, of Connecticut, September 4, 1861.
S. L. Herrick, of Michigan, September 4, 1861.
G. C. Blackman, of Ohio, September 14, 1861.
R. B. Bontecon, of New York, September 14, 1861.
Samuel Everett, of Illinois, September 14, 1861.
J. H. Warren, of Massachusetts, September 14, 1861.
D. W. Bliss, of Michigan, September 21, 1861.
H. P. Stearns, of Connecticut, September 21, 1861.
G. W. Stipp, of Illinois, September 21, 1861.
G. H. Oliver, of New York, September 21, 1861.
Alexander N. Dougherty, of New Jersey, September 30, 1861.
E. C. Franklin, of Missouri, September 30, 1861.
Geo. S. Kemble, of Pennsylvania, September 30, 1861.
Geo. H. Hubbard, of New Hampshire, September 30, 1861.
D. W. Hand, of Minnesota, September 30, 1861.
Rufus K. Brown, of New York, September 30, 1861.
W. G. Lowman, of Pennsylvania, September 30, 1861.
John T. Crawford, of Pennsylvania, October 2, 1861.
Thomas Antisell, of the District of Columbia, October 2, 1861.
John McNulty, of New York, October 2, 1861.
Daniel Meeker, of Pennsylvania, October 2, 1861.
Gilman Kimball, of Massachusetts, October 2, 1861.
G. S. Palmer, of Maine, October 2, 1861.
J. H. Taylor, of Pennsylvania, October 2, 1861.
W. M. Chambers, of Illinois, October 4, 1861.
J. H. Grove, of Pennsylvania, October 4, 1861.
A. H. Thurston, of New York, October 5, 1861.
O. A. Judson, of Pennsylvania, October 5, 1861.
T. F. Azpell, of New York, October 7, 1861.
C. C. Cox, of Maryland, October 7, 1861.
Timothy Haynes, of New Hampshire, October 7, 1861.
Gabriel Grant, of New Jersey, October 9, 1861.
C. B. Chapman, of Wisconsin, October 9, 1861.
J. G. Keenon, of Kentucky, October 9, 1861.
W. H. Mussey, of Ohio, October 10, 1861.
C. W. Jones, of Delaware, October 10, 1861.
George Burr, of New York, October 11, 1861.
Robert Roskoton, of Illinois, October 12, 1861.
George L. Pancoast, of Pennsylvania, October 12, 1861.
Nathaniel R. Mosely, of New York, October 17, 1861.
F. H. Gross, of Pennsylvania, October 17, 1861.
D. J. McKibbin, of Pennsylvania, October 21, 1861.
Thomas P. Perley, of Maine, October 23, 1861.
Robert Niccolls, of Illinois, October 24, 1861.
M. Goldsmith, of Kentucky, October 30, 1861.
James H. Faris, of Illinois, October 30, 1861.
J. B. Peale, of Pennsylvania, October 30, 1861.
Washington J. Duffee, of Pennsylvania, November 2, 1861.
James Bryau, of Pennsylvania, November 2, 1861.
J. H. Thompson, of New York, November 2, 1861.
B. A. Christian, of Pennsylvania, November 5, 1861.
A. R. Egbert, of New Jersey, November 5, 1861.
C. F. H. Campbell, of Pennsylvania, November 8, 1861.
William Hayes, of Pennsylvania, November 9, 1861.

Pay Department.

James H. Phinney, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, June 1, 1861.

Columbus S. Stevenson, of Indiana, to be additional paymaster, June 1, 1861.

Isaac N. Pumphrey, of ———, to be additional paymaster, August 19, 1861.

William C. Barney, of New York, to be additional paymaster, August 22, 1861.

William Smith, of Vermont, to be additional paymaster, August 29, 1861.

William G. Terrill, of Kentucky, to be additional paymaster, August 31, 1861.

Orlando S. Witherill, of Indiana, to be additional paymaster, August 31, 1861.

Martin L. Bundy, of Indiana, to be additional paymaster, August 31, 1861.

John A. L. Morrell, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 4, 1861.

Thomas B. Oakley, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 4, 1861.

Maris Hoopes, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 4, 1861.

Hoyt Sherman, of Iowa, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Zebina K. Pangborn, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Frank M. Etting, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

James W. Schaumburg, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William H. Johnston, of Ohio, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Henry J. Adams, of Kansas, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

James C. Yohn, of Indiana, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Benjamin F. Watson, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Nicholas Vedder, of Illinois, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Oliver Holman, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William Tillman, of Michigan, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William Larned, of Illinois, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Russell Erritt, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

George F. Emory, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William H. Ritter, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

C. R. Saunders, of California, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Thomas M. Burt, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Frank Bridgeman, of Iowa, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Julien O. Mason, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

John E. Newell, of New Jersey, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Ira L. Hewitt, of Texas, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Henry V. Sullivan, of Illinois, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William J. Martin, of New Mexico, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Rufus Cheney, of Wisconsin, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

John A. Lowry, of Indiana, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Truman G. Wright, of Wisconsin, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Robert S. Webb, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

Alexander B. Williams, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William E. Hoy, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 5, 1861.

William M. Wiley, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 7, 1861.

Alvin Walker, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 10, 1861.

W. C. H. Sherman, of New York, to be additional paymaster, September 10, 1861.

L. T. Thustin, of Kentucky, to be additional paymaster, September 11, 1861.

Philip Speed, of Kentucky, to be additional paymaster, September 11, 1861.

Richard P. L. Baber, of Ohio, to be additional paymaster, September 12, 1861.

John J. Patterson, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, September 19, 1861.

John Allison, of Pennsylvania, to be additional paymaster, November 1, 1861.

Robert Smythe, of Iowa, to be additional paymaster, November 21, 1861.

V. TRANSFERRED (11).

Second Lieutenant Alfred Mordecai, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to the Ordnance Department, October 23, 1861.

Second Lieutenant David H. Buell, of the First Cavalry, to the Third Artillery, October 23, 1861, and to the Ordnance Department, October 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Stephen C. Lyford, of the First Cavalry, to the Third Artillery, October 23, 1861, and to the Ordnance Department, October 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant John B. Edie, of the Fifth Cavalry, to the Third Artillery, October 23, 1861, and to the Ordnance Department, October 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Francis H. Parker, of the Second Cavalry, to the Third Artillery, October 23, 1861, and to the Ordnance Department, October 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Joseph P. Farley, of the Second Artillery, to the Ordnance Department, October 24, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Lawrence S. Babbitt, of the Third Artillery, to the Ordnance Department, October 26, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Edward Ball, of the Twelfth Infantry, to the Second Cavalry, September 20, 1861.

Second Lieutenant E. M. Coates, of the Second Cavalry, to the Twelfth Infantry, September 20, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Richard Byrnes, of the Seventeenth Infantry, to the Fifth Cavalry, September 21, 1861.

Second Lieutenant Reuben C. Winslow, of the Fifth Cavalry, to the Seventeenth Infantry, September 21, 1861.

I am, sir, with much respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Hamilton Cummings and Myron Buck be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post Roads.

Ordered, That the nomination of Joseph P. Taylor and others for promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the said nominations be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 12th instant, the nominations of J. K. T. Van Pelt, Frederick Seymour, D. P. Smith, W. C. Otterson, John S. Hodgen, R. H. Webbill, J. P. G. Baxter, L. Quick, Norman Gay, George Rex, R. W. Johnson, T. A. Worall, T. M. Heister, and G. D. Beebe, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate, for its constitutional action thereon, a treaty concluded on the 15th November, 1861, between William W. Ross, agent on the part of the United States, and the chiefs and headmen of the tribe of Pottawatomie Indians, with accompanying communications from the Secretary of the Interior and Commissioner of Indian Affairs, the latter of which proposes certain modifications of said treaty, which are also referred for the consideration of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thomas S. Nelson, of Missouri, to be recorder of land titles for the State of Missouri, vice Adolph Renard, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January 3, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Samuel D. Howe, of Washington Territory, to be agent of the Indians in Washington Territory, vice Benjamin F. Shaw, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January 3, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

Under the provisions of the 3d section of an "act to further promote the efficiency of the Navy," approved 21 Dec'r, 1861, I nominate Captain Charles H. Bell, U. S. Navy, to be flag officer in command of the Pacific Squadron.

Captain Wm. W. McKean, U. S. Navy, to be flag officer in command of the Gulf Blockading Squadron.

Captain Louis M. Goldsborough, U. S. Navy, to be flag officer in command of the North Atlantic Blockading Squadron; and Captain Samuel F. Dupont to be flag officer in command of the South Atlantic Blockading Squadron. The command in each case to take effect from the date of said act.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *26 December, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 31, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 31, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

GENERAL OFFICERS.

To be brigadier-generals.

James S. Negley, of Pennsylvania, October 1, 1861, now commanding a brigade of Pennsylvania Volunteers in Kentucky.

Major Frederick Steele, of the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Napoleon J. T. Dana, of Minnesota.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

James A. Lowrie, of Pennsylvania, October 7, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,

Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 30, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 30, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

Henry Binmore, of ———.
 John Hancock, of Pennsylvania.
 Gustavus Heinrichs, of Missouri.
 Louis J. Lambert, of ———.
 Daniel Hebard, of Ohio.
 George B. Halsted, of ———.
 John Pilsen, of ———.
 John A. Judson, of New York.
 Edward M. Neill, of ———.
 A. P. Fiske, of ———.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Algernon S. Baxter, of Illinois, to date from November 23, 1861.
 Charles W. Lyman, of Indiana.
 Charles G. Loring, jr., of Massachusetts.
 Alexander Bliss, of New York.
 Simon Perkins, jr., of Ohio.
 Rufus C. Colburn, of Vermont.
 Hiram Smith, of New York.
 Newton Flagg, of ———.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Richard E. Davis, of ———, to date from November 23, 1861.
 Robert E. Bryant, of Indiana.
 Edward E. Potter, of New York.
 Montgomery Ritchie, of Massachusetts.
 John N. King, of Illinois.
 George B. Corkhill, of Iowa.
 Brownwell Granger, of ———.
 William W. Jackson, of ———.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 31, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 31, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Richard Stevenson, of ———, October 7, 1861.
W. F. Harris, of ———, September 20, 1861.

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

G. C. Kniffin, of ———, August 20, 1861.
Samuel J. Little, of ———, September 23, 1861.
J. B. Alexander, of ———, September 23, 1861.
T. R. Linton, of ———, September 23, 1861.
J. F. Huber, of ———, October 25, 1861.
M. H. Bright, of ———, October 25, 1861.

These persons were appointed in their several capacities by Brigadier-General Anderson on his assuming the command in Kentucky, have been continuously on duty ever since, and are represented by their chiefs to be efficient and deserving, and are earnestly recommended for appointment by Brigadier-General Buell, their present commander.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 31, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 31, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major.

Thomas Hillhouse, of New York.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Charles T. Gardner, of Oregon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Jacob Dock, of New York, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 2, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Jacob Dock, of New York, for appointment as assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain, to date from June 22, 1861, the date of original commission, which he resigned under a mistaken impression.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thomas Hogg, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Nagasaki, Japan.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 30, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate James L. De Graw, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Guayaquil, to fill a vacancy

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 30, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John H. Cowden, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Nagasaki, Japan.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 30, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate I. Remington Fairlamb, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Zurich, in the place of Charles L. Bernays, transferred to the consulate at Elsinore.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 6, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles L. Bernays, of Missouri, to be consul of the United States at Elsinore, in the place of George Schneider, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 6, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Royston Betts, of Virginia, to be consul of the United States at Omoa and Truxillo, in the place of A. Follin, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 2, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William R. Williams, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Para, in the place of Eben P. Bailey, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Joseph Vandor, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Tahiti, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 2, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby recall the nomination of William Irwin, of Pennsylvania, heretofore nominated for the office of United States consul at Bahia, and nominate for that office Thomas F. Wilson, of Pennsylvania, in the place of William Irwin, declined.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 2, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Karl J. Kraby, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Porsgrund, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 2, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Olof E. Drentzer, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Bergen, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 2, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate N. P. Jacobs, of Michigan, to be consul-general of the United States at Calcutta, in the place of Samuel Lilley, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 2, 1862.

The messages were read.

The treaty concluded on the 15th November, 1861, between Wm. W. Rice, agent on the part of the United States, and the chiefs and headmen of the Pottowatomie Indians, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty, together with the message and accompanying documents, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate and be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Thomas S. Nelson be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Ordered, That the nomination of Samuel D. Howe be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles H. Bell and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of James S. Negley and others, Henry Binmore and others, Richard Stevenson and others, Thomas Hillhouse,

Charles T. Gardner, and Jacob Dock be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas Hogg, James L. De Grawl, John H. Cowden, Remington Fairlamb, Charles L. Bernays, Royston Betts, William R. Williams, Joseph Vandor, Thomas F. Wilson, Car-J. Kraby, Olof E. Drentzer, and N. P. Jacobs be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 12th ultimo, the nominations of Benjamin H. Smith, Bland Ballard, and Joseph E. Streeter, reported.

Mr. Grimes submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to report to the Senate:

1. Whether an advance was made by the War Department to Lieut. Col. James W. Ripley, of the Ordnance Corps, when about to sail for Japan, in the summer of 1860, of one thousand dollars for ordnance, ordnance stores, and supplies; of two thousand dollars for transportation of officers' baggage and two thousand dollars for commutation of fuel and quarters; or of any other sum or sums; and, if so, under what law, by what authority, and for what purpose such advance or advances were made; whether any account of the expenditure of such sums of money, or either of them, or of any part of either of them, has been returned by said Ripley to the War Department, or to the Treasury of the United States; and, if so, what part, and when was such return made.

2. The amount of commutation of fuel, quarters, and allowances made to said Ripley during the years 1860 and 1861; the amount of mileage allowed to him during the same time, under what law, or by what authority such allowances, commutations, and mileage were paid, and when paid; and whether any portion of the same has ever been refunded to the Government; and, if so, what portion, and when was it thus refunded.

3. Whether the accounts of said Ripley, during the years aforesaid, have been rendered, settled, or audited; and, if so, when; if not, why such accounts have not been rendered, settled and audited.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the military nominations received this day be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Theodore Sherer to be deputy postmaster at Chillicothe, in the county of Ross and State of Ohio, in place of Aaron P. Miller, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 6, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Hiram Tuttle, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Montevideo, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 7, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of Henry W. Lawrence to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of Utah.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 7, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of William H. Brodhead to be attorney of the United States for the Territory of Utah.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 7, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Albert Rhodes, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Cyprus, in the place of J. J. Barclay, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 8, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles W. Chatterton, of Illinois, to be agent for the Indians of the Wichita Agency, vice John J. Humphreys; who has failed to qualify.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January 7, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 7, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

James Shields, of California, to be brigadier-general, August 19, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Edwin M. Stanton, of Pennsylvania, to be Secretary of War, in place of Simon Cameron nominated to be minister to Russia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 13, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 26, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 26, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-generals.

Alexander Asboth, of ———.

Thomas Francis Meagher, of New York.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edward E. Phelps, of Vermont, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 26, 1861.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *December 26, 1861.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Edward E. Phelps, of Vermont, for appointment as brigade surgeon in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 6, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 6, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

General officers.

Colonel Erasmus D. Keyes, of the Eleventh Infantry, to be brigadier-general, May 17, 1861.

Colonel Fitz-John Porter, of the Fifteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general, May 17, 1861.

Adjutant-General's Department.

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain:

Joseph H. Liebenan, of New York.

Sergeant Joseph McCoy, of the Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Simon F. Barstow, of

Subsistence Department.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain:

D. L. Smith, of Virginia Volunteers.

Thomas J. Sample, of Indiana, November 1, 1861.

Medical Department.

Charles H. Rawson, of Iowa, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Simon Cameron, of Pennsylvania, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Russia, in the place of Cassius M. Clay, who, at his own request, is to be recalled into the military service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 13, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate B. J. F. Hanna, of Illinois, to be secretary of the legation of the United States to Chil , to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 13, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

Under the provisions of the third section of an "Act to further promote the efficiency of the Navy," approved 21 December, 1861, I nominate Captain David G. Farragut, U. S. Navy, to be flag officer, to command the Western Gulf Blockading Squadron.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January 10, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles F. Winslow, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States at Payta, in the place of Fayette M. Ringgold, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 13, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Hiram Tuttle, Albert Rhodes, and Chs. F. Winslow be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles W. Chatterton be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of James Shields, Edwin M. Stanton, Alexander Asboth, Thomas Francis Meagher, Edward E. Phelps, and Erasmus D. Keyes and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Simon Cameron and B. J. F. Hanna be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Ordered, That the nomination of David G. Farragut be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the Secretary return the nominations of William H. Broadhead and Henry W. Lawrence to the President of the United States, agreeably to the messages received this day.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 12th ultimo, the nominations of James O. Broadhead, Robert J. Lackey, Robert Crozier, and William Huntington, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 16th ultimo, the nominations of George S. Fisher and Isaiah Thomas, and on the 19th ultimo of Thomas McDowell; on the 23d ultimo, of Thomas B. Jarvis and Henry P. Parker; and on the 6th instant, of Thomas Hogg, John H. Cowden, Charles L. Bernays, Royston Betts, William B. Williams, Joseph Vandor, Thomas F. Wilson, Carl J. Kraby, Olof E. Drentzer, and N. P. Jacobs, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred, on the 23d ultimo, the nominations of J. Lothrop Motley, Robert H. Pruyn, and B. F. Rexford, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 5th ultimo, the nomination of Daniel Evans, and on the 12th ultimo the nominations of Edward E. Cowles, William S. Campbell, William H. Dabney, Richard C. Hannah, Enoch J. Smithers, J. W. Massey, J. H. McChesney, and Denison Card, reported.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Theodore Sherer; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Theodore Sherer, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Benjamin B. French.

On motion by Mr. Pomeroy that the said nomination be recommitted to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds,

On motion by Mr. Pearce,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Bowen to be deputy postmaster at Batavia, in the county of Genesee and State of New York, in place of Wm. Seaver, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 13, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I hereby withdraw the nomination of Albert Rhodes, of Pennsylvania, heretofore made for the consulate at Cyprus, and nominate for that office William H. Evans, of Ohio.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 15, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of George Bowen be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nomination of William H. Evans be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 13th instant, the nomination of Simon Cameron, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 13th instant, the nominations of Hiram Tuttle and Charles F. Winslow, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 13th instant, the nomination of Edwin M. Stanton, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December, the nominations of William Lilley, William Grandin, James R. Paul, George H. Wood, William Brodie, and John Watt, reported.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 23d December, the nomination of Charles H. Foster, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 24th December, the nomination of Myron Buck, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Edwin M. Stanton; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edwin M. Stanton?

It was determined in the affirmative, {	Yeas	38
	Nays	2

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Bayard, Bright, Browning, Carlile, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Howe, Johnson, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, Morrill, Nesmith, Pearce, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Mr. Grimes and Mr. Pomeroy.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edwin M. Stanton, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of William Lilley, William Grandin, James R. Paul, George H. Wood, William Brodie, and John Watt; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Charles H. Foster; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Charles H. Foster.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of N. P. Jacobs; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of N. P. Jacobs, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Benjamin B. French; and

Ordered, That the said nomination be recommitted to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred, on the 17th of December last, the amendments introduced by

the Constituent National Assembly of Bolivia, in its decree of ratification, into the treaty of peace, commerce, and navigation, concluded with that Republic on the 13th May, 1858, reported the said amendments without amendment.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Lewis S. Ely, of California, to be consul of the United States at Acapulco, in the place of Rossiter P. Johnson, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate H. B. Robinson, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Port Mahon, in the place of Spiridion Ladico, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Hosea Stout, of Utah Territory, to be attorney of the United States for the said Territory.

Also, Isaac L. Gibbs, of Nebraska, to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of Utah, in place of Henry Grice, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 14, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

GENERAL OFFICERS.

To be brigadier-generals.

Major John W. Davidson, 2nd Cavalry.
Francis E. Patterson, of Pennsylvania.

Adjutant-General's Dep't.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain :
Roswell M. Sawyer, of Wisconsin.
Wickham Hoffman, of New York.
Charles C. Suydam, of New York.

Quartermaster's Department.

To be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain :
William H. Van Ness, of New York.
Peter Heistand, of Illinois.
Perley P. Pitkin, of Vermont.

Medical Department.

Thomas W. Fry, of ———, to be brigade surgeon.
I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Lewis S. Ely and H. B. Robinson be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of John W. Davidson and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Ordered, That the nominations of Hosea Stout and Isaac L. Gibbs be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Simon Cameron.

On motion by Mr. Hale that the consideration of the said nomination be postponed until to-morrow,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Wilkinson that the Senate do now adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 15
Nays..... 22

On motion by Mr. Kennedy,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Davis, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Howe, Kennedy, McDougal, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Trumbull, Wilkinson.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Carlile, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Harris, Johnson, King, Lane of Indiana, Rice, Sherman, Simmons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Wade, Wilmot, Wilson.

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Anthony that the Senate do now adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 15
Nays..... 20

On motion by Mr. Ten Eyck,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senate present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Carlile, Clark, Davis, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Howe, McDougall, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Collamer, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Harris, Johnson, King, Lane of Indiana, Morrill, Rice, Summons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Wade, Wilmot.

Mr Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 15th instant, the nomination of George Bowen, reported.

The Vice-President laid before the Senate a report from the Secretary of War, in answer to a resolution of the Senate of the 6th instant, in relation to certain advances made to Lieutenant-Colonel James W. Ripley of the Ordnance Corps, in 1860; which was read.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the consideration of the Senate, a petition of certain members of the Pottowatomie tribe of Indians, complaining of the treaty made by W. W. Ross, on the 15th November last, with that tribe, which treaty was laid before the Senate for its constitutional action in my communication to that body, dated the 6th instant.

A letter of the 16th instant, from the Secretary of the Interior, inclosing a report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, dated the 15th instant, in relation to the subject, is also herewith transmitted.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January, 17, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin S. Colt to be deputy postmaster at Hannibal, in the county of Marion, and State of Missouri, in place of Charles L. Miller, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 13th, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate James R. Partridge, of Maryland, to be minister resident of the United States to the Republic of Honduras, in the place of Jacob M. Howard, declined, who was appointed during the recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 17, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry A. Brigham, of New York, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Henry A. Brigham, of New York, for appointment as military store-keeper in the Ordnance Department, vice Sanders Lansing, jr., removed.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment, in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Frederick S. Winslow, of Iowa.
Joel D. Crittenden, of Minnesota.
Samuel McKean La Porte, of Delaware.
John A. Lemon, of Pennsylvania.
D. W. McClung, of Ohio.

COMMISSARY DEPARTMENT.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

W. H. Coffin, of New Jersey.
Otho W. Heiskell, of Virginia.
Joseph J. Slocum, of Ohio.
J. Howard Wells, of New York.
James P. Wilson, of Virginia.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON.

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Mark Prime, of Maine.
A. Coleman Woolfolk, of Illinois.

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SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Samuel R. Steel, of Virginia.
A. Judson Rowell, of Vermont.
Mark R. Came, of Maine.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Skidmore E. Lefferts, of Wisconsin Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States:

Promotion by brevet.

Major James L. Donaldson, quartermaster, to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, to date from May 14, 1861.

APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster's Department.

First Lieutenant George H. Weeks, Fourth Artillery, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

J. Howard Rathbone, of New York, to be captain.

Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry.

John E. Reynolds, of Maine, to be captain.

Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry.

John H. Knight, of Delaware, to be captain.
 First Lieutenant Philip K. Forney to be captain.
 Mark F. Leavenworth, of New York, to be captain.
 Tenedore Ten Eyck, of Wisconsin, to be captain.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

George S. Pearce, of Iowa, to be captain.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Joseph S. Hoyer, of Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be second lieutenant.

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

Lewis Thompson, of Missouri Volunteers, to be second lieutenant.
 James Potter, of Wisconsin, to be second lieutenant.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Armon Trimble, of New Jersey, to be second lieutenant.
 William M. Watts, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be second lieutenant.

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Frank W. Dickerson, of Maine, to be second lieutenant.

First Regiment of Artillery.

William K. Pollock, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant.
 Edwin L. Garvin, of New York, to be second lieutenant.
 Horace L. Pike, of Maine, to be second lieutenant.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Louis H. Fine, of Missouri, to be second lieutenant.
 Manning Livingstone, of New York, to be second lieutenant.
 John L. Tiernon, of Missouri, to be second lieutenant.
 Charles Medary, of Ohio, to be second lieutenant.
 George F. Hunting, of Vermont, to be second lieutenant.
 James N. Dickson, of Pennsylvania, to be second lieutenant.
 Charles Simonds, of New Hampshire, to be second lieutenant.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Arthur Morris, of at large, to be second lieutenant.
 Edward Field, of New Jersey, to be second lieutenant.

First Regiment of Infantry.

Albert Sabin, of Vermont, to be second lieutenant.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

Ordnance Sergeant Edward T. Brenner to be second lieutenant.

Samuel T. Crowley, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant.

Solomon G. Krepps, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be second lieutenant.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

Hugh Johnson, of New York, to be second lieutenant.

Benjamin Taylor, jr., of Connecticut, to be second lieutenant.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

Jesse A. P. Hampson, of Iowa, to be second lieutenant.

Washington Hopkins, of Delaware, to be second lieutenant.

To be additional aides-de-camp.

Major Edward H. Wright, Sixth Cavalry, to be additional aid-de-camp, with the rank of colonel, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army.

W. W. Smith, of Iowa, to be additional aid-de-camp, with the rank of captain, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of the Missouri, to date from December 9, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the **PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.**

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States :

APPOINTMENTS.*Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.*

Sergeant Silas W. Pettit, of the Fifteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

Lance Sergeant William Galloway, of the Fifteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Private Alfred Curtis, of the Nineteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 16, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States :

PROMOTION.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant William H. Bartholomew to be first lieutenant, January 15, 1862, vice Watt, rejected.

APPOINTMENTS.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Sergeant James P. Pratt, of the Eleventh Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

Private Irvin B. Wright, of the Eleventh Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

James C. Howland, of Indiana, to be second lieutenant, vice Bartholomew, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions and appointments in the Army of the United States:

Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Dorus Bates, of Illinois Volunteers, to be second lieutenant, Robert A. Torrey, of Illinois, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

The petition of certain members of the Pottawatomie tribe of Indians, communicated with the message of the President received this day, complaining of the treaty made by W. W. Ross on the 15th November, 1860, with that tribe, was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered to be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Ordered, That the nomination of Benjamin L. Colt be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nomination of James R. Partridge be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Ordered, That the nominations of Henry A. Brigham, Frederick S. Winslow and others, Frank Prime and others, and Skidmore E. Lefferts, for appointment in the Volunteer force of the United States; of James L. Donaldson and others, Silas W. Pettit and others, William H. Bartholomew and others, Dorus Bates and Robert A. Torrey, for appointment in the Army of the United States, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 24th December, the nominations of Edwin D. Morgan, John F. Reynolds, John J. Abercrombie, John Sedgwick, Silas Casey, Geo. G. Meade, Abraham Duryee, Alexander McD. McCook, Oliver O. Howard, Charles D. Jameson, Ebenezer Dumont, Robert H. Milroy, Lewis Wallace, Daniel Butterfield, Horatio G. Wright, Simeon Smith, Ed. O. C. Ord, Wm. Nelson, Randolph B. Marcy, John G. Barnard, Seth Williams, John Newton, Winfield S. Hancock, Thos. L. Crittenden, George Wright, Thomas Williams, John M. Brannan, John P. Hatch, Albin Schoepf, Thos. J. Wood, Richard W. Johnson, John G. Foster, Christopher C. Augur, George W. Cullum, Schuyler Hamilton, John M. Schofield, Thos. J. McKean, John G. Parke, and on the 12th of December of James Cooper, Henry W. Slocum, James J. Wadsworth, John J. Peck, Ormsby M. Mitchel, George W. Morrill, John H. Martindale, Henry W. Benham, William F. Smith, James W. Denver, George H. Thomas, Egbert L. Viele, John A. Whitall, and on the 6th December of James Negley, Frederick Steele, Napoleon J. T. Dana, James A. Lowrie, John Hancock, Gustavus Heinrich, Daniel Hebard, John A. Judson, Algernon S. Baxter, Charles W. Lyman, Chas. G. Loring, jr., Alexander Bliss, Simon Perkins, Rufus C. Colburn, Hiram Smith, Newton Flagg, Robert E. Bryant, Edward E. Potter, Montgomery Ritchie, John N. King, George B. Corkhill, Thomas Hillhouse, Charles T. Gardner, Jacob Dock; and on the 18th December of Charles T. Gardner,

and on the 23d December of Chas. Wilkins, Julian Molinard, Gustavus Koerner, and on the 16th January of Thomas W. Fry, reported.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Thomas W. Fry; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas W. Fry, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 16th December, the nomination of James D. Doty, on the 6th January the nomination of Samuel D. Howe, and on the 13th January of Charles W. Chatterton, reported.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 23d ultimo, the nomination of John W. Dawson, reported.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Simon Cameron; and

After debate,

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Simon Cameron?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas..... 28
Nays 14

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Harris, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane, of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Rice, Sherman, Simmons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Wade, Wilmot, Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Davis, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Kennedy, Latham, McDougall, Nesmith, Pearce, Powell, Saulsbury, Trumbull, Wilkinson.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Simon Cameron, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. McDougall submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings of the Senate on the nomination of Simon Cameron.

Mr. Harris submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Postmaster-General be requested to transmit to the Senate, in confidence, all petitions and other papers relating to the appointment of the postmaster of the city of Troy, in the State of New York.

Mr. Doolittle submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That, in the opinion of the Senate, it would be advisable for the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, if the President shall so direct, to ascertain the views of the Indians of Kansas and Nebraska, and of the Indians of the Indian Territory, with a view to their being confederated as one nation on the Indian Territory, and to report upon the propriety, practicability, and probable expense of negotiating and carrying treaty stipulations into effect which shall accomplish that object.

Mr. Grimes submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to communicate to the Senate a statement of the accounts of Lieut. Col. James W. Ripley, of the Ordnance Corps, embracing all the advances and payments made to him for any purpose whatsoever during the years 1860 and

1861, and showing to what purpose in each case such advances and payments were applied; that is to say, the items and nature with the amount of each charge made by him, whether the advances made to him and not expended have been returned or not, and showing the true state of his account with the Government on the 6th of January, 1862.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Hugh Young, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Santa Cruz, in the place of Robert A. Finlay, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 20, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Worth, of Hilo, to be consul of the United States at that port, in the place of Thomas Miller, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 20, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to William W. Mills, as collector of the customs for the district of Paso del Norte, in the Territory of New Mexico, in the place of Samuel N. Wood, who did not qualify, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 16, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Luther Haven as collector of the customs for the district of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, in the place of Julius White, resigned, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 16, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to John E. Stalker as collector of the customs for the district of Annapolis, in the State of Maryland, in the place of John T. Hammond, resigned, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 16, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to William L. Ashmore, as collector of the customs for the district of Burlington, in the State of New Jersey, in the place of Henry J. Ashmore, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 16, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Charles A. Perkins as collector of the customs for the district of Oswego, in the State of New York, in the place of John B. Higgins, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Charles F. Swift as collector of the customs for the district of Barnstable, in the State of Massachusetts, in the place of Joseph M. Day, resigned, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Nathaniel K. Sargent as collector of the customs for the district of Kennebunk, in the State of Maine, in the place of John Cousens, removed, I now nominate him for the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to George Howland as surveyor of the customs for the port of Tiverton, in the State of Rhode Island, in the place of Asa Gray, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate William W. Gorton to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Pawtuxet, in the State of Rhode Island, in the place of James Fisher, whose commission will expire the 31st of the present month.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

I nominate Joseph Spencer to be surveyor of the customs for the port of East Greenwich, in the State of Rhode Island, in the place of Walter Spencer, whose commission expires on the 31st of the present month.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.**To the Senate of the United States :*

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to James Jones as surveyor of the customs for the port of Town Creek, in the State of Maryland, in the place of James R. Thompson, resigned, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Warren Thornberry as surveyor of the customs for the port of Paducah, in the State of Kentucky, in the place of William Nolen, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Jacob R. Meeker as surveyor of the customs for the port of Nesqually, in the Territory of Washington, in the place of Henry C. Wilson, resigned, I nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to James N. Muller, of Baltimore, Maryland, as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of John S. Brown, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to J. J. Witzig, of St. Louis, Mo., as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of O. A. Pitfield, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to E. M. Shield, of Cincinnati, Ohio, as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of Benjamin Crawford, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Charles L. Stephenson, of Galena, Ill., as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of Charles Ross, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Thomas B. Stillman, of New York, as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of Charles W. Copeland, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Alfred Guthrie, of Chicago, Ill., as supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of Isaac Lewis, removed, I now nominate him for the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to John T. Hogeboom as appraiser of merchandise for the port of New York, in the State of New York, in the place of Samuel J. Willis, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

A commission having been granted during the recess of the Senate to Isaac C. Hunt as appraiser of merchandise for the port of New York, in the State of New York, in the place of D. D. Briggs, removed, I now nominate him to the same.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Archibald McIntyre, of Pennsylvania, to be treasurer of the mint of the United States at Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, in the place of James H. Walton, resigned, to take effect February 1st, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 18, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment on the staff of Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the United States, to be detailed for service with the army in Kansas.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 18, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 18, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation (in accordance with your directions) the following list of appointments on the staff of Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the United States, with a view to their being assigned to duty with the troops now serving in Kansas:

To be additional aides-de-camp.

William H. Merritt, of Iowa, with the rank of colonel.
Lieutenant Judson Kilpatrick, First Artillery, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

John Richey, of Kansas, with the rank of major.
Verplanck Van Antwerp, of Iowa, with the rank of major.
T. J. Weed, of Kansas, with the rank of major.
C. Vaughn, of Kansas, with the rank of major.

J. R. McClure, of Kansas, with the rank of captain.

William Kyle, of Illinois, with the rank of captain.

W. A. Phillips, of Kansas, with the rank of captain.

Avery P. Russell, of Kansas, with the rank of captain.

First Lieutenant William O'Donnell, of the Michigan Volunteers, with the rank of captain.

James M. Rice, of Illinois, with the rank of first lieutenant.

William R. Dole, of the District of Columbia, with the rank of first lieutenant.

James Christian, of Kansas, with the rank of first lieutenant.

J. M. Winchell, of Kansas, with the rank of first lieutenant.

A. J. Mead, of Kansas, with the rank of first lieutenant.

J. B. Carter, of Pennsylvania, with the rank of first lieutenant.

A. L. Reed, of Kansas, with the rank of first lieutenant.

Frederick A. Brown, of New York, with the rank of second lieutenant.

Volney Hickox, of Illinois, with the rank of second lieutenant.

W. W. Roberts, of Kansas, with the rank of second lieutenant.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Abner Doubleday, of the Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, to be major-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 20, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin C. Whiting, of California, to be attorney of the United States in and for the southern district of California, in the place of Kimball H. Dimmick, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 20, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles W. Chatterton, of Illinois, to be agent for the Indians of the Cherokee Agency, vice John Crawford, removed; and

E. H. Carruth, of Kansas, to be agent for the Indians of the Wichita Agency, in the place of Charles W. Chatterton, whose nomination to that office is hereby withdrawn.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January 18, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Tilghman Good to be deputy postmaster at Allentown, in the county of Lehigh and State of Pennsylvania, in place of Mrs. Maria E. Hornbeck, whose commission expired 3d June, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *15 January, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Levi Smith to be deputy postmaster at Watertown, in the county of Jefferson and State of New York, in place of W. H. Sigourney, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 2, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Patrick H. Agan to be deputy postmaster at Syracuse, in the county of Onondaga and State of New York, in place of H. J. Sedgwick, removed, the said Patrick H. Agan having been appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 2, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate David R. Bacon to be deputy postmaster at Le Roy, in the county of Genesee and State of New York, in the place of Alanson T. Drake, removed, the said David R. Bacon having been appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 2, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles O. Eastman to be deputy postmaster at Claremont, in the county of Sullivan and State of New Hampshire, in place of W. M. Ladd, removed, the said Chs. O. Eastman having been appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 2, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thornton K. Ware to be deputy postmaster at Fitchburgh, in the county of Worcester and State of Massachusetts, in place of J. W. Mansur, removed, the said Thornton K. Ware having been appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *December 2, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 18, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Quartermaster's Department.

A. Shimmel, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain.

John Le Compte, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

General officer, to be brigadier-general.

Lieutenant-Colonel William S. Ketchum, of the Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

SIMON CAMERON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Noah H. Swayne, of Ohio, to be an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. John McLean.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, Washington, January 21, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Alexander Henderson, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Londonderry, in the place of Thomas McCunn, whose exequatur has been withheld by Her Britannic Majesty's Government.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 22, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the constitutional action of the Senate, articles of agreement and convention, concluded at Niobrara, Nebraska

Territory, on the 14th day of November, 1860, between J. Shaw Gregory, agent on the part of the United States, and the chiefs and head men of the Poncas tribe of Indians, being supplementary to the treaty with said tribe, made on the 12th day of March, 1858.

I also transmit a letter, dated the 4th instant, from the Secretary of the Interior, inclosing a copy of a report of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, of the 20th September, 1861, in relation to the subject.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *January* —, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Hugh Young, John Worth, Wm. W. Mills, L. Haven, John E. Stalker, William L. Ashmore, Charles A. Perkins, Charles F. Swift, Nathaniel K. Sargent, Geo. Howland, William W. Gorton, Joseph Spencer, James Jones, Warren Thornberry, Jacob R. Meeker, James N. Muller, J. J. Witzig, E. M. Shield, Charles L. Stephenson, Thomas B. Stillman, Alfred Guthrie, and Alexander Henderson be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of John S. Hogeboom, Isaac O. Hunt, and Archibald McIntyre be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Ordered, That the nominations of William H. Merritt and others, Abner Doubleday, Cassius M. Clay, A. Shimmel, John Le Compte, and William S. Ketchum be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Ordered, That the nominations of Noah Swayne and Benjamin C. Whiting be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of E. H. Carruth be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of Tilghman Good, Levi Smith, Patrick H. Agan, David R. Bacon, Charles O. Eastman and Thornton K. Ware be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

The articles of agreement and convention concluded at Niobrara, Nebraska Territory, on the 14th day of November, 1860, between J. Shaw Gregory, agent on the part of the United States and the chiefs and headmen of the Poncas tribe of Indians, being supplementary to the treaty with said tribe of the 12th day of March, 1868, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty and the message be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The Vice-President laid before the Senate a report from the Post Master-General, in answer to a resolution of the Senate of the 17th instant, in relation to the appointment of the postmaster of the city of Troy, New York; which was read.

Ordered, That the said report, with the accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Harris presented the petitions of George B. Warren and others, remonstrating against the confirmation by the Senate of the appointment of Thomas Clowes as postmaster of the city of Troy, in the State of New York; which were referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 23d December, the nomination of John W. Dawson, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 16th instant, the nominations of Hosea Stout and Isaac L. Gibbs, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 18th December, the nominations of Alfred T. Mahan and others, Charles H. Loring and others, Philip S. Wales and others, Charles H. Eldredge, Gilbert E. Thornton, George Plunkett, Edward Foster, George Lawrence, Charles H. Bell, Lewis M. Goldsborough, and David G. Farragut, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December, the nominations of William A. Richardson, David S. Stanley, William T. H. Brooks, William H. French, Stewart Van Vliet and on the 13th instant of James Shields, Thomas Francis Meagher, and Erasmus D. Keyes, and on the 6th instant of Lewis J. Lambert, reported.

Mr. Foot, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, to whom was recommitted, on the 15th instant, the nomination of Benjamin B. French, reported.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Joseph F. Brown, Zenas C. Robbins, George S. Gideon, William H. Tenny, Sayles J. Bowen, Benjamin H. Smith, Robert J. Lackey, James O. Broadhead, Robert Crozier, Bland Ballard, Joseph E. Streeter, Daniel Evans, Edward E. Cowles, William S. Campbell, William H. Dabney, Richard C. Hannah, Enoch J. Smithers, J. W. Massey, J. H. McChesney, Denison Card, William Huntington, Isaiah Thomas, George S. Fisher, Thomas McDowell, Thomas B. Jarvis, Henry P. Parker, J. Lothrop Motley, Robert H. Pruyn, B. F. Rexford, Thomas Hogg, John H. Cowden, Charles S. Bernays, Boyston Betts, William B. Williams, Joseph Vandenborch, Thomas F. Wilson, Carl J. Kraby, Olop E. Dreutzer, Hiram Tuttle, Charles F. Winslow, George Bowen, James D. Doty, and Samuel D. Howe; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John Tucker, of Pennsylvania, and Peter H. Watson, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretaries of War, as authorized by the act entitled "An act to authorize the President to appoint two additional Assistant Secretaries of War," approved January 22, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 23, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of Albert W. Archibald to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of New Mexico.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 23, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John Tucker and Peter H. Watson be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the Secretary return the nomination of Albert W. Archibald to the President of the United States, agreeably to the message received this day.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December, the nominations of Thomas W. Key and others "to be additional aides-de-camp," reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d December, the nomination of Alfred Caldwell, reported.

Whereupon,

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Alfred Caldwell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Alfred Caldwell, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of Edward O. C. Ord and Albin Schoepl; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Lewis G. Arnold, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate S. P. Mirzan, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States at Galatza, in the place of C. F. Langdon, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 24, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Abraham Hanson, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Bissao, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 24, 1862.*

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Peter H. Watson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Peter H. Watson, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to inform the Senate whether John Tucker has heretofore been employed by the War Department; if so, in what capacity; what has been the title of his office; what duties has he performed; by whom he was employed; at what compensation, and whether he has been a contractor in any capacity with the War Department, or any of its officers, since the present rebellion; and if so, to state what the contracts were and with whom made.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Daniel Evans to be consul of the United States at Bilbao.

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

In accordance with the request contained in a resolution of the Senate, dated January 24th, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate a resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Daniel Evans, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Bilbao.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 25, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, Jan. 25, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

George W. Walker, of Iowa, to be second lieutenant in the Ninth Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of William B. Barney to be second lieutenant in the Ninth Regiment of Infantry, made on the 21st ultimo, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 24, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, January 24, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to recommend the withdrawal of the nomination of William B. Barney to be second lieutenant in the Ninth Regiment of Infantry, made on the 21st ultimo, for the reason that he has in the mean time been appointed second lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of George W. Walker be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The President of the Senate laid before the Senate a report from the Secretary of War in response to the resolution of the Senate of the 24th instant, calling for information in relation to the employment of John Tucker; which was read.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th ultimo, the nominations of Thomas Swords, David H. Vinton, Ebenezer S. Sibley, Edwin B. Rabbitt, James Belger, James L. Donaldson, Langdon C. Easton, John Symington, George D. Ramsay, Brockholst Livingston, Le Roy S. Elbert, Israel Vodges, Lewis G. Arnold, William Silvey, William M. Maynadier, Edmund Kirby, Judson Kilpatrick, William Elderkin, Henry Benson, John C. Tidball, Edward R. Platt, James Thompson, John M. Wilson, Alexander C. M. Pennington, Charles H. Pierce, John I. Rodgers, Samuel N. Benjamin, John W. Barlow, Francis A. Davies, Leroy L. Jones, John H. Butler, Henry S. Burton, Horatio G. Gibson, Charles C. Churchill, Augustus G. Robinson, Edward R. Warner, Lawrence Kip, Elias B. Carling, Martin D. Harding, William W. Morris, Delavan D. Perkins, Francis W. Seeley, Charles B. Throckmorton, Evan Thomas, Geo. W. Dresser, Henry C. Hasbrouck, Alonzo H. Cushing, Charles C. Parsons, Joseph B. Campbell, George A. Williams, Edwin D. Phillips, James E. Powell, James P. Roy, Adolphus F. Bond, George D. Ruggles, Joseph S. Conrad, Salem S. Marsh, Samuel T. Cushing, Thomas W. Walker, John McL. Hildt, Joseph A. McCool, Daingerfield Parker, John B. Williams, Caleb H. Carlton, Samuel M. Sprole, Julius W. Adams, Charles H. Brightly, Henry C. Bankhead, Benjamin F. Smith, John McCleary, Orlando H. Moore, Montgomery Bryant, Samuel A. Foster, Hamilton S. Hawkins, Robert L. Eastman, Wright Rives, James P. Drouillard, Edmund C. Jones, William B. Hazen, Henry M. Lazelle, Martin V. B. Lewis, John N. Andrews, James M. Warner, William S. Worth, Henry B. Noble, Hugh B. Fleming, William H. Jordau, Henry W. Halleck, Robert Anderson, Oliver D. Greene, Randolph B. Marcy, Walworth Jenkins, James J. Dana, Herbert A. Hascall, Edmund C. Bainbridge, Warren L. Lothrop, Alfred T. A. Torbot, George A. Kinsel, Herman Biggs, Herbert M. Enos, Elisha E. Camp, At Lee W. Putnam, Thomas J. Haines, John Bell, John H. Janeway, Henry A. DuBois, Benjamin Howard, Henry C. Parry, Henry R. Tilton, Samuel M. Horton, John C. G. Happersett, John Mix, William T. Okie, Joseph P. Taylor, Amos B. Eaton, Amos Beckwith, Alexander B. Hasson, Stephen H. Long, Thomas J. Cram, Howard Stansbury, William R. Palmer, George Thom, Amiel W. Whipple, Nathaniel Michler, John G. Parke, Gouverneur K. Warren, George H. Mendell, James H. Wilson, George T. Balch, Richard M. Hill, Llewellyn Jones, Washington L. Elliott, Benjamin F. Davis, James Wheeler, Richard S. C. Lord, Augustus Pleasonton, George B. Sanford, Isaac R. Dunkelberger, John Adair, John A. Shulze, Thomas J. Wood,

Enoch Steen, Washington I. Newton, John W. T. Gardiner, John W. Davidson, John Green, Lewis Merrill, John K. Mizner, Theophilus F. Rodenbough, Charles W. Canfield, Robert E. Clary, David S. Gordon, Robert S. Smith, Charles McK Leoser, James F. McQuesten, George O. Skolaski, Charles H. Gibson, Marshall S. Howe, Joseph G. Tilford, Christopher H. McNally, Edward P. Cressey, Andrew J. Alexander, Elisha W. Tarlton, William Hawley, Sidney Banks, James R. Kémble, James Oakes, George D. Bayard, Tillinghast L'Hommedieu, Eugene B. Beaumont, Lawrence P. Graham, Joseph H. Whittlesey, Julius W. Mason, Edward H. Leib, Justin Dimick, George Nauman, John M. Schofield, Richard C. Duryea, Henry W. Closson, Loomis L. Langdon, Charles H. Webber, William M. Graham, Guy V. Henry, George A. Woodruff, Justin E. Dimmick, Franck E. Taylor, John S. Gibbs, Edward L. Appleton, Hardman P. Norris, William L. Haskin, John S. Crosby, Chandler P. Eakin, Joseph P. Sanger, John L. Gardner, William W. Morris, Horace Brooks, Bennett H. Hill, William H. French, Peter C. Hains, Edward Williston, Martin Burke, William Austine, William A. Winder, Alexander Piper, John Edwards, La Rhett L. Livingston, Samuel F. Mills, Watson Webb, Franklin Harwood, Erskine Gittings, William D. Fuller, Henry S. Waterman, Horace J. Hayden, John G. Turubull, Edmund Pendleton, Charles S. Merchant, Francis O. Wyse, Joseph Roberts, Henry B. Judd, Edward O. C. Ord, John Mendenhall, Frederick M. Follett, William L. Baker, Frank G. Smith, George B. Rodney, Stephen Whitney, Rufus King, jr., Franklin B. Crosby, John S. Hunt, Seth Eastman, Joseph A. Mower, Herman Biggs, Mathew R. Marston, Isaac D. DeRussey, Leslie Smith, Sheldon Sturgeon, William H. Sterling, Charles H. Fletcher, Arthur T. Lee, James McMillan, Joseph S. Conrad, Alexander E. Drake, Richard Brindley, John S. Poland, Franklin H. Barroll, Samuel A. McKee, James W. Long, William F. Drum, Charles M. Freeman, John A. Clark, Charles F. Smith, Nathan B. Rossell, Christopher S. Lovell, William Dickinson, Jacob F. Kent, Silas Casey, Robert C. Buchanan, Seneca G. Simmons, Delozier Davidson, Robert N. Scott, Abner R. Benedict, Thomas A. Martin, William W. Stack, Avery B. Cain, Alexander Carolin, Thomas L. Alexander, Robert S. Granger, Donald C. Stith, David H. Brotherton, Edmund Freeman, Allen L. Anderson, Lyman Mishler, Simon Snyder, John T. Price, William P. Anderson, John S. Casey, Samuel Ovenshine, John J. Upham, Billings B. Childs, Joseph B. Rife, Granville O'Haller, David P. Hancock, William R. Pease, Charles B. Stivers, William H. Gordon, Edwin W. H. Read, Philip H. Remington, Eugene Carter, Caleb C. Sibley, Henry W. Wharton, Philip A. Owen, John D. Devin, Charles O. Wood, David W. Biddle, Frederick Mears, Campbell D. Emory, Clayton McMichael, Philip K. Forney, William S. Ketchum, William H. Rossell, William G. Jones, Robert H. Hall, George W. Vanderbilt, George S. Lauman, William T. Goodwin, George H. Butler, Heyward Cutting, Samuel Breck, jr., Delos B. Sackett, Nelson H. Davis, James Totten, John Buford, Roger Jones, and Absalom Baird, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 23d ultimo, the nomination of Thomas Biddle, reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 23d ultimo, the nominations of George W. Palmer, William S. Speer, Charles W. Goddard, John T. Neal, and Charles F. DeVivaldi, reported.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin B. French; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin B. French, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles B. Waite, of Illinois, to be an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States for the Territory of Utah, in the place of Robert P. Flenniker, removed ;

Also, Thomas J. Drake, of Michigan, to be an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States for the Territory of Utah, in the place of Henry R. Crosbie, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 27, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I withdraw the nominations, made on the 18th instant, of "additional aides-de-camp on the staff of Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the United States, with a view to their being assigned to duty with the troops now serving in Kansas."

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 28, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I lay before the Senate a dispatch which has just been received from Mr. Corwin, our minister to Mexico. It communicates important information concerning the war which is waged against Mexico by the combined powers of Spain, France, and Great Britain.

Mr. Corwin asks instructions by which to regulate his proceedings so as to save our national interests in the case of an adjustment of the difficulties between the belligerents. I have heretofore submitted to the Senate a request for its advice upon the question pending by treaty for making a loan to Mexico, which Mr. Corwin thinks will, in any case, be expedient. It seems to be my duty now to solicit an early action of the Senate upon the subject, to the end that I may cause such instructions to be given to Mr. Corwin as will enable him to act in the manner which, while it will most carefully guard the interests of our country, will at the same time be most beneficial to Mexico.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I submit to the Senate, for its consideration with a view to ratification, a treaty of extradition concluded by Mr. Corwin with the Mexican Government on the 11th of December last.

I also submit a postal convention concluded by that gentleman at the same time, and a copy of his dispatch of the 24th of the same month, explanatory of the provisions of both these instruments, and the reasons for the non-ratification by Mexico of the postal convention concluded in this city on the 31st of July last, and approved by the Senate on the 6th of August.

A copy of a letter from the Postmaster-General to the Secretary of State in relation to Mr. Corwin's postal convention is also herewith communicated. The advice of the Senate as to the expediency of accepting that convention as a substitute for the one of the 31st of July last, is requested.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, January 28, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles B. Waite and Thomas J. Drake be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the Secretary return to the President of the United States the nominations of William H. Merritt and others to be "additional aides-de-camp on the staff of Major-General McClellan," agreeably to the request contained in his message received this day.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the message, together with the dispatch from Mr. Corwin, communicating "important information concerning the war which is waged against Mexico by the combined powers of Spain, France, and Great Britain," be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, concluded at Mexico on the 11th December, 1861, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaty and the message, together with the accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The postal convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States, concluded at Mexico on the 11th December, 1861, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

Ordered, That the said convention and the message, together with the accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 18th December last, the nominations of Edward May, Henry M. Denniston, Richard Washington, Thomas C. Masten, Rufus Parks, Frank C. Cosby, William H. Thompson, Joseph A. Smith, Richard H. Douglas, R. Julius Richardson, Lawson C. Merrill, Clifton Hellen, Ambrose J. Clark, George Cochrane, Levi S. Stockwell, Thomas T. Caswell, George A. Sawyer, Judson S. Post, William H. Weldon, Charles Hoy, jr., and Benjamin F. Camp, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 17th instant, the nomination of Jas. R. Partridge, reported.

Mr. Latham, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Andrew J. Butler, reported.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 29th instant, the nomination of Chas. W. Chatterton, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Symmes Gardner, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nominations of Charles H. Tompkins, Charles A. Reynolds, Charles A. Allgood, Thomas Wilson, Alfred A. Woodhull, William A. Bradley, George P. Jaquett, John A. Green, Ephraim D. Ellsworth, Charles Weston, Judson Haycock, James A. Hull, James B. Swain, Cæsar R. Fisher, Frederick C. Ogden, James B. Alexander, Thomas W. Burton, Thomas B.

Deweese, William Blanchard, William H. Harrison, Henry Sachs, Wm. G. Hoffman, Charles Newbold, William O'Connell, Henry Gordon, William H. Brown, Harrison Fosdick, James H. Carleton, Lawrence A. Williams, William P. Sanders, Joseph C. Audenried, John W. Spangler, Peter McGrath, Isaac W. Ward, Albert Coats, Joseph Kerin, Christian Balder, Andrew Stoll, Samuel M. Whitside, Daniel Madden, Frank S. French, Robert M. Hall, Egbert W. Olcott, Theodore K. Gibbs, Edward A. Duer, Theophil von Michalowski, Redmond Tully, Albert O. Vincent, Carleton Lowe, Robert H. Chapin, James S. Dudley, Theodore Bradley and William Borrowe, reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 23d December last, the nominations of James H. Army, Theodore Canisius, Frederick Wypperman, Marcus Otterbourg, Benjamin Lindsey, John Bigelow, Lucius H. Chandler, Theodore D. Edwards, Horace N. Congar, Henry B. Stacey, Israel S. Diehl, Warren C. Foster, Thomas Howard, Franklin Webster, Noah L. Wilson, W. J. Stillman, William D. Howells, Charles D. Cleveland, Rossiter P. Johnson, William Blanchard, John de la Montagnie, Thomas H. Dudley, James Leslie, jr., Charles S. Ogden, Allen Francis, Max Einstein, and John Young, reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 23d December last, the nominations of F. Cosby and William Moran, jr., reported.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle, and by unanimous consent,

Resolved, That the nomination of E. H. Carruth be returned to the President of the United States for correction as respects the name of the nominee.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Latham submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be requested to transmit to the Senate in executive session, if not incompatible with the public interest, a copy of the order on which General Justice McKinstry, United States Army, was arrested at the head of his division in Missouri, on the 13th of November last, and a copy of the charges and specifications on which he has since been held a prisoner in close custody in the United States Arsenal at Saint Louis, and to inform the Senate what action, if any, has been taken by the Department; and if such charges have not been preferred, why they have not been so preferred.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of William S. Speer; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William S. Speer, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the Senate reconsider the vote directing the Secretary to return to the President of the United States the nominations of William H. Merritt and others to be additional aides-de-camp on the staff of Major-General McClellan.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of John Tucker, Frederick Steele, and Lewis J. Lambert; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

David B. Birney, of Pennsylvania, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Samuel D. Sturgis, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be brigadier-general of volunteers, to rank from August 10, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of David B. Birney and Samuel D. Sturgis be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Cowan,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of John Tucker.

Mr. Cowan submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the Senate reconsider its vote advising and consenting to the appointment of John Tucker.

On motion by Mr. Grimes, it was unanimously

Ordered, That the military nominations reported to the Senate and on the Calendar be postponed to, and made the special order of the day for, Monday next at 1 o'clock p. m.

Mr. McDougall submitted the following resolution for consideration:
Resolved, That the nomination, by the President, of James Shields as brigadier-general be considered in open Senate.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *January 30, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Henry M. Naglee, of California, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

Inominate Lieutenant Stephen B. Luce, of the Navy, to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 15th of September, 1855, and to take rank next after Lieutenant Thomas C. Harris.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *29 January, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate, dated January 30th, 1862, I herewith return the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of John Tucker.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *January 31, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry M. Naglee be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Stephen B. Luce be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 17th instant, the nominations of James L. Donaldson, and on the 30th instant of David B. Birney, reported.

Whereupon,

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of James L. Donaldson ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James L. Donaldson, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The special treaty between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, concerning the abolition of the Stade or

Brunshausen dues, concluded at Berlin the 6th day of November, 1861, was read the second time.

The Senate, as in Committee of the Whole, proceeded to consider the said treaty; and no amendment being made, it was reported to the Senate.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the special treaty between the United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, concerning the abolition of the Stade or Brunshausen dues, concluded at Berlin the sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

On the question to agree to the said resolution,

It was determined in the affirmative, {	Yeas	33
	Nays	3

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Morrill, Nesmith, Pearce, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Sherman, Simmons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of Mo.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Grimes, Hale, and Wilkinson.

So the resolution of ratification was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The amendments proposed by the Constituent National Assembly of Bolivia, in its decree of ratification of the treaty of peace, friendship, commerce, and navigation, between the United States of America and the Republic of Bolivia, concluded the 13th of May, 1858 were read the second time.

The Senate, as in Committee of the Whole, proceeded to consider the said amendments; and no amendments being made, they were reported to the Senate.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and unanimously agreed to :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the amendments proposed by the Constituent National Assembly of Bolivia in its decree of ratification of the treaty of peace, friendship, commerce, and navigation, between the United States of America and the Republic of Bolivia, concluded the 13th May, 1858, and which amendments, made on the 12th of August, 1861, are as follows, to wit :

"ARTICLE 1. The treaty of peace, friendship, trade, and navigation, concluded at the city of La Paz, on the 10th of May, 1858, between the respective ministers plenipotentiary of Bolivia and the United States of North America, is approved, determining clearly the construction of article 2d by the following explanation :

"As in said article it is stipulated that any special favor in navigation and trade granted by one of the contracting parties to any other nation extends and is common to the other party forthwith, it is declared that in what pertains to the navigation of rivers this treaty shall only apply to concessions which the Government may authorize for navigating fluvial streams which do not present obstructions; that is to say, those whose navigation may be naturally plain and current without there having been need to obtain it by the employment of labor and capital ;

that by consequence there remains reserved the right of the Bolivian Government to grant privileges to any association or company, as well foreign as national, which should undertake the navigation of those rivers from which, in order to succeed, there are difficulties to be overcome, such as the clearing out rapids, &c., &c.

“ART. 2. Authority is given to the Executive that in the act of the exchange of ratifications of the said treaty it may consent to the cancellation of the last period of article 14th, which reads thus: ‘Nevertheless, the interment in Bolivia of a citizen of the United States, a stranger to the Catholic faith, shall take place without any external observances of the religion to which the deceased may belong;’”

And that the ratification of the said treaty and of these amendments shall be exchanged by the duly authorized authorities of the respective Governments, either at the city of Washington or at the capital of the Republic of Bolivia, within such period as may be mutually convenient to both Governments, any provision contained in the said treaty to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James Cooper, Henry W. Slocum, James S. Wadsworth, John J. Peck, Ormsby M. Mitchel, George W. Morell, John H. Martindale, Henry W. Benham, George H. Thomas, Egbert L. Viele, James A. Eikeu, Thomas Swords, Edwin B. Babbitt, James Belger, James L. Donaldson, Langdon C. Easton, Brockholst Livingston, Le Roy S. Elbert, Israel Vodges, Lewis G. Arnold, William Silvey, William M. Maynadier, Edmund Kirby, Judson Kilpatrick, William Elderkin, Henry Benson, John C. Tidball, Edward R. Platt, James Thompson, John M. Wilson, Alexander C. M. Pennington, Charles H. Pierce, John J. Rodgers, Samuel N. Benjamin, John W. Barlow, Francis A. Davies, Leroy L. Janes, John H. Butler, Henry S. Burton, Horatio G. Gibson, Charles C. Churchill, Augustus G. Robinson, Edward R. Warner, Lawrence Kip, Elias B. Carling, Martin D. Hardin, William W. Morris, Delavan D. Perkins, Francis W. Seeley, Charles B. Throckmorton, Evan Thomas, George W. Dresser, Henry C. Hasbrouck, Alonzo H. Cushing, Charles C. Parsous, Joseph B. Campbell, George A. Williams, Edwin D. Phillips, James E. Powell, James P. Roy, Adolphus F. Bond, George D. Ruggles, Joseph S. Conrad, Salem S. Marsh, Samuel T. Cushing, Thomas W. Walker, John McL. Hildt, Joseph A. McCool, Daingerfield Parker, John B. Williams, Caleb H. Carlton, Samuel M. Sprole, Julius W. Adams, Charles H. Brightly, Henry C. Bankhead, Benjamin F. Smith, John McCleary, Orlando H. Moore, Montgomery Bryant, Samuel A. Foster, Hamilton S. Hawkins, Robert L. Eastman, Wright Rives, James P. Drouillard, Edward C. Jones, William B. Hazen, Henry M. Lazelle, Martin V. B. Lewis, John N. Andrews, James M. Warner, William S. Worth, Henry B. Noble, Hugh B. Fleming, William H. Jordan, Oliver D. Greene, Randolph B. Marcy, Walworth Jenkins, James J. Dana, Herbert A. Hascall, Edmund C. Bainbridge, Warren L. Lothrop, Alfred T. A. Torbat, George A. Kensel, Herman A. Biggs, Herbert M. Enos, Elisha E. Camp, Atlee W. Putnam, Thomas J. Haines, John Bell, John H. Janeway, Henry A. Dubois, Benjamin Howard, Henry C. Perry, Henry R. Tilton, Samuel M. Horton, John C. G. Happersett, John A. Whitall, John Mix, Chas. J. Larned, Charles Wilkins, Julian Molinard, Joseph P. Taylor, Amos B. Eaton, Amos Beckwith, Alexander B. Hasson, Stephen H. Long, Thomas J. Cram, Howard Stansbury, William R. Palmer, Geo. Thom, Amiel W. Whipple, Nathaniel Michler, John G. Parke, Gouverneur K. Warren, George H. Mendell, James H. Wilson, George T. Balch, Richard M. Hill, Llewellyn Jones, Washington L. Elliott, Benjamin F. Davis, James

Wheeler, Richard S. C. Lord, Augustus Pleasonton, George B. Sanford, Isaac R. Dunkelberger, John A. Shulze, Thomas J. Wood, Enoch Steen, Washington I. Newton, John W. T. Gardiner, John W. Davidson, John Green, Lewis Merrill, John K. Mizner, Theophilus F. Rodenbough, Charles W. Cantfield, Robert E. Clary, David S. Gordon, Robert S. Smith, Charles McK. Leoser, James F. McQuesten, George O. Sokalski, Chas. H. Gibson, Marshall S. Howe, Joseph G. Tilford, Christopher H. McNally, Edward P. Cressey, Andrew J. Alexander, Elisha W. Tarlton, Wm. Hawley, Sidney Banks, James R. Kemble, James Oakes, George D. Bayard, Tillinghast L'Hommedieu, Eugene B. Beaumont, Lawrence P. Graham, Joseph H. Whittlesey, Julius W. Mason, Edward H. Leib, Justin Dimick, George Nauman, John M. Schofield, Richard C. Duryea, Henry W. Closson, Loomis L. Langdon, Charles H. Webber, William M. Graham, Guy V. Henry, George A. Woodruff, Justin E. Dinick, Frank E. Taylor, John S. Gibbs, Edward L. Appleton, Hardman P. Norris, Wm. L. Haskin, John S. Crosby, Chandler P. Eakin, Joseph P. Sanger, John L. Gardner, William W. Morris, Horace Brooks, Bennett H. Hill, William H. French, Peter C. Hains, Edward Williston, Martin Burke, William Austine, William A. Winder, Alexander Piper, John Edwards, La Rhett L. Livingston, Samuel F. Mills, Watson Webb, Franklin Harwood, Erskine Gittings, William D. Fuller, Henry S. Waterman, Horace J. Hayden, John G. Turnbull, Edmund Pendleton as first lieutenant; Charles S. Merchant, Francis O. Wyse as major, Joseph Roberts, Henry B. Judd, Edward O. C. Ord as captain, John Mendenhall, Frederick M. Follett, William L. Baker, Frank G. Smith, George B. Rodney, Stephen Whitney, Rufus King, jr., Franklin B. Cosby, John S. Hunt, Seth Eastman, Joseph A. Mower, Herman Biggs, Matthew B. Marston, Isaac D. De Russy, Leslie Smith, Sheldon Sturgeon, William H. Sterling, Charles H. Fletcher, Arthur T. Lee, James McMillan, Alexander E. Drake, Joseph S. Conrad, Salem S. Marsh as captain, Francis O. Wyse as lieutenant-colonel, Alexander E. Drake, Richard Brindley, John S. Poland, Franklin H. Barroll, Samuel A. McKee, James W. Long, William F. Drum, Charles M. Freeman, John A. Clark, Charles F. Smith as colonel, Nathan B. Rossell, Christopher S. Lovell, William Dickinson, Jacob F. Kent, Silas Casey as colonel, Robert C. Buchanan, Seneca G. Simmons, Delozier Davidson, Robert N. Scott, Abner R. Benedict, Thomas A. Martin, William W. Slack, Avery B. Cain, Alexander Carolin, Thomas L. Alexander, Robert S. Granger, Donald C. Stith, David H. Brotherton, Edmund Freeman, Allen L. Anderson, Lyman Mishler, Simon Snyder, John T. Price, William P. Anderson, John S. Casey, Samuel Ovenshine, John J. Upham, Billings B. Childs, Joseph B. Rife, Granville O. Haller, David P. Hancock, William R. Pease, Charles B. Stivers, William H. Gordon, Edwin W. H. Read, Philip H. Remington, Eugene Carter, Caleb C. Sibley, Henry W. Wharton, Philip A. Owen, John D. Devin, Charles O. Wood, David W. Biddle, Frederick Mears, Campbell D. Emory, Clayton McMichael, Philip R. Forney, William S. Ketchum, William H. Rossell, William G. Jones, Robert H. Hall, George W. Vanderbilt, George S. Lanman, William T. Goodwin, George H. Butler, Heyward Cutting, Samuel Brecks, Delos B. Sacket, Nelson H. Davis, James Totten, John Buford, Roger Jones, Absalom Baird, Charles H. Tompkins, Charles A. Reynolds, Charles A. Allgood, Thomas Wilson, Alfred A. Woodhull, William A. Bradley, George P. Jaquett, Simeon Smith, John A. Green, Ephraim D. Ellsworth, Charles Weston, Judson Haycock, James A. Hall, James B. Swain, Cæsar R. Fisher, Frederick C. Ogden, James B. Alexander, Thomas W. Burton, Thomas B. Dewees,

William Blanchard, William H. Harrison, Henry Sachs, William G. Hoffman, Charles Newbold, William O'Connell, Henry Gordon, William H. Brown, Harrison Fosdick, James H. Carleton, William P. Sanders, Joseph C. Audenried, John W. Spangler, Peter McGrath, Isaac W. Ward, Albert Coats, Joseph Kerin, Christian Balder, Andrew Stoll, Samuel M. Whitside, Daniel Madden, Robert M. Hall, Egbert W. Olcott, Theodore K. Gibbs, Edward A. Duer, Theophil Von Michalowski, Redmond Tully, Albert O. Vincent, Carleton Lowe, Robert H. Chapin, James S. Dudley Theodore Bradley, William Borrowe, John F. Reynolds, John J. Abercrombie, John Sedgwick, Silas Casey as brigadier-general, George G. Meade, Abram Duryee, Alexander McD. McCook, Oliver O. Howard, Charles D. Jameson, Ebenezer Dumont, Robert H. Milroy, Lewis Wallace, Horatio G. Wright, William Nelson, John Newton, Winfield S. Hancock, Thomas L. Crittenden, George Wright, Thomas Williams, William H. French, William T. H. Brooks, John M. Brannan, John P. Hatch, Thomas J. Wood, Richard W. Johnson, John G. Foster, Christopher C. Augur, John M. Schofield, Thomas J. McKean, John G. Parke, James S. Negley, Napoleon J. T. Dana, James A. Lowrie, John Hancock, Gustavus Heinrichs, Daniel Hebard, John A. Judson, Algernon S. Baxter, Charles W. Lyman, Alexander Bliss, Simon Perkins, Rufus C. Colburn, Hiram Smith, Newton Flagg, Robert E. Bryant, Edward E. Potter, Montgomery Ritchie, John N. King, George B. Corkhill, Jacob Dock, Thomas Francis Meagher, Erasmus D. Keyes, John W. Davidson, Abner Doubleday, William S. Ketchum, and William T. Okie; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William F. Smith; and

On motion by Mr. Rice.

Ordered, That the said nomination be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of John Adair, Symmes Garduer, and Andrew J. Butler; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of B. C. Chetwood; and

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of B. C. Chetwood; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of B. C. Chetwood, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Cowan,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of David B. Birney; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of David B. Birney, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 29th January last, the nominations of Charles B. Waite and Thomas J. Drake, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th of December last, the nominations of Percy B. Spear, John S. Burdette, John Mills Kendrick, Benjamin F. Hawkes, Henry Binmore, W. P. Prentice, Andrew Steinmetz, Martin H. Insley, James A. Ekin, James Dunlap, Benjamin W. Perkins, William A. Van Vliet, Edwin C. Wilson, A. F. Garrison, A. C. Wilder, Ninian W. Edwards, Festus H. Moore, Charles B. Hinsdill, George M. Adams, William M. Green, Jacob Heaton, Morgan L. Martin, Charles J. Sprague, William McMichael, Robert P. Dodge; and on the 24th December last of Edmund Pendleton, Henry Meinell, William W. Tompkins, James L. Thomas, John R. Myrick, James R. Kelly, George F. Barstow, George M. Fillmore, John S. Hunt, George Dickenson, Samuel Canby, Francis D. L. Russell, Bayard Wilkeson, Harry C. Cushing, Eugene A. Baucroft, Henry A. Huntingdon, John Cusack, Charles D. Viele, Edward H. Mace, George H. McLoughlin, Adolph W. Kroutinger, Thomas D. Parker, Ralph E. Elinwood, William West, William G. Fitch, Frederick Devoe, Edmund Butler, Martin Mullins, Charles Speed, Franklin Cook, Samuel L. Barr, Nelson Thomasson, Alonzo A. Cole, Walter Newman, John Jackson, Richard R. Crawford, Woolsey R. Hopkins, James W. Scott, Ingham Coryell, C. D. Blanchard, James C. Slaight, C. N. Goulding, Charles D. Robinson, J. B. Hollowbush, Oliver Ladew, George A. Flagg, John S. Godfrey, Charles R. Tyler, M. Pinner, Charles D. Schmidt, Z. C. Edwards, Simon B. Brown, George D. Wise, William Bailhache, Clement L. West, Michael C. Garber, Lewis B. Parsons, William A. Hawley, George R. Dyer, Ralph Plumb, Max Paul Engle, William Painter, S. Lockwood Brown, F. W. Hurtt, Henry W. Whittlesey, Charles B. Wagner, Charles T. Wing, W. H. Owen, Thomas O'Brien, D. W. Swigart, George W. Lee, Roeloff Brinkerhoff, Samuel H. Moer, Daniel Messenger, William Cutting, Luther H. Pierce, Hiram B. Wetherell, Richard W. Thompson, Josiah M. Lucas, Isaac B. Bowdish, John L. Hathaway, Egbert T. S. Schenck, Samuel Gamage, Benjamin P. Walker, John Clark, N. J. Sappington, James M. Sanderson, James M. Tillapaugh, W. L. Mallory, George L. Thordike, George S. Roper, Edward S. Earle, Horace R. Wetherell, George W. Campbell, Stephen Hoyt, J. D. Williams, Edward Martindale, Elisha, D. Brigham, Thomas Foster, jr., John Fry, John F. Hopkins, Spencer C. Benham, Thomas Gray, Edwin R. Goodrich, William Wilson, Alpheus B. Crosby, William Varian, O. M. Bryan, Tarrant A. Perkins, Josiah Curtis, F. N. Burke, D. W. Hartshorn, William W. Strew, John J. Craven, Robert L. Stanford, Edwin Bentley, S. L. Herrick, G. C. Blackman, R. B. Bontecon, Samuel Everett, J. H. Warren, D. W. Bliss, H. P. Stearns, G. W. Stipp, G. H. Oliver, Alexander N. Dougherty, E. C. Franklin, Geo. H. Hubbard, D. W. Hand, Rufus K. Brown, John T. Crawford, Thomas Antisell, John McNulty, Gilman Kimball, G. S. Palmer, W. M. Chambers, A. A. Thurston, T. F. Azpell, Byron Kirby, George McGown, Herman O. Renaldo, Edward D. Waite, John E. Yard, Claude S. Robertson, Charles G. Halpine, George C. Strong, R. M. Copeland, Gustavus Bascom, Henry Thrall, William H. Morris, John H. Knight, Jacob R. Freese, Charles Munde, William D. Wilkins, John Murray, Robert Chandler, John M. Norvell, J. A. Rawlins, George E. Flynt, Charles Stewart, Louis Richmond, Francis A. Walker, Gustavus Urban, Joseph Howland, Charles Kingsbury, Henry W. Smith, Frederick D. Sewall, E. Sparrow Purdy, Charles W. Foster, Isaac Moses, Clarence H. Dyer, J. S. Gregory, Leonard D. H. Currie, James M. Wilson, Richard T. Auchmuty, Thomas J. Newsham, Thomas J. Hoyt, Henry Clay, Hazard Stevens, William H. Scheater, Frederick

Knefler, Carroll H. Potter, Theodore Read, Charles J. Powers, Daniel McCook, Placidus Ord, Southard Hoffman, George D. Kellogg, George A. Hicks, John Pound, William Von Doehn, Andrew C. Kemper, Henry Clay McDowell, John P. Finklemeier, W. P. Prentice, Henry Z. Curtis, William G. George, Javau B. Salisbury, J. M. Makenzie, Marvin J. Green, Ira B. Gibbs, Andrew J. Butler, James M. Ellis, Edgar Beman, Joseph S. Smith, George H. Wood, James F. De Wolf, W. W. Leland, George W. Cummings, James G. Fuller, Columbus S. Stevenson, William Smith, William G. Terrell, Oliver S. Witherell, Martin L. Bundy, Thomas B. Oakley, Hoyt Sherman, Zebua K. Pangborn, William H. Johnston, Henry J. Adams, James C. Yohn, Benjamin F. Watson, Nicholas Vedder, Oliver Holman, William Tillman, William Larned, George F. Emory, William H. Ritter, C. R. Saunders, Thomas M. Bert, Frank Bridgeman, Julian O. Mason, John E. Newell, Ira L. Hurwitz, Henry V. Sullivan, William J. Martin, Rufus Cheney, John A. Lowry, Truman G. Wright, Robert S. Webb, Alexander B. Williams, William E. Hoy, Alvin Walker, W. C. H. Sherman, L. Y. Thustiu, Philip Speed, Richard P. L. Baber, Robert Smythe, Alfred Mordecai, David H. Buell, Stephen C. Lyford, John R. Edie, Francis H. Parker, Joseph P. Farley, Lawrence S. Babbitt, Edward Ball, E. M. Coates, Richard Byrnes, Reuben C. Winslow, C. C. Cox, Timothy Haynes, Gabriel Grant, C. B. Chapman, J. G. Keenon, W. H. Mussey, C. W. Jones, George Burr, Robert Roskoton, Nathaniel R. Moseley, Thomas F. Perley, Robert Nicholls, M. Goldsmith, James H. Faris, J. H. Thompson, and A. R. Egbert, and on the 6th January last of Richard E. Davis, Brownell Granger, George B. Holstead, John Pilsen, A. P. Fiske, and James A. Lowrie, and on the 13th January last of D. L. Smith, Thomas J. Sample, Joseph H. Libenan, Joseph McCoy, Simon F. Barstow, Charles H. Rawson, and Edward E. Phelps, and on the 16th January last of Roswell M. Sawyer, Wickham Hoffman, Charles C. Suydam, William W. Van Ness, Peter Heistand, and Perley P. Pitkin, and on the 17th January last of W. H. Coffin, Otho W. Heiskell, Joseph J. Slocum, J. Howard Wells, James P. Wilson, Frederick S. Winslow, Joel D. Crittenden, Samuel McK. La Porte, John A. Lemon, D. W. McClung, Samuel R. Steel, A. Judson Rowell, Mark R. Came, Mark Prime, A. Coleman Woolfolk, and Skidmore E. Lefferts, and on the 22d January last of August Shimmell and John Le Compte, reported.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles Welsch, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Cobija, in the place of Lewis Joel, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 4th February, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby withdraw the nomination of John Worth, heretofore nominated for the consulate at Hilo, and nominate for that office Thomas Spencer, now of Hilo.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 4th February, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Thomas Hogg, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Kanagawa, Japan, his commission for the same office at Nagasaki having been canceled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 4th February, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Erasmus D. Shattuck, of Oregon, to be attorney of the United States for the district embracing the State of Oregon.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 3, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby withdraw the nomination of Jonathan Remick, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain in the Volunteer force of the United States, and nominate William P. Darst, of Ohio, for that office.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, February 3, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles Welsch and Thomas Spencer be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas Hogg and Erasmus D. Shattuck be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of William P. Darst be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Henry M. Naglee, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry M. Naglee, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Edward E. Phelps; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward E. Phelps, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin C. Whiting; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin C. Whiting, agreeably to the nomination.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1862.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Chas. H. Eldredge, Gilbert E. Thornton, George Plunkett, Edward Foster, George Lawrence, Edward May, Henry M. Denniston, Richard Washington, Thomas C. Masten, Rufus Parks, Frank C. Cosby, William H. Thompson, Joseph A. Smith, Richard H. Douglas, R. Julius Richardson, Lawson C. Merrill, Clifton C. Hellen, Ambrose J. Clark, George Cochrane, Levi S. Stockwell, Thomas T. Caswell, George A. Sawyer, Judson S. Post, William H. Weldon, Charles Hoy, jr., and Benjamin F. Camp; and

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Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of John S. Hogeboom, Isaac O. Hunt, and Archibald McIntyre; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 4th instant, the nominations of Thomas Hogg and Erasmus D. Shattuck, reported.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 16th December last, the nomination of Floris Van Reuth, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 6th instant, the nominations of I. Remington Fairlamb, H. B. Robinson, Hugh Young, William W. Mills, Luther Haven, John E. Stalker, William L. Ashmore, Charles A. Perkins, Charles F. Swift, Nathaniel K. Sargent, George Howland, William W. Gorton, Joseph Spencer, James Jones, Warren Thornberry, Jacob E. Meeker, James N. Muller, J. J. Witzig, E. M. Shield, Thomas B. Stillman, Alfred Guthrie, and Alexander Henderson, reported.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, February 1, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States. They passed the required examination on the 8th November, 1861, and were not nominated in their turn only because the proceedings of the board in their cases were, through some oversight, detained in the Surgeon-General's Office, as appears by the Adjutant-General's report, hereto annexed; and in order to correct the mistake and prevent them from suffering injustice, their nomination is made as of 10th of November, 1861:

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be brigade surgeons.

Eugene F. Sanger, of Maine, November 10, 1861.

R. K. Smith, of Pennsylvania, November 10, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, February 5, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

E. P. Donnel, of Maine, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February 10, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Ethan A. Hitchcock, of Missouri, to be major-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Elias Wampole, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Laguayra, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February, 1862.*

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Ethan Allen Hitchcock ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Ethan Allen Hitchcock, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nominations of Eugene F. Sanger, R. K. Smith, and E. P. Donnel be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of Calvin H. Hale, reported.

Mr. Rice, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Paul R. George and Philip St. George Cook, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 16th December last, the

nominations of A. J. Cady and Charles Leib (as first lieutenant and as assistant quartermaster), and on the 24th December last the nominations of Justus McKinstry and Melancthon S. Wade, and on the 13th January last the nomination of Alexander Asboth; and on the 12th December last the nomination of Hanson E. Weaver reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December, the nominations of Henry H. Lockwood, George M. Wright, William D'Wolf, Uniaché C. Mackay, Edward Heaton, William Maynadier, Robert H. K. Whitely, Peter V. Hagner, Robert A. Wainwright, Stephen V. Benét, Silas Crispin, Adelbert R. Buffington, Daniel W. Flagler, Thomas C. Bradford, and William H. Harris, and on the 16th December last the nominations of James C. Hunt, E. F. Benton, Henry F. Brownson, Charles Wilkins, William Clarendon Cuyler, Charles L. Noggle, Marcus A. Reno, Samuel McKee, Edwin V. Sumner, Edward Treacy, Dunbar R. Ransom, Wm. H. Bartholomew, Thomas M. Saunders, Henry Meinell, Wm. J. Slidell, William W. Tompkins, James L. Thomas, John R. Myrick, James R. Kelly (as first lieutenant), George F. Barstow, Richard Loder, George Dickenson, and on the 24th December last the nominations of William F. Barry, Lawrence P. Graham, Willis A. Gormau, William W. Burns, Isaac J. Stevens, Jesse L. Reno, William T. Ward, Daniel E. Sickles, George Sykes, Innis N. Palmer, Benjamin C. Card (as first lieutenant and as assistant quartermaster), Joseph A. Potter (as first lieutenant and as assistant quartermaster), David E. Porter, Carle A. Woodruff, William H. Powell, George U. Cram, and on the 13th January last the nomination of Fitz John Porter, and on the 17th instant the nominations of Lewis Thompson, James Potter, Armon Trimble, William M. Watts, Frank W. Dickerson, Edwin L. Garvin, Horace P. Pike, Lewis H. Fine, Maunig Livingston, John A. Tiernon, Charles Medary, George T. Hunting, Charles Simonds, Edward Field, Albert Sabin, Edward T. Brenner, Samuel P. Crowley, Solomon G. Krepps, Hugh Johnson, Benjamin Taylor, Jesse A. P. Hampson, and Washington Hopkins, and on the 27th January last the nomination of George W. Walker, and on the 24th December last of Eleazer A. Paine, Wm. R. Strong, Lovell H. Rousseau, Henry Van Reusselaer, and Henry B. Livingston, reported.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James R. Partridge; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James R. Partridge, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 29th January last, the postal convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States, concluded at the City of Mexico on the 11th of December, 1861, reported the same without amendment.

The said convention was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment being made, it was reported to the Senate.

Mr. Collamer submitted the following resolution; which was considered by unanimous consent, and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the "postal convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States," concluded at the City of Mexico on the 11th Day of December, 1861.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George W. Palmer; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George W. Palmer, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Cowan that he have leave to withdraw his motion that the Senate reconsider its resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of John Tucker,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin W. Perkins; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin W. Perkins.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James W. Denver, William McMichael, Martin H. Insley, James Dunlap, William A. Van Vliet, Edwin C. Wilson, A. F. Garrison, Ninian W. Edwards, Festus H. Moore, Charles D. Hinsdill, George N. Adams, William M. Green, Jacob Heaton, Ebenezer S. Sibley, William M. Maynadier, Henry W. Halleck, Robert Anderson, Gustavus Koerner, Lawrence A. Williams, Frank S. French, Edmund Pendleton, Henry Meinell, Wm. W. Tompkins, James L. Thomas, John R. Myrick, James R. Kelly, George F. Barstow, George F. Fillmore, John S. Hunt, George Dickenson, Samuel Canby, Francis D. L. Russell, Bayard Wilkinson, Harry C. Cushing, Eugene A. Bancroft, Henry A. Huntington, John Cusack, Charles D. Viele, and Edward H. Mace; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the nominations of Henry J. Adams, Martin L. Bundy, Thomas M. Burt, Frank Bridgeman, Richard P. L. Baber, Rufus Cheney, Robert P. Dodge, George F. Emory, Oliver Holman, Ira L. Hewitt, William E. Hoy, William H. Johnston, William Larned, John A. Lowry, Morgan L. Martin, Julian O. Mason, William J. Martin, John W. Newell, Thomas B. Oakley, Zebina K. Pangborn, Charles J. Sprague, Columbus S. Stevenson, William Smith, Hoyt Sherman, C. R. Saunders, Henry V. Sullivan, W. C. H. Sherman, Philip Speed, Robert Smythe, William G. Terrell, William Tillman, L. T. Thustin, Nicholas Vedder, Orlando S. Witherill, Benjamin F. Watson, Truman G. Wright, Robert S. Webb, Alexander B. Williams, and James C. Yohn, as paymasters, reported on the 3d instant, be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Warren Wasson, of Nevada Territory, to be marshal of the United States for said Territory, in place of David Bayles, who has failed to qualify.

Also, Thomas B. Wallace, of Missouri, to be marshal of the United States in and for the western district of Missouri, in place of James O. Sittou, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, February 11, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Edward Lamarche, of Belgium, to be consul of the United States at Liege.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 14th *February*, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February* 13, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February* 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Amasa Stone, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February* 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, February* 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Thomas A. Davies, of the New York Volunteers, to be brigadier-general, for gallant conduct at the battle of Bull Run.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Warren Wasson and Thomas B. Wallace be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of Edward Lamarche be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Amasa Stone and Thomas A. Davies be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Vice President laid before the Senate a report from the Secretary of War in answer to the resolution of the Senate of 17th January last, relating to the accounts of Lieutenant Colonel James W. Ripley, which was read.

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nomination of George Stoneham, on the 24th December last that of Charles F. Smith, and on the 30th January last that of Samuel D. Sturges, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles F. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 18th December last, the nominations of Charles W. Hassler and William T. Meredith, reported.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of Thomas G. Clayton and Joseph N. Fearson, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas G. Clayton, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of H. B. Robinson ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of H. B. Robinson, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Shields.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1862.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of R. B. Lawton, William H. De Forest, J. C. Peterson, Joseph S. York, Charles A. Van Deuzen, Edward McConnell, Henry J. McLandburgh, and Thomas C. Williams, and on the 16th December last of Cornelius L. King, Thomas M. Hulings, George L. Williard, John P. Sherburne, and William F. Goodwin, and on the 24th December last of Francis E. Brownell, Edwin M. Coates, Francis Clarke, Ferdinand E. De Courcy, Joseph H. Vanderslice, Patrick Collins, William B. Occeston, Wilbur F. Melbourne, William H. Ingerton, Thomas J. Durnin, Henry Inman, Reuben C. Winslow, James Simons, James Powell, Edward C. Boynton, Henry C. Wood, Charles E. Farrand, John E. Evans, Edward Ellsworth, William Fletcher, Charles Bentzoni, Oscar Hagen, Edward R. Pennington, William J. L. Nicodemus, Carbery Lay, Frederick Winthrop, Harry C. Egbert, William W. Dewey, Bernard P. Mimmack (as second lieutenant), Bernard P. Mimmack (as first lieutenant), Frederick A. Tracy, John A. Durillard, Alexander Murry, Asa B. Carey, Albert M. Powell, William M. Wherry, Javan B. Irvine, Patrick Meagher, William Griffin, William C. McCall, Joseph N. Locke, John J. Coppinger, Charles B. Watson, Charles H. Ingraham, Roderic Stone, P. E. Burke, William R. Smedberg, Richard P. H. Durkee, William H. Lawrence, Richard F. O'Beirne, James B. Sinclair, James W. Weir, Robert H. Porter, James Heuton, Wilberforce W. Lyon, Daniel Loosely, Alonzo J. Bellows, Charles G. Harker, James Curtiss, Lynde Catlin, Joseph R. Paxton, Irwin W. Potter, Andrew M. Brown, Samuel S. Holbrook, Ohio H. Binckley, Gilbert A. Mallory, Robert P. King, James Y. Semple, George H. Burns, James Biddle, Francis A. Davies, George N. Bascom, Francis M. Bache, Patrick Kelly, James Kelly, Jacob Kline, William H. Smyth, William M. Breese, John Power, Homer H. Clark, William W. Arnold, Robert F. Morley, Charles C. Goddard, William T. Gentry, Edward J. Conner, William Sweet, Charles Holmes, Henry

A. Ellis, F. E. Crosman, Robert P. Wilson, Edward W. Whittemore, John S. Knapp, James W. Forsyth, William B. Hughes, Robert B. Hull, William J. Fetterman, John A. Thompson, Henry Haymond, William P. McCleery, Horace Brown, Daniel W. Benham, William J. Phelps, Frederick Phisterer, Frederick H. Brown, Henry B. Freeman, Samuel J. Dick, Thaddeus S. Kirtland, Joseph McConnell, James B. Mulligan, John Tillson, Werner Boecklin, Thaddeus P. Mott, Verling K. Hart, James Mooney, Francis McIlvaine, Samuel S. Bigger, Charles Berg, Joseph J. Wagoner, William R. Lowe, and Samuel C. Culbertson, and on the 17th January last of J. Howard Rathbone, John C. Reynolds, John H. Knight, Philip R. Foruey, Mark F. Leavenworth, Tenedore Ten Eyck, and George S. Pierce, and of James P. Pratt, Irvin B. Wright, James C. Howland, Silas W. Pettit, Alfred Curtis, Dorus Bates, and Robert D. Torrey, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 16th December last, the nomination of Frederick F. Burlock, and on the 24th December last that of Henry Van Rensselaer (as brigadier-general), Alexander B. Dyer, and William A. Stokes, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Hamilton Cummings, reported.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of J. Howard Rathbone; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of J. Howard Rathbone, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 14th instant, the nomination of Thomas B. Wallace, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas B. Wallace, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of James Shields; and

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, February 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Brigadier-General Ulysses S. Grant, of the U. S.

Volunteers, to be major-general of Volunteers, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the capture of Fort Donelson, Kentucky, to date from February 16, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, February 17, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Colonel A. Garfield, of the 42d Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general, January 11, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct at the battle of Prestonburg, Kentucky.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Ulysses S. Grant; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Ulysses S. Grant, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of A. Garfield; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of A. Garfield, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of John B. S. Todd, and, on the 10th instant of E. P. Donnel, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of E. P. Donnel, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of Thomas Clowes, reported.

Mr. Pomeroy, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 6th January last, the nomination of Thomas S. Nelson, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred, on the 19th December last, a message from the President of the United States, transmitting a "draft for a convention with the Republic of Mexico," and, on the 29th January last, a message from the President of the United States, transmitting a dispatch from Mr. Cor-

win, minister of the United States, in Mexico, submitted the following report :

The Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred a message from the President of the United States of December 17, 1861, transmitting a draft for a convention with the Republic of Mexico, with accompanying papers, and a message from the President of the United States of January 24, 1862, transmitting a dispatch from Mr. Corwin, have had the same under consideration, and report :

On the 2d of September, 1861, Mr. Seward addressed to Mr. Corwin, at Mexico, a dispatch, in which he says that the President greatly desires that the political status of Mexico, as an independent nation, should be permanently maintained ; that the events communicated by Mr. Corwin alarmed him, and that he conceived that the people of the United States would scarcely justify him were he to make no effort for preventing so great a calamity on this continent as would be the extinction of that Republic ; that he had therefore determined to empower Mr. Corwin to negotiate a treaty with Mexico for the assumption by the United States of the interest, at three per cent., upon the funded debt of that country, the principal of which was understood to be about sixty-two millions of dollars, for the term of five years from the date of the decree recently issued by Mexico suspending such payment, provided that Mexico could pledge to the United States its faith for the reimbursement of this money, with six per cent. interest, to be secured by a special lien upon all the public lands and mineral rights in the several Mexican States of Lower California, Chihuahua, Sonora, and Sinaloa, the property so pledged to become absolute in the United States at the expiration of the term of six years from the time when the treaty went into effect, if such reimbursement be not made before that time. The President felt that this course was rendered necessary by circumstances as new as they were eventful and which seemed to admit of no delay.

Mr. Seward proceeds to say in his instructions that they are conditional upon the consent of the British and French Governments to forbear from action against Mexico on account of her failure or refusal to pay the interest in question until after the treaty shall have been submitted to the Senate, and, if ratified, then so long thereafter as the interest should be paid by the United States.

Mr. Seward adds that his instructions are not to be considered as specific, but general, subject to modifications as to sums, terms, securities, and other points.

Mr. Corwin, in an earlier dispatch, dated at Mexico 29th July, 1861, and addressed to Mr. Seward, had already suggested the policy which he was now authorized to pursue, and proposed to obtain a lien on the public lands and mineral rights in the provinces mentioned by Mr. Seward. By such an arrangement, in his opinion, two consequences would follow : First, all hope of extending the domain of a separate Southern Republic in this quarter or in Central America would be extinguished ; and, secondly, any further attempt to establish European power on this continent would cease to occupy either England or continental Europe.

Afterwards, in a dispatch dated at Mexico, June 29, 1861, Mr. Corwin inclosed to Mr. Seward the project of a treaty between the United States and Mexico, by which the United States was to lend to Mexico five millions of dollars, payable in monthly installments of one half million a month, also the further sum of four millions of dollars, payable in sums of one-half million every six months ; the whole loan to be secured by a mort-

gage on the public lands, mineral rights, and church property of Mexico, for the realization of which a board of five commissioners was to be organized, three to be appointed by Mexico and two by the United States, holding sessions in the city of Mexico until the debt and interest are fully discharged. No reference was made in the proposed treaty to the consent of the British and French Governments mentioned by Mr. Seward as a condition, nor to the application of the money when received by Mexico, nor does anything on this subject appear in the accompanying dispatch.

The President, by his message of December 17, 1861, submitted the draft of this treaty to the Senate for their advice. Afterwards, by another message of January 24, 1862, he called their attention to it again in the following language:

“I have heretofore submitted to the Senate a request for its advice upon the question pending by treaty for making a loan to Mexico, which Mr. Corwin thinks will, in any case, be expedient. It seems to me to be my duty now to solicit an early action of the Senate upon the subject to the end that I may cause such instructions to be given to Mr. Corwin as will enable him to act in the manner which, while it will most carefully guard the interests of our country, will at the same time be most beneficial to Mexico.”

Meanwhile Great Britain, France, and Spain, by a convention dated at London, October 31, 1861, have entered into an alliance, the declared object of which is “to demand from the authorities of the Republic of Mexico more efficacious protection for the persons and properties of their subjects as well as a fulfillment of the obligations contracted by the Republic of Mexico.” The high contracting parties engaged not to seek for themselves in the employment of coercive measures any acquisition of territory nor any special advantage, and not to exercise in the internal affairs of Mexico any influence of a nature to prejudice the right of the Mexican nation to choose and to constitute freely the form of its government. They further declare that, desiring that the measures they intend to adopt should not bear an exclusive character, and being aware that the Government of the United States on its part has, like them, claims to enforce upon the Mexican Republic, they agree that this Government shall be invited to accede to this convention.

Mr. Seward, in a dispatch dated at Washington, December 4, 1861, declined to become a party to this convention, saying “that the United States prefer, as much as lies in their power, to maintain the traditional policy recommended by the father of their country, confirmed by successful experience and which forbids them to make an alliance with foreign powers.”

In pursuance of this convention the naval and military forces of the three great powers have assembled at San Juan d'Ulloa, and the flags of the three powers now float over the castle. The Government of Mexico has rallied the people to resist these powers, and there is at this moment the prospect of a prolonged and exhausting contest. The occasion seems now to have arrived when the aid proposed by Mr. Seward in his dispatch of September 2, 1861, may be of decisive importance to Mexico. To the United States it would also be of great importance if it could be the means of removing from Mexico the pressure of these hostile armaments and in placing a neighbor Republic in a more tranquil and independent condition. If the allied powers simply desire security for their claims and nothing else, then a reasonable provision of this nature ought to be satisfactory, so far as any question arises from the claim.

The debt of Mexico to the allied powers may be stated, in round numbers, as follows:

To England, immediate, say	\$1, 000, 000	
Convention, 4 per cent. interest	5, 000, 000	
Bondholders, 3 per cent. interest	65, 000, 000	
General claims, say	4, 000, 000	
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		\$75, 000, 000
To France, immediate, say	500, 000	
Convention, balance	200, 000	
Pennaud agreement	800, 000	
Claims, general, say	3, 500, 000	
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		5, 000, 000
To Spain, immediate, say	500, 000	
Convention, 3 per cent. interest	8, 000, 000	
Claims, say	1, 000, 000	
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		10, 000, 000
 Total		 90, 000, 000

Of course, any payment or guaranty of this large mass on our part is out of the question; nor was it contemplated by the United States in the original instructions to Mr. Corwin. It was proposed to make such payment as would afford present relief to Mexico, and would secure the forbearance of the allied powers. To this end Mr. Seward offered to assume the interest of the Mexican debt for the term of five years. But the claims in the foregoing list which are not funded, and are entitled "immediate," it is understood are pressed with equal energy by the allied powers. If these were satisfied, and provision were made for the interest, the United States would have the following liabilities: Payments, immediate, or, say, at 3, 6, and 12 months, as follows:

To England, say, 6 and 12 months' drafts of Mexico on United States	\$1, 000, 000
To France, say, 6 and 12 months' drafts of Mexico on United States	700, 000
To Spain, say, 6 and 12 months' drafts of Mexico on United States	500, 000
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Total, cash, or 3, 5 and 12 months	2, 200, 000
Interest, say, semi-annual drafts of Mexico on the United States:	
To England, convention, 4 per cent	\$200, 000
bondholders, 3 per cent	1, 950, 000
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	\$2, 150, 000
To Spain, convention, 3 per cent	240, 000
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Total interest per annum	2, 390, 000

Certain other outstanding claims of the allied powers are not included in either of these lists. It has been proposed that these should be provided for by a sinking fund, at the rate of ten per cent. for ten years, as follows:

Sinking fund for claims, 10 per cent. per annum for ten years:	
To England (claims) per annum	\$400, 000
To France (Pennaud agreement) per annum	80, 000
To France (claims) per annum	350, 000
To Spain (claims) per annum	150, 000
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Total per annum	980, 000

The assumption of all these liabilities for a long period would throw upon the United States a burden too great for the present moment, although, perhaps, not out of proportion to the anticipated advantages. If anything be done on our part, it must be more moderate. The offer of Mr. Seward for five years, if accepted, would throw upon the United States a responsibility sufficiently large; and this responsibility ought to be kept within a limitation of which \$15,000,000 should be a maximum.

But there are two conditions which must be required by the United States before the assumption of any such responsibility. The first is the assent of the allied powers, and the acceptance on their part of the friendly offers of the United States. Unless these allied powers are parties to the transaction it would be productive only of embarrassment and loss, without accomplishing any permanent good to the United States or to Mexico.

The other essential condition is, that security should be given by Mexico to the United States for the liabilities assumed. It is not too much to expect such security, nor is Mexico, as is well known, disinclined to give it. Her creditors are now foreclosing their demands upon her, at the cost, perhaps, of her national existence, and she turns to the United States for help. Not merely friendship, but a continental policy, affecting, perhaps, our own cherished interest, prompts us to afford such help, so far as in our power. In asking for security we shall simply follow the rules of prudence, whether between nations or individuals.

The security proposed by Mr. Corwin on the public lands, minerals, and church property of Mexico would render necessary the appointment of a board or mixed commission for the management and disposition of this property. This necessity seems to add to the complications of such a security.

The security proposed by Mr. Seward on the public lands and mineral rights in the several provinces of Lower California, Chihuahua, Sonora, and Sinaloa is simple, and it is understood that in some of this territory there is a vast mineral wealth. The province of Lower California is unquestionably the territory of Mexico most interesting to the United States, in a military and naval point of view.

Another security, perhaps less manageable, but more interesting still, would be the right of way across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, with a mortgage on the adjoining public lands of the Isthmus. Estimated by its pecuniary value, this security would not be large; but there can be no doubt of its political and commercial importance.

Still another security would be a pledge by Mexico of 25 per cent., or, perhaps, a larger percentage of the customs or other revenues.

But it is not easy to say positively at this distance from the scene of operations, and with the information before the committee, what is the most practicable form of security. Perhaps it is advisable to leave this matter to the careful discretion of our minister at Mexico, under instructions from the President, with the explicit understanding that the United States declines any territorial acquisition, and seeks the consolidation of Mexico without dismemberment of any kind.

Such are the main features of the question on which the President has asked the advice of the Senate. With more precise information on matters of detail it might be proper for the Senate to enter upon details in its answer. But such information, especially with regard to the actual relations, now daily changing, between Mexico and the allied powers, can be obtained only on the spot. It is evident, therefore,

that the Senate can do little more than indicate an opinion on what has already been done, and declare the proper principles on which a negotiation with Mexico should be conducted, without presuming to fix in advance all its terms. Much must be left to the discretion of our minister there, and to the instructions which he will receive from the President.

The committee recommend the passage of the following resolution :

Resolved, That in the changing condition of the relations between Mexico and the allied powers, and in the absence of precise information, it is impossible for the Senate to advise the President with regard to all the terms of a treaty with Mexico so as to supersede the exercise of a considerable discretion on the part of our minister there, under instructions from the President, but that, in answer to the two several messages of the President, the Senate expresses the following conclusions:

First. The Senate approves the terms of the instructions to our minister at Mexico, as contained in the dispatch bearing date September 2, 1861.

Secondly. The Senate does not advise a treaty in conformity with the project communicated by our minister to Mexico in his dispatch of November 29, 1861, as the same fails to secure in any way the application of the money in question to the demands of the allied powers, or either of them, and therefore can be in no respect satisfactory to them.

Thirdly. The Senate advises a treaty with Mexico providing for the assumption of the interest on the debt from Mexico to the allied powers for a limited period of time, and also for the payment of certain immediate claims by these powers, the whole liability assumed to be kept within the smallest possible sum, it being understood that the same shall be accepted by the allied powers in present satisfaction of their claims, so that they shall withdraw from Mexico, and that the same shall be secured by such mortgage or pledge as shall be most practicable, without any territorial acquisition or dismemberment of Mexico.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the report be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 29th January last, "a treaty of extradition between the United States and the Mexican Government, concluded by Mr. Corwin, December 11, 1861," reported it with an amendment.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of James Shields, and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields ?

It was decided in the affirmative, { Yeas 25
 { Nays 10

On motion by Mr. Foster,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlisle, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Hale, Harris, Henderson, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Rice, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Trumbull, Willey, Wilson, of Mass., Wilson, of Mo.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Doolittle, Fessenden, Foster, Grimes, Harlan, Howard, Howe, McDougall, Sherman, Wilkinson.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry Van Renselaer to be brevet brigadier-general in the Army of the United States be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the nomination of Paul R. George to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Davis,

Ordered, That the nomination of F. Cosby to be consul of the United States at Geneva be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of J. Mills Kendrick, Benjamin F. Hawkes, Henry Binmore, W. P. Prentice, Percy B. Spear, John M. Palmer, John S. Burdette, A. C. Wilder, Adelbert R. Buffington, Wm. H. Harris, Edward Heaton, R. B. Lawton, William H. DeForest, J. C. Peterson, Joseph S. Yorke, Charles A. Van Deusen, Edward McConnell, Henry J. McLandburgh, Thomas C. Williams, Francis E. Brownell, Edwin M. Coates, Francis Clarke, Ferdinand E. De Courcy, Joseph H. Vanderslice, Patrick Collins, William B. Occleston, Wilbur F. Melbourne, William H. Ingerton, Thomas J. Duruin, Henry Inman, Reuben C. Winslow, James Simons, James Powell, Benjamin C. Card, as assistant quartermaster, Joseph A. Potter, David E. Porter, Carle A. Woodruff, George H. McLoughlin, Adolph W. Kroutinger, Thomas D. Parker, William West, William G. Fitch, Frederick Devoe, William H. Powell, Edmond Butler, Martin Mullins, Charles Speed, Franklin Cook, Samuel L. Barr, Nelson Thommason, Byron Kirby, Alonzo A. Cole, Walter Newman, John Jackson, Richard R. Crawford, George McGown, Herman O. Renaldo, Edward D. Wait, John E. Yard, Claude S. Robertson, Edward C. Boynton, Henry C. Wood, Charles E. Farrand, John E. Evans, Edward Ellsworth, William Fletcher, Charles Bentzoni, Oscar Hagen, Edward R. Pennington, William J. L. Nicodemus, Carbery Lay, Frederick Winthrop, Harry C. Egbert, Benjamin C. Card as first lieutenants; William W. Dewey, Bernard P. Mimmack as second lieutenants; Bernard P. Mimmack, as first lieutenant; Frederick A. Tracy, John A. Durillard, Alexander Murry, Asa B. Carey, Albert M. Powell, William M. Wherry, Javan B. Irvine, Patrick Meagher, William C. McCall, Joseph N. Locke, John J. Coppinger, Charles B. Watson, Charles H. Ingraham, Roderic Stone, P. E. Burke, William R. Smedberg, Richard P. H. Durkee, William H. Lawrence, Richard F. O'Beirne, James B. Sinclair, James W. Weir, Robert H. Porter, James Henton, Wilberforce W. Lyon, Daniel Loosely, Alonzo J. Bellows, Charles G. Harker, James Curtiss, Lynde Catlin, Joseph R. Paxton, Irwin W. Potter, Joseph A. Potter, Andrew M. Brown, Samuel S. Holbrook, Ohio H. Binckley, Gilbert A. Mallory, Robert P. King, James Y. Semple, George H. Burns, James Biddle, Francis A. Davies, George N. Bascom, Francis M. Bache, Patrick Kelly, James Kelly, Jacob Kline, William H. Smyth, William M. Breeze, John Power, Homer H. Clark, William W. Arnold, Robert F. Morley, Charles C. Goddard, William T. Gentry, Edward J. Conner, William Sweet, Charles Holmes, Henry A. Ellis, F. E. Crossman, Robert P. Wilson, Edward W. Whittemore, John S. Knapp, James W. Forsyth, William B. Hughes, Robert B. Hull, William J. Fetterman, John A. Thompson, Henry Haymond, William P. McCleery, Horace Brown, Daniel W. Benham, William J. Phelps, Frederick Phisterer, Frederick H. Brown, Henry B. Freeman, Samuel J. Dick, Thaddeus S. Kirtland, Joseph

McConnell, James B. Mulligan, John Tillson, Werner Boecklin, Thaddeus P. Mott, Verling K. Hart, James Mooney, Francis McIlvaine, Samuel S. Bigger, Charles Berg, Joseph J. Wagoner, William R. Lowe, Samuel S. Culbertson, George C. Cram, Woolsey R. Hopkins, James W. Scott, Ingham Coryell, C. D. Blanchard, James C. Slaght, C. N. Goulding, Charles D. Robinson, J. R. Hollowbush, Oliver Ladew, William E. Morford, George A. Flagg, John S. Godfrey, Charles R. Tyler, M. Pinner, Charles D. Schmidt, Z. C. Edwards, Simon B. Brown, George D. Wise, William Bailhace, Clement L. West, Michael C. Garber, Lewis B. Parsons, William A. Hawley, George R. Dyer, Ralph Plumb, Max Paul Engle, William Painter, S. Lockwood Brown, F. W. Hurt, Henry M. Whittlesey, Charles B. Wagner, Charles T. Wing, W. H. Owen, Thomas O'Brien, D. W. Swigart, George W. Lee, Roeloff Brinkerhoff, Samuel H. Moer, Daniel Messenger, William Cutting, Luther H. Price, Hiram B. Wetherell, Richard W. Thompson, Josiah M. Lucas, William L. Banning, Isaac B. Bowdish, John L. Hathaway, Egbert T. S. Schenck, Samuel Gamage, Benjamin P. Walker, N. J. Sappington, James M. Sanderson, James M. Tillapaugh, W. L. Mallory, George L. Thorndike, George S. Roper, Edward S. Earle, Horace R. Wetherill, George W. Campbell, Stephen Hoyt, J. D. Williams, Elisha D. Brigham, Thomas Foster, jr., John Fry, John F. Hopkins, Spencer C. Benham, Thomas Gray, Edwin R. Goodrich, William Wilson, Javan B. Salisbury, J. M. Makenzie, Marvin J. Greeu, Ira B. Gibbs, James M. Ellis, Edgar Beman, Joseph L. Smith, James F. De Wolf, George W. Cummings, James G. Fuller, Alpheus B. Crosby, William Varian, O. M. Bryan, Tarrant A. Perkins, Josiah Curtis, F. N. Burke, D. W. Harts horn, William W. Strew, John J. Craven, Robert L. Stanford, Edwin Bently, S. L. Herrick, G. C. Blackman, R. B. Bontecon, Samuel Everett, I. H. Warren, D. W. Bliss, H. P. Stearns, G. W. Stipp, G. H. Oliver, Alexander N. Dougherty, E. C. Franklin, Geo. H. Hubbard, D. W. Hand, Rufus K. Brown, John T. Crawford, Thomas Antisell, John McNulty, Gilman Kimball, G. S. Palmer, W. M. Chambers, A. H. Thurston, T. F. Azpell, C. C. Cox, Timothy Haynes, Gabriel Grant, C. B. Chapman, J. G. Keenon, W. H. Mussey, C. W. Jones, George Burr, Robert Roskoton, Nathaniel R. Mosely, Thomas F. Perley, Robert Nicolls, M. Goldsmith, James H. Faris, I. H. Thompson, A. R. Egbert, Alfred Mordecai, David H. Buel, Stephen C. Lyford, John R. Edie, Francis H. Parker, Joseph P. Farley, Lawrence S. Babbitt, Edward Ball, E. M. Coates, Richard Byrnes, Reuben C. Winslow, Richard E. Davis, Brownell Granger, D. L. Smith, Thomas J. Sample, Charles H. Rawson, William W. Van Ness, Peter Heistand, Perley P. Pitkin, Frederick S. Winslow, Joel D. Cruttenden, Samuel McK. LaPorte, John A. Lemon, D. W. McClung, W. H. Coffin, Otho W. Heiskell, Joseph J. Slocum, J. Howard Wells, James P. Wilson, Mark Prime, A. Coleman Woolfolk, Samuel R. Steel, A. Judson Rowell, Mark R. Came, Skidmore E. Lefferts, John LeCompte, and A. Shimmel, George M. Wright, William D'Wolf, Uniaché C. Mackay, James C. Hunt, E. F. Benton, Henry F. Brownson, William Clarendon Cuyler, Charles Wilkins, Charles L. Noggle, William F. Goodwin, John P. Sherburne, Marcus A. Reno, Samuel McKee, Edwin V. Sumner, Edward Treacy, Dunbar R. Ransom, Thomas M. Saunders, Henry Meinell, William W. Thompkins, James L. Thomas, John R. Myrick, James R. Kelly, George F. Barstow, Richard Loder, Geo. Dickenson, Frank C. Goodrich, John E. Reynolds, John H. Knight, Philip R. Forney, Mark F. Leavenworth, Tenedore Ten Eyck, Geo. S. Pearce, Lewis Thompson, James Potter, Armon Trimble, William M. Watts, Frank W. Dickerson, Edwin L. Garvin,

Horace L. Pike, Louis H. Fine, Manning Livingston, John L. Tiernon, Charles Medary, George F. Hunting, Charles Simonds, Edward Field, Albert Sabin, Edward T. Brenner, Samuel T. Crowley, Solomon G. Krepps, Hugh Johnson, Benjamin Taylor, Jesse A. P. Hampson, Washington Hopkins, George W. Walker, Dorus E. Bates, Robert A. Torrey, Alfred Curtis, James P. Pratt, Irvin B. Wright, Thomas O. Howland, Cornelius L. King, James M. Hulings, George L. Willard, Alfred T. Mahan, George C. Remy, Alexander S. Makenzie, Norman H. Farquhar, Samuel D. Greene, Charles H. Swasy, Theodore F. Kane, Beatty P. Smith, Cornelius M. Schoonmaker, Roderick Prentiss, Roderick S. McCook, Gilbert C. Wiltse, Thomas S. Spencer, Charles H. Loring, William H. Rutherford, Edward D. Robie, Thomas Williamson, William B. Brooks, William H. Cushman, Charles H. Baker, Philip G. Peltz, Phillip S. Wales, Albert C. Gorgas, Alexander M. Vedder, Simon Newcomb, Thomas Biddle, Charles W. Goddard, John T. Neal, James H. Armsby, Charles F. de Vivaldi, Theodore Cnisius, John Young, Frederick Wiperman, Marcus Otterburg, Benjamin Lindsey, John Bigelow, Lucius H. Chandler, Theodore D. Edwards, Horace N. Congar, Henry B. Stacy, Israel S. Diehl, Warren C. Foster, Thomas Howard, Franklin Webster-Noah L. Wilson, W. J. Stillman, William D. Howells, Charles D. Cleveland, Rossiter P. Johnson, William Blanchard, John De La Montagne, Thomas H. Dudley, Charles S. Ogden, Allen Francis, and Max Einstein; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Resolved, That the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Max Einstein to be consul of the United States at Nuremburg be reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Hanson E. Weaver, Charles H. Leib, Alexander B. Dyer, Charles Leib, William A. Stokes, A. J. Cady, Frederick F. Burlock, and William Moran, jr.; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Ten Eyck,

Resolved. That the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of William Moran, jr., as consul of the United States at Bayonne, be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the nominations of Andrew Steinmetz, Richard T. Auchmutz, Gustavus Bascom, R. M. Copeland, Robert Chandler, Leonard D. H. Currie, Henry Clay, Henry Z. Curtis, Clarence H. Dyer, William Von Doehn, Jacob R. Freese, George E. Flynt, Charles W. Foster, John P. Finkelmeier, J. S. Gregory, Thomas Hillhouse, A. P. Fiske, Chas. G. Halpine, Joseph Howland, Thomas J. Hoyt, Southard Hoffman, George A. Hicks, George B. Holsted, Wickham Hoffman, John Pilsen, Charles T. Gardner, John H. Knight, Charles Kingsbury, Frederick Kneffer, George D. Kellogg, Andrew C. Kemper, Simon F. Barstow, William H. Morris, Charles Munde, John Murray, Isaac Moses, Daniel McCook, Henry C. McDowell, Joseph McKoy, John M. Norvell, Thomas J. Newsham, Placidus Ord, Purdy E. Sparrow, Carroll H. Potter, John Pound, J. A. Bawllins, Louis Richmond, Theodore Read, George C. Strong, Charles Stewart, Roswell M. Sawyer, Charles C. Suydam, Henry Thrall, Gustavus Urban, William D. Wilkins, Francis A. Walker, and James M. Wilson to be assistant adjutants-general in the Army, be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Matthew Elder, of Michigan, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *February 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February 14, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Matthew Elder, of Michigan, to be first lieutenant in the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, to date from August 5, 1861, instead of Martin Elder, who was erroneously nominated July 31, 1861, and confirmed August 5, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWARD M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

To be brigade surgeon.

Meredith Clymer, of Pennsylvania, December 25, 1861.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby withdraw the nomination of George Gerard, of Pennsylvania, who was nominated for the consulate at Brunswick, and nominate him to be consul of the United States at St. Helena, in the place of William Carroll, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February —, 1862.*

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Matthew Elder ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Matthew Elder, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Meredith Clymer be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of George Gerard be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Silas W. Pettit; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Silas W. Pettit, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 12th December, the nominations of Convers O. Leach and Charles H. Edwards, on the 24th of January last that of Abraham Hanson, on the 4th instant that of Thomas Spencer, and on the 10th instant that of Elias Wampole, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of Alexander J. Dallas and Samuel A. Wainwright, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolutions reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations on the 19th instant, in relation to the affairs between Mexico and the allied powers; and

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said resolutions be postponed until Tuesday next, the 25th instant.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of David H. Vinton, John Symington, William Maynadier, Robert H. K. Whitely, Robert A. Wainwright, Silas Crispin, and Thomas C. Bradford; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the nomination of George D. Ramsey to be lieutenant-colonel in the Army be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Winfield Scott, of Virginia, to be additional envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to the Mexican Republic.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 22, 1862.*

The message was read.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1862.

Mr. Grimes submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to inform the Senate how many of the officers connected with, or attached to, the divis-

ion of General Blenker are now under arrest; by whose orders were such arrests made, and for what offenses; whether the private papers of any officer or officers in said division have been seized and examined, and, if so, by whose authority and under what pretext were such seizures made.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of Robert P. Dodge, John M. Pomeroy, Valentine C. Hanna, Morgan L. Martin, Charles J. Sprague, and George D. Ramsay; on the 24th December last, those of Francis E. Berier, James H. Phinney, Columbus S. Stevenson, William Smith, William G. Terrell, Orlando S. Witherill, Martin L. Bundy, John A. L. Morrell, Thomas B. Oakley, Maris Hoopes, Hoyt Sherman, Frank M. Etting, Robert Smythe, Wm. H. Johnston, Henry J. Adams, James C. Yohn, Benjamin F. Watson, Nicholas Vedder, Oliver Holman, William Tillman, Wm. Larned, Russell Erritt, George F. Emory, Thomas M. Burt, Frank Bridgeman, Julian O. Mason, John W. Newell, Ira L. Hewitt, Henry V. Sullivan, William J. Martin, Rufus Cheney, John A. Lowry, Robert S. Webb, Alexander B. Williams, William E. Hoy, William M. Wiley, Alvin Walker, W. C. H. Sherman, L. T. Thustin, Philip Speed, Richard P. L. Baber, and John Allison; on the 4th instant, that of William P. Darst; on the 10th instant, those of Eugene F. Sanger and R. K. Smith, and on the 14th instant that of Amasa Stone, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nominations of William C. Barney, Zebina K. Pangborn, James W. Schaumberg, William H. Ritter, C. R. Saunders, Truman G. Wright, and John J. Patterson, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Charles L. Fitzhugh, and on the 17th January last that of Henry A. Brigham, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles as brigadier-general of volunteers be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. McDougall,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Samuel D. Sturgis; and

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February 21, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Joseph B. Plummer, of the First Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battles of Springfield and Fredericktown, Missouri, in which last action he commanded, to date from October 22, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
 ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 31, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William T. Clark, of Iowa, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

M. L. McPherson, of Iowa, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Joseph B. Plummer, William T. Clark, and M. L. McPherson be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Samuel D. Sturgis.

On motion by Mr. Sumner to postpone the further consideration of the said nomination to to-morrow, and that the Senate resume the consideration of the resolutions reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations on the 19th instant, in relation to affairs between Mexico and the allied European powers,

It was determined in the affirmative; and

The Senate resumed the consideration of said resolutions.

On motion by Mr. Davis to amend the resolutions by adding thereto as follows:

Resolved, That it is the opinion of the Senate that the United States ought, in conjunction with Great Britain, France, and Spain, or such of those powers as may be willing to enter into such an arrangement, to make a treaty of amity and friendship with Mexico, by which the independence and integrity of the present boundaries of Mexico shall be guaranteed.

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas..... 2
 Nays 36

On motion by Mr. Davis,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Mr. Davis and Mr. Dixon.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Fessenden, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Johnson, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, McDougall, Nesmith, Pearce, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

On motion by Mr. Sherman to amend the resolution by striking out all after the word "Resolved" and insert in lieu thereof as follows:

That in reply to the two several messages of the President with regard to a treaty with Mexico, the Senate express the opinion that it is not advisable to negotiate a treaty that will require the United States to assume any portion of the principal or interest of the debt of Mexico, or that will require the concurrence of European powers.

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 29
Nays 9

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present. Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Fessenden, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howe, Johnson, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, McDougall, Nesmith, Pearce, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Howard, Rice, Sumner.

So the amendment was concurred in.

On the question to agree to the resolution as amended,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 28
Nays 8

On motion by Mr. Browning,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present. Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Dixon, Fessenden, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howe, Johnson, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, McDougall, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Howard, Rice, Sumner.

So the resolution as amended was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate B. Ellis Martin, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Brunswick, in the place of Augustus Alers, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 26th February, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Jesse H. McMath, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Tangier, in the place of James De Long, whose nomination is hereby withdrawn.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 26th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Edward L. Bayly to be collector of the customs for the district of Cherrystone, in the State of Virginia, in the place of Thomas R. Jarvis, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 25, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Jonas A. Hughston, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Shanghai.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 26, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the following persons to be assistant paymasters in the U. S. Navy, to fill vacancies occasioned by the promotion, on the 6th instant, of Assistant Paymasters C. H. Eldredge, G. E. Thornton, Geo. Plunkett, Edward Foster, and George Lawrence, viz :

Names.	State from which appointed.	Age.
Albert S. Kenny.....	Vermont.....	21 years on 19 Jan., 1862.
John A. Bates, jr.....	Massachusetts.....	24 yrs. on 25 Oct., 1861.
Forbes Parker.....	Ohio.....	24 yrs. on 18 May, 1861.
John S. Woolson.....	Iowa.....	21 yrs. on 6 Dec'r, 1861.
Alex'r McC. Bishop.....	New Jersey.....	21 yrs. on 6 April, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles P. Wannall to be a justice of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, his appointment to date from the third day of March next, at which time the commission he now holds will expire.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, February 26, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Lorenzo W. Joy to be deputy postmaster at Northampton, in the county of Hampshire and State of Massachusetts, in the place of Haynes W. Chilson, whose commission will expire on the 24th March, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 26, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In nominating Charles Welsch, of New York, as consul to Cobija, some days since, an accidental error was committed in his Christian name. It should have been Frederick Charles Welsch. It is desirable that the necessary order may be made by the Senate for the correction of the error.

WASHINGTON, *February 26, 1862.*

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Sewell R. Jameson, of Nebraska Territory, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Brownsville, Nebraska Territory, in the place of Franklin Stewart, whose nomination to that office is hereby withdrawn; and

Franklin Stewart, of Pennsylvania, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Nebraska City, Nebraska Territory.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *February 27, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Mary Jane Frey to be deputy postmaster at Columbia, in the county of Lancaster and State of Pennsylvania, in place of Henry H. Frey, deceased. .

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 8, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

Lieutenant-General Scott has advised me that, while he would cheerfully accept a commission as additional minister to Mexico, with a view to promote the interests of the United States and of peace, yet his infirmities are such that he could not be able to reach the capital of that country by any existing mode of travel, and he therefore deems it his duty to decline the important mission I had proposed for him. For this reason I withdraw the nomination in this respect heretofore submitted to the Senate. It is hardly necessary to add that the nomination was made without any knowledge of it on his part.

WASHINGTON, *February 27, 1862.*

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 27th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-generals.

George W. Morgan, of Ohio, November 12, 1861.

John Cochrane, of New York.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 27th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 27, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

James G. Spears, of Tennessee to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 27th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 27, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Quartermaster's Department.

George F. Clark, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Commissary Department.

P. M. Osterhout, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Pay Department.

Daniel McCook, of Illinois, to be additional paymaster.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate W. S. Clary and Gilbert L. Giberson to be justices of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, from March 3, 1862.

Also, John H. Johnson to be a justice of the peace in the same county from March 8, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, *February 28th, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

At his own request, I withdraw the nomination of Charles M. Thurston, of Maryland, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, made December 21, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 27th*, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of B. Ellis Martin, Jesse H. McMath, Edward L. Bayly, and Jones A. Hughston be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Albert S. Kenny and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles P. Wannall and W. S. Clary and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Lorenzo W. Joy and Mary Jane Frey be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nominations of Sewell R. Jameson and Franklin Stewart be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 1*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States :

PROMOTIONS.

Corps of Engineers.

Second Lieutenant Orville E. Babcock to be first lieutenant, November 17, 1861, vice Snyder, deceased.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Robert Allen to be first lieutenant, January 13, 1862, the date of First Lieutenant Kellogg's appointment as adjutant.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Charles E. Hay to be first lieutenant, November 5, 1861, vice Treacy, promoted.

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Wesley Owens to be captain, January 15, 1862, vice Eagle, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Joseph P. Ash to be first lieutenant, January 13, 1862, vice Porter, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Leicester Walker to be first lieutenant, January 15, 1862, vice Owens, promoted.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Henry Meinell to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Chandler, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant William W. Tompkins to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Tyler, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant James L. Thomas to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Morgau, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John R. Myrick to be first lieutenant, to date from November 18, 1861, vice Ransom, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James R. Kelly to be first lieutenant, to date from November 29, 1861, vice Mills, retired.

Second Lieutenant George F. Barstow to be first lieutenant, to date from November 30, 1861, vice Saunders, promoted.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Captain William E. Prince, of the First Infantry, to be major, November 23, 1861, vice Lovell, retired.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant T. Elwyn Turner to be captain, November 25, 1861, vice Wallen, promoted to the Seventh Infantry.

Second Lieutenant William S. Collier to be first lieutenant, November 25, 1861, vice Turner, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John L. Buell to be first lieutenant, November 25, 1861, vice Slack, declined.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Captain Henry D. Wallen, of the Fourth Infantry, to be major, November 25, 1861, vice Lynde, dropped.

Second Lieutenant Francis J. Crilly to be first lieutenant, May 7, 1861, vice Amory, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James P. Martin to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Evans, appointed captain in the Sixth Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant George S. Hollister to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1861, vice Plummer, appointed captain in the Nineteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant At Lee W. Putnam to be first lieutenant, May 16, 1861, vice Brooks, dropped.

Second Lieutenant Edward Ross to be first lieutenant, May 23, 1861, vice Jones, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John W. Magruder to be first lieutenant, May 27, 1861, vice Hancock, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James M. Broom to be first lieutenant, May 30, 1861, vice Edelin, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Samuel A. Russell to be first lieutenant, to date from August 5, 1861, vice Pease, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Wesley F. Miller to be first lieutenant, September 9, 1861, vice Stivers, promoted.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Samuel S. Carroll to be captain, November 1, 1861, vice Tidball, retired.

Second Lieutenant George H. Crosman to be first lieutenant, November 1, 1861, vice Carroll, promoted.

Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Frank P. Muhlenberg to be captain, January 4, 1862, vice De Forest, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Patrick Meagher to be first lieutenant, January 4, 1862, vice Muhlenberg, promoted.

Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Isaac D. Sailer to be captain, January 3, 1862, vice Cochran, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Samuel S. Hollbrook to be first lieutenant, January 3, 1862, vice Sailer, promoted.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Patrick T. Keyes to be captain, December 24, 1861, vice Webb, deceased.

Second Lieutenant William H. Bartholomew to be first lieutenant, December 24, 1861, vice Keyes, promoted, instead of January 15, 1862, vice Watt, rejected, according to the nomination sent in January 16, 1862.

Second Lieutenant William M. Breese to be first lieutenant, January 15, 1862, vice Watt, rejected.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying list for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *February 25, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of officers for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States:

Colonel Harvey Brown, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general by brevet, November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries.

Major Lewis G. Arnold, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, October 9, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct in repelling a greatly superior force of the enemy in an attack on Santa Rosa Island, Florida, and to be colonel by brevet for gallantry and good conduct while second in command during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries.

Captain John McL. Hildt, of the Third Regiment of Infantry, to be major by brevet, October 9, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct in action at Santa Rosa Island, Florida, and to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the en-

agement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries.

Major Zealous B. Tower, of the Corps of Engineers, to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries:

To be majors by brevet, November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries:

Captain Harvey A. Allen, of the Second Regiment of Artillery.
 Captain Samuel F. Chalfin, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery.
 Captain Henry W. Closson, of the First Regiment of Artillery.
 Captain James M. Robertson, of the Second Regiment of Artillery.
 Captain Matthew M. Blunt, of the Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.
 Captain Richard C. Duryea, of the First Regiment of Artillery.
 Captain Loomis L. Langdon, of the First Regiment of Artillery.

To be captains by brevet, November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries:

First Lieutenant Walter McFarland, of the Corps of Engineers.
 First Lieutenant Alexander N. Shipley, of the Third Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Richard H. Jackson, of the First Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Alexander C. M. Pennington, jr., of the Second Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Francis W. Seeley, of the Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Franck E. Taylor, of the First Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant John W. Todd, of the Ordnance Department.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States:

APPOINTMENTS.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Edwin R. Ames, of Indiana, to be second lieutenant.

Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Thomas E. Noell, of Missouri, to be captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles L. Truman, of New York, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Charles L. Truman, of New York, to be first lieutenant in the Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William H. Mills, jr., of Missouri, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 20, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of William H. Mills, jr., of Missouri, to be first lieutenant in the Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Thomas L. Price, of Missouri, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, to rank from September 21, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John Spicer, of Illinois, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, to date from September 10, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *February 18, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

David H. Strother, of Virginia, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 3, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

GENERAL OFFICERS.

To be major-generals.

Brigadier-General Irvin McDowell, of the United States Army.

Brigadier-General Ambrose E. Burnside, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General Don Carlos Buell, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General John Pope, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General Samuel R. Curtis, of the United States Volunteers.
 Brigadier-General Franz Sigel, of the United States Volunteers.
 Brigadier-General John A. McClernand, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General Charles F. Smith, of the United States Volunteers.
 Brigadier-General Lewis Wallace, of the United States Volunteers.

To be brigadier-generals.

John Cook, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 Richard J. Oglesby, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 William H. L. Wallace, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 John McArthur, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 Jacob G. Lauman, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 John A. Logan, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 Hiram G. Berry, of Maine, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 Orris S. Ferry, of Connecticut, now a colonel of Volunteers.
 James Craig, of Missouri.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
 ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, February 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Washington, February 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

General officers.

Captain Henry M. Judah, of the Fourth Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

F. W. Ludlow, of Michigan.
 Thomas S. Griffing, of New York.
 Lyne Starling, of Kentucky.
 Charles F. Clarke, of Kansas.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

E. M. Livermore, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert C. Kirk, of Ohio, to be minister resident of the United States to the Argentine Confederation, in the place of Robert M. Palmer, recalled at his own request.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate B. W. Ferguson to be a justice of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, his present commission expiring this day.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 3, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of George W. Morgan and John Cochran, George F. Clark and others, and G. Spears, Orville E. Babcock and others, Harvey Brown and others, Edwin R. Ames and Thomas E. Noell, Charles L. Truman, William H. Mills, Thomas L. Price, John Spicer, David H. Strother, Irvin McDowell and others, Henry M. Judah and others, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Robert C. Kirk be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Ordered, That the nomination of B. W. Ferguson be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

The Vice-President laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States :

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate a translation of a note, addressed to the Secretary of State, on the 1st instant, by General P. A. Herran, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the Granadian Confederation, with a translation of the communication accompanying that note from the special commissioner of that Republic, together with a copy of a letter from the special commissioner of the United States, of the 26th ultimo, under the convention of the 10th September, 1857, setting forth the impracticability of disposing of the cases submitted to the joint commission now in session under the convention within the period prescribed therein.

I recommend, therefore, that the Senate consent to the extension of time for ——— days from and after the expiration of the time limited by the convention.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 3, 1862.*

The message was read.

Ordered, That the message, together with the accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the the 18th of December last, the nominations of William H. H. Williams, Edwin Stewart, James S. Turnbull, Charles E. Hammond, Caspar Schenck, William W. Williams, Francis C. Upton, and Arthur J. Pritchard, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th of December

last, the nominations of Charles G. Halpine, George C. Strong, R. M. Copeland, Gustavus M. Bascom, Henry Thrall, John H. Knight, William H. Morris, Joseph Dickinson, Jacob R. Freese, William D. Wilkins, Robert Chandler, John M. Norvell, J. A. Rawlins, George E. Flynt, Frederick T. Locke, Louis Richmond, Francis A. Walker, Gustavus Urban, William D. Sedgwick, Joseph Howland, Charles Kingsbury, Henry W. Smith, Edward C. Baird, Frederick D. Sewall, E. Sparrow Purdy, Charles W. Foster, Isaac Moses, Clarence H. Dyer, John M. Wright, J. S. Gregory, Leonard D. H. Currier, James M. Wilson, Richard T. Auchmuty, Thomas I. Newsham, Thomas I. Hoyt, Henry Clay, Hazard Stevens, William H. Scheuter, Frederick Knefler, Carroll H. Potter, James E. Montgomery, Theodore Reed, Charles I. Powers, Daniel McCook, Placidus Ord, Southard Hoffman, George D. Kellogg, George A. Hicks, William Von Dochn, Henry C. McDonald, J. H. Hammond, Sylvanus B. Hance, Henry Z. Curtis, William G. George; on the 12th December last, that of Andrew Steinmetz; on the 6th of January last, those of George B. Holsted, Edward M. Neill, and A. P. Fiske; on the 13th of January last, those of Joseph H. Libenau, Joseph McCoy, and Simon F. Barstow; on the 16th January last, those of Roswell M. Lawyer, Wickham Hoffman, and Charles C. Suydam; and on the 6th of January last, those of Charles T. Gardner and Thomas Hillhouse, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the twelfth of December last, the nominations of Tappan Wright, Charles Mundee, John Murray, Frederick Harvey, and Charles Stewart, and to whom was recommended, on the twenty-fourth of February last, that of Daniel E. Sickles, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the fifteenth of January last, the nomination of William H. Evans, reported.

On motion by Mr. Browning,

Ordered, That the Secretary return to the President of the United States the resolution of the Senate of the twenty-second January last advising and consenting to the appointment of Daniel Evans to be consul of the United States at Bilboa.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George W. Morgan; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George W. Morgan, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Rice,

Ordered, That the nomination of Philip St. George Cooke be recommended to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-general.

Andrew Johnson, of Tennessee.

I am, sir, with great respect, your ob't servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 4, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 4, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-general.

Daniel Tyler, of Connecticut.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be commissary of subsistence with rank of captain.

Jesse Thornton, of Ohio.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John M. Allen, of Illinois, to be register of the land office at Vermilion, Dakota Territory, in the place of Henry A. Keunerly, whose nomination to that office is hereby withdrawn.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 4, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Jesse Wherry, of Virginia, as receiver of public moneys for the district of Vermilion, in the Territory of Dakota.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 4, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Abram Wakeman to be deputy postmaster at New York, in the county of New York and State of New York, in place of W. B. Taylor, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 3, 1862.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Andrew Johnson; and

Resolved unanimously, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Andrew Johnson, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel Tyler and Jesse Thornton be referred to Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of John M. Allen and Jesse Wherry be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Ordered, That the nomination of Abram Wakeman be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th of December last, the nominations of Samuel J. Franks, Ira F. Gensel, David G. Thomas, and John C. Vaughan, and on the 24th December last those of Edward D. Muhlenburg, William O. Green, William N. Tisdall, George M. Randall, Henry W. Patterson, Francis H. Wilson, Jeremiah P. Schindel, Samuel S. Penney, Edwin E. Sellers, Robert Clark, Irwin M. Wallace, Thomas H. Bache, John T. Carpenter, A. P. Maylert, Daniel Meeker, W. G. Lowman, J. H. Grove, I. B. Peale, D. J. McKibben, E. A. Christian, Joseph Bryan, William Hayes, James D. Strawbridge, R. B. McKay, George S. Kemble, O. A. Judson, I. A. Taylor, George L. Pancoast, F. H. Gross, Washington J. Duffee, C. F. H. Campbell, Vincent Phelps, William R. Downing, John M. Hale, James Ringwalt, Samuel E. Meigs, Nelson Smith, John Beazell, W. I. Kountz, Alexander M. Lloyd, Nathaniel Ellmaker, and Lewis J. Huling; on the 17th January last those of Joseph S. Hoyer, William K. Polluck, and James S. Dickson; on the 14th February last that of Thomas A. Davies; and on the 25th February last those of Joseph B. Plummer, William T. Clark, and M. L. McPherson, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Robert C. Kirk, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Robert S. Kirk, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Rice, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was recommended, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Philip St. George Cooke, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Charles L. Truman, reported.

The treaty between the United States and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, concluded at Mexico December 11, 1861, was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and the amendment reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to wit, in article three strike out the words "or embezzlement by any person or persons hired or salaried, to the detriment of their employers," was unanimously agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull, further to amend the treaty by striking out the second article, as follows: "Article 2. In the case of crimes committed in the frontier States or Territories of the two contracting parties, requisitions may be made through their respective diplomatic agents or through the chief civil or judicial authority of the districts or counties bordering on the frontier as may for this purpose be duly authorized by the said chief civil authority of the said frontier States or Territories, or when, from any cause, the civil authority of such State or Territory shall be suspended through the chief military officer in command of such State or Territory."

On the question, Shall these words stand as a part of the treaty ?

It was determined in the negative, {	Yeas	22
	Nays	18

Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Fessenden, Foster, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, McDougall, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sumner, Thompson, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,
Messrs. Chandler, Foot, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Kennedy, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Nesmith, Pearce, Powell, Saulsbury, Stark, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Willey, Wright.

So, two-thirds of the Senators present not having voted to retain the second article, it was stricken from the treaty.

On motion by Mr. Foot, to reconsider the vote striking out the second article of said treaty,

On motion by Mr. King, the Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 4, 1862.

the nominations of William T. Clark and M. L. McPherson; on the third instant those of John Cochrane, Edwin R. Ames, Thomas E. Noell, William H. Mills, jr., Thomas L. Price, John Spicer, David H. Strother, F. W. Ludlow, Thomas S. Griffing, Lyne Starling, E. M. Livermore, and Henry M. Judah, and on the 4th instant those of Daniel Tyler and Jesse Thornton, reported.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 14th February last, the nomination of Warren Wasson, reported.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Sewell R. Jameson and Franklin Stewart, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 3d instant, the message of the President of the United States transmitting a note addressed to the Secretary of State on the 1st instant by General P. A. Herran, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the Graudian Confederation, with a communication from the special commissioner of that Republic, and a letter from the special commissioner of the United States, under the convention of September 10th, 1857, setting forth the impracticability of disposing of the cases submitted to the joint commission now in session under the convention within the period described therein, reported the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That in pursuance of the recommendation of the President of the United States, as set forth in his message of the 3d instant, the Senate advise and consent to the extension of the time fixed for the termination of the labors of the joint commission under the convention between the United States and New Granada of the 10th September, 1857, for the additional period of six months: *Provided,* That the Government of the Graudian Confederation shall duly assent to such extension, and that meanwhile it shall not be discharged from liability for claims before the commission, and undecided by reason of the inability of the commission to pass upon them within the time prescribed by the convention.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Grimes submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, that in the opinion of the Senate no person should be confirmed or commissioned as a major-general brigadier-general of the Army unless he has distinguished himself for gallantry or capacity in the field.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

Ordered, That the Senate proceed to the consideration of executive business to-morrow at 1 o'clock p. m., and that the calendar be the special order for that hour.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment and brevet promotion in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 6, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 6, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation, for appointment and brevet promotion in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, the following list of officers who distinguished themselves by their gallantry and efficiency in the battle of Mill Spring, Kentucky.

Appointments.

Brigadier-General George H. Thomas, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general of Volunteers.

Colonel Robert L. McCook, of the Ninth Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

Colonel Mahlon D. Manson, of the Tenth Indiana Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

Colonel Speed S. Fry, of the Fourth Kentucky Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

Colonel Horatio P. Van Cleve, of the Second Minnesota Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

Brevet promotion.

Lieutenant-Colonel William C. Kise, of the Tenth Indiana Volunteers, to be brevet-colonel of Volunteers.

Major Gustavus Kammerling, of the Ninth Ohio Volunteers, to be brevet lieutenant-colonel of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate James Ryno, jr., to be surveyor of the customs for the district of Perth Amboy, to reside at New Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey, in the place of Peter S. Probasco, whose commission will expire on the 30th of March, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 5, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of George H. Thomas and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of James Ryno, jr., be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary.

To the Senate of the United States:

I submit to the Senate for its consideration a copy of a message addressed to that body by my immediate predecessor, on the 12th February, 1861, relating to the award made by the joint commission under the convention between the United States and Paraguay of the 4th February, 1859, together with the original "journal of the proceedings" of the commission, and a printed copy of the "statements and arguments — and for the Republic," and request the advice of the

Senate as to the final acquiescence in, or rejection of, the award of the commissioner, by the Government of the United States. As the "journal" is an original document, pertaining to the archives of the Department of State, it is proper, when the Senate shall have arrived at a conclusion on the subject, that the volume be returned to the custody of the Secretary of State.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 5 March, 1862.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nominations of Irvin McDowell and others, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 3d February last, the nomination of Stephen B. Luce, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Stephen B. Luce, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Hale that the nomination of Moses Kelly to be register of wills in and for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 21
Nays 20

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Kennedy, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Pearce, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Simmons, Stark, Willey, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Cowan, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Harris, Howard, Howe, King, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilson.

So it was

Ordered, That the nomination of Moses Kelly be recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nominations of Lorenzo W. Joy and Mary Jane Frey, and on the 4th instant that of Abram Wakeman, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Lorenzo W. Joy and Mary Jane Frey, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nominations of John H. Johnson and B. W. Ferguson, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John H. Johnson and B. W. Ferguson, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Joseph N. Fearson, Charles H. Edwards, Charles W. Hassler, William T. Meredith, William H. H. Williams, Edwin Stewart, James S. Turnbull,

Charles E. Hammond, Caspar Schenck, William W. Williams, Francis C. Upton, Arthur J. Pritchard, Calvin H. Hale, Hamilton Cummings, Thomas S. Nelson, Charles H. Bell, William W. McKean, Louis M. Goldsborough, Samuel F. Dupont, J. Remington Fairlamb, William H. Evans, Hosea Stout, Isaac L. Gibbs, Benjamin L. Colt, Hugh Young, Wm. W. Mills, Luther Haven, John E. Stalker, William L. Ashmore, Charles A. Perkins, Charles F. Swift, Nathaniel K. Sargent, Geo. Howland, William N. Gorton, Joseph Spencer, James Jones, Warren Thornberry, Jacob R. Meeker, J. J. Witzig, E. M. Shield, Thomas B. Stillman, Charles W. Chatterton, E. H. Carruth, Tilghman Good, Levi Smith, Patrick H. Agan, David R. Bacon, Charles O. Eastman, Thornton K. Ware, Alexander Henderson, Abraham Hanson, Thomas Spencer, Thomas Hogg, Erasmus D. Shattuck, Elias Wampole, Warren Wasson, Sewell R. Jameson, Franklin Stewart, John M. Pomeroy, Valentine C. Hanna, Morgan L. Martin, Charles J. Sprague, Geo. D. Ramsay, Peter V. Hagner, Stephen V. Benét, Daniel W. Flagler, Robert Clarke, Edward D. Muhlenberg, Charles L. Fitzhugh, Wm. C. Green, William N. Tisdall, George M. Raudall, Henry W. Patterson, Francis H. Wilson, Jeremiah P. Schiudel, Samuel G. Penney, Edwin E. Sellers, Henry V. Livingston, Irwin M. Wallace, Charles G. Halpine, George C. Strong, R. M. Copeland, Gustavus Bascom, Henry Thrall, William H. Morris, John H. Knight, Joseph Dickenson, Jacob R. Freese, William D. Wilkins, Robert Chandler, John M. Norvell, J. A. Rawlins, George E. Flynt, Frederick T. Locke, Louis Richmoud, Francis A. Walker, Gustavus Urban, William D. Sedgwick, Joseph Howland, Charles Kingsbury, Henry W. Smith, Edward C. Baird, Frederick D. Sewell, E. Sparrow Purdy, Charles W. Foster, Isaac Moses, Clarence H. Dyer, John M. Wright, J. S. Gregory, Leonard D. H. Currie, James M. Wilson, Richard T. Auchmuty, Thomas J. Newsham, Thomas J. Hoyt, Henry Clay, Hazard Stevens, William H. Scheater, Frederick Kneffler, Carroll H. Potter, James E. Montgomery, Theodore Read, Chas. J. Powers, Daniel McCook, Placidus Ord, Southard Hoffman, George D. Kellogg, George A. Hicks, William Van Doehn, Henry Clay McDowell, J. H. Hammond, Sylvanus B. Hance, William G. George, Samuel Ringwalt, G. Nelson Smith, William R. Downing, Vincent Phelps, J. W. Beazell, Samuel E. Meigs, W. J. Kountz, John M. Hale, Alexander M. Lloyd, Nathaniel Ellmaker, Edward Martindale, Lewis G. Huling, John T. Carpenter, Thomas H. Bache, A. P. Maylert, W. G. Lowman, Daniel Meeker, J. H. Grove, D. J. McKibbin, J. B. Peale, James Bryan, R. A. Christian, William Hays, James H. Phinney, Columbus S. Stevenson, William Smith, William G. Terrell, Orlando S. Witherill, Martin L. Bundy, John A. L. Morrell, Thomas B. Oakley, Maris Hoopes, Hoyt Sherman, Frank M. Etting, William H. Johnston, Henry J. Adams, James C. Yohn, Benjamin F. Watson, Nicholas Vedder, Oliver Holman, William Tillman, William Larned, Russell Erritt, George F. Emory, Thomas M. Burt, Frank Bridgeman, Julian O. Mason, John E. Newell, Ira L. Hewitt, Henry V. Sullivan, William J. Martin, Rufus Cheney, John A. Lowery, Robert S. Webb, Alexander B. Williams, William E. Hoy, William M. Wiley, Alvin Walker, W. C. H. Sherman, L. T. Thustin, Philip Speed, Richard P. L. Baber, John Allison, Robert Smyth, Joseph H. Libenan, Joseph McCoy, Simon F. Barstow, William J. Slidell, William H. Bartholomew, Eugene F. Sanger, R. K. Smith, William P. Darst, Henry A. Brigham, George B. Holsted, Edward M. Neill, Thomas Hillhouse, Charles T. Gardner, Samuel J. Franks, Roswell M. Sawyer, Wickham Hoffman, Charles C.

Suydam, Joseph L. Hoyer, William K. Pollock, James N. Dickson, William T. Clark, M. L. McPherson, Charles L. Truman, Meredith Clymer, Edwin R. Ames, Thomas E. Noell, William H. Mills, jr., John Spicer, F. W. Ludlow, Thomas S. Griffing, Lyne Starling, E. M. Livermore, David H. Strother, and Jesse Thornton; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Tappan Wright, Charles Munde, John Murray, Frederick Harvey, Charles Stewart, John Clark, William C. Barney, James W. Schaumburg, William H. Ritter, C. R. Saunders, and Truman G. Wright; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Hale that the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings of the Senate in relation to the nomination of James W. Schaumburg,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That in communicating to the President of the United States the resolution of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of Chas. H. Eldredge and others to be paymasters, and of Edward May and others to be assistant paymasters in the United States Navy, the Secretary communicate also the places of residence of said persons, respectively, as reported by the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolutions that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointments of John Clark and Truman G. Wright.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of John Clark be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Truman G. Wright be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Sumner that the Senate proceed at one o'clock tomorrow to the consideration of executive business, the yeas were 25, the nays 9.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Morrill, Pearce, Powell, Sherman, Sumner, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Pomeroy, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade.

No quorum having voted,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Mrs. Caroline E. Bibighaus to be deputy postmaster at Lebanon, in the county of Lebanou and State of Pennsylvania, in place of Mrs. Ann L. Ruthrauff, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 6 March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Edward W. Coffin, of New Jersey, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 6, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, March 6, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Edward W. Coffin, of New Jersey, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers, with the rank of captain, instead of W. H. Coffin, of New Jersey, erroneously nominated and confirmed by the Senate February 19, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Caroline E. Bibighaus be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nomination of Edward W. Coffin be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit herewith, for the constitutional action of the Senate thereon, a treaty concluded at Paola, Kansas, on the 18th day of August, between Seth Clover, commissioner on the part of the United States, and the delegates of the united tribes of Kaskia and Peoria, Piankeshaw and Wea Indians.

I also transmit a communication of the Secretary of the Interior, of the 6th instant, and accompanying papers from the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in relation to the subject.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7, 1862.

The message was read.

The treaty between Seth Clover, commissioner on the part of the United States, and the delegates of the united tribes of Kaskia and Peoria, Piankeshaws and Wea Indians, concluded at Paola, Kansas, August 6, 1860, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty, together with the message and accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 24th January last, the nomination of Caleb B. H. Blood, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 5th instant, the nominations of Wm. H. Emory and others, reported.

On motion by Mr. Foster,

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry H. Lockwood to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force of the United States be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of George Stoneman, Robert P. Dodge, Philip St. George Cooke, Henry Van Rensselaer (as inspector-general), Lawrence P. Graham, Aleazer A. Paine, William A. Richardson, Daniel Butterfield, W. T. Ward, George Sykes, David S. Stanly, Lovell H. Rousseau, Jesse L. Reno, Fitz-John Porter, A. P. Fiske, Thomas A. Davies, and Joseph B. Plummer; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Melancthon S. Wade, Zebina K. Pangborn, and Andrew Steinmetz; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Melancthon S. Wade be reconsidered, and that the further consideration thereof be postponed to Friday, the 14th instant.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the nomination of Alexander Asboth as brigadier-general in the volunteer force of the United States be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Sherman submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Senate it is not within the power of the President and Senate to raise the grade and pay of staff officers, and that it is not expedient to confirm officers of a higher grade to staff duty of a lower grade.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George F. Emory as additional paymaster in the Army of the United States.

Mr. Fessenden submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George F. Emory be reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Daniel Teasely.

On motion by Mr. Sherman that the Senate do now adjourn, they were 9, the nays 24.

On motion by Mr. Dixon,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Carlile, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Sherman, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, King, Morrill, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass.

No quorum having voted.

On motion by Mr. Morrill,
The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit, in accordance with your instructions, the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-general.

Leonard F. Ross, of Illinois.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Francis A. Dallam, of Illinois.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, March 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Abraham Piatt, of the Thirteenth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general, for services in Western Virginia.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States: James Craig, of Missouri, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Colonel James Steedman, of the Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, for gallant service in Western Virginia and at the engagement with the rebels at Carrick's Ford.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Henry C. De Ahna, of Missouri, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 11, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 11, 1862.*

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to submit the name of Henry C. De Ahna, of Missouri, to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 10, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Captain James B. Ricketts, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general, for gallant and meritorious conduct at the battle of Bull Run, Virginia.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 11, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States: C. C. Carpenter, of Iowa, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular appointments in the Army of the United States:

First Cavalry.

Joshua A. Fessenden, of Maine, to be second lieutenant.

Edward B. Jerome, of ———, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Lieutenant-Colonel Robert C. Buchanan, of the Fourth Infantry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 10, 1862.

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to submit the name of Lieutenant-Colonel Robert C. Buchanan, of the Fourth Regiment of Infantry, to be inspector-general with the rank of colonel in the Army of the United States, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular appointments in the Army of the United States:

APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster's Department.

First Lieutenant George F. B. Dandy, of the Third Artillery, to be assistant quartermaster, vice Jones, appointed assistant inspector-general.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

David Perry, of New Jersey, to be second lieutenant.

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Charles S. Brooks, of California, to be second lieutenant.

First Regiment of Infantry.

Edgar M. Cullen, of New York, to be second lieutenant.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

E. C. Woodruff, of New Jersey, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Quartermaster's Department.

Charles H. Gaubert, of California, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William E. Webster to be appraiser of merchandise for the port of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, in the place of C. J. F. Allen, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 12, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Sellyett to be deputy postmaster at Nashville, in the county of Davidson and State of Tennessee, in place of Wm. D. McNish, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 7th, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Leonard F. Ross, Abraham Piatt, James Craig, James Steedman, Henry C. De Ahna, James B. Ricketts, C. C. Carpenter, Joshua A. Fessenden, Edward B. Jerome, Robert C. Buchanan, F. B. Dandy and others, and Charles H. Gaubert be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William E. Webster be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Sellyett be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Charles P. Wannall, William S. Clary, and Gilbert L. Giberson, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 7th instant, the nomination of Caroline E. Bibighaus, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 20th February last, the nomination of George Gérard, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Albert S. Kenny and others, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Ritter and Charles Munde.

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Mr. Wilson submitted the following motion for consideration :

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Ritter and Chas. Munde be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Fitz-John Porter.

Mr. Chandler submitted the following motion for consideration :

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Fitz-John Porter be reconsidered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Daniel Tyler; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel Tyler, agreeably to the nomination.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1862.

Mr. Rice, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was recommitted, on the 19th of February last, the nomination of Paul R. George, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Irvin McDowell; and,

After debate,

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Irvin McDowell?

It was decided in the affirmative, {	Yeas.....	22
	Nays	13

On motion by Mr. Carlisle,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harris, Henderson, Howe, King, Latham, Morrill, Saulsbury, Stark, Sumner, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Carlile, Grimes, Harlan, Howard, Pomeroy, Rice, Ten Eyck, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Nesmith, Trumbull, Wilkinson.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Irvin McDowell, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

Colonel Gordon Granger, of the Second Regiment of Michigan Cavalry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, March 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Noah L. Jeffries, of ———, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

David Braden, of Indiana, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

G. L. Fort, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Philip D. Mason, of Massachusetts, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Philip D. Mason, of Massachusetts, to be second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Artillery.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John P. Usher, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *March 14, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles Eaton, of Minnesota, to be marshal of the United States in and for the district of Minnesota, in the place of Cornelius F. Buck, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, *March 17, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edward H. Perkins, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Santa Cruz, in the place of Hugh Young, declined.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *17th March, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Gallup to be deputy postmaster at Tiffin, in the county of Seneca and State of Ohio, in place of Hugh L. McKee, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *13 March, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Gordon Granger, Noah L. Jeffries, David Braden, G. L. Fort, and Philip D. Mason be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of John P. Usher and Charles Eaton be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of Edward H. Perkins be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Gallup be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs, and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Isaac N. Pumphrey, on the 13th January last that of Alexander Asboth, on the 3d instant that of Daniel McCook and those of Orville E. Babcock and others, on the 6th instant those of George H. Thomas Robert L. McCook, Speed S. Fry, and Horatio P. Van Cleve, and on the 13th instant that of James B. Ricketts, reported.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Edwin D. Morgan; and

On motion by Mr. Fessenden that it lie on the table,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas..... 16
Nays..... 21

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Carlile, Clark, Fessenden, Foster, Henderson, Howe, Nesmith, Pearce, Pomeroy, Sherman, Stark, Sumner, Thomson, Wilkinson, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Hale, Harlan, Harris, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Powell, Rice, Simmons, Ten Eyck, Turnbull, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

On motion by Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts that the further consideration of the said nomination be postponed to the first of April next,

The yeas were 19, and the nays 19.

On motion by Mr. King,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Carlile, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Fessenden, Foster, Henderson, Howe, Nesmith, Pearce, Pomeroy, Sherman, Stark, Sumner, Thomson, Wilkinson, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Doolittle, Foot, Hale, Harlan, Harris, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, Morrill, Powell, Rice, Simmons, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

The Senate being equally divided, the Vice-President voted in the affirmative.

So it was

Ordered, That the further consideration of the nomination of Edwin D. Morgan be postponed to the 1st day of April next.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles and Paul R. George; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Justus McKinstry; and,

On motion by Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said nomination be postponed to the 1st of April next.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of William F. Barry, Willis A. Gorman, Innis N. Palmer, Schuyler Hamilton, James D. Strawbridge, R. B. McCay, George S. Kemble, C. F. H. Campbell, L. H. Taylor, Geo. L. Pancoast, F. H. Gross, Washington J. Duffy, Thomas L. Price, Andrus J. Smith, Marsena R. Patrick, Isaac F. Quinby, Chris S. Ferry, and Hiram G. Berry; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William H. Emory; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Emory?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas..... 29
Nays..... 9

On motion by Mr. King,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,
Those who voted in the affirmative are.

Messrs. Browning, Carlile, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden,
Foster, Foot, Harris, Henderson, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Lane of
Kansas, Latham, Morrill, Nesmith, Pearce, Powell, Rice, Sherman,
Stark, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of
Missouri, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Clark, Hale, Harlan, King, Pomeroy, Sumner, Trumbull,
Wilkinson, Wilmot.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of
William H. Emory, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William W.
Burns ; and

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said nomination be
postponed to the 1st day of April next.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following motion for consideration :

Ordered, That the vote that the further consideration of the nomina-
tion of Edwin D. Morgan be postponed to the 1st day of April next be
reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That this motion lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion, submitted on
the 7th instant, that the Secretary be directed to request the President
of the United States to return the resolution that the Senate advise
and consent to the appointment of George F. Emory.

TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United
States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appoint-
ment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 15, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following
list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the serv-
ice of the United States :

Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel P. Woodbury, additional aid-de-camp, to
be brigadier-general.

John A. Doyle, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence
with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

In conformity to the provisions of the "Act for the better organization of the Marine Corps," approved 25th July, 1861, I nominate Major William Dulaney to be a colonel in the Marine Corps, from the 26 July, 1861.

Major Ward Marston to be a lieutenant-colonel in the Marine Corps, from the 26 July, 1861.

Major John G. Reynolds to be a lieutenant-colonel in the Marine Corps, from the 16th November, 1861, vice Lieutenant-Colonel James Edelin, placed on the retired-list.

Captains Jacob Zeilin and Addison Garland to be majors in the Marine Corps, from the 26 July, 1861, vice Dulaney and Marston, promoted.

Captain Josiah Watson to be a major in the Marine Corps, from the 16 November, 1861, vice Reynolds, promoted.

Captain Isaac T. Doughty to be a major in the Marine Corps, from the 23d November, 1861, vice Major Thomas S. English, placed on the retired-list.

First Lieutenants Charles G. McCawley, George R. Graham, John L. Broome, Wm. Stokes Boyd, David M. Cohen, James Lewis, Clement D. Hebb, Philip H. W. Fontané, Alan Ramsay, Philip R. Fendall, jr., to be captains in the Marine Corps, from the 26 July, 1861.

First Lieutenant John Schermerhorn to be a captain in the Marine Corps, from the 16 November, 1861, vice Captain Josiah Watson, promoted.

First Lieutenant Charles Haywood to be a captain in the Marine Corps, from the 23d November, 1861, vice Captain J. T. Doughty, promoted ; and

First Lieutenant Lucien L. Dawson to be a captain in the Marine Corps, from the 23d November, 1861, vice Captain A. N. Brevoort, placed on the retired list.

First Lieutenant James Wiley to be an assistant quartermaster in the Marine Corps, with the rank of captain, from the 26 July, 1861.

Second Lieutenants George W. Collier, George P. Heuston, Philip C. Kennedy, James Forney, Louis M. Goldsborough, William H. Cartter, McLane Tilton, John Henley Higbee, Frank Munroe, Robert H. Huntington, William H. Hale, and John H. Grimes to be first lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 1 September, 1861.

Thomas L. McElrath, of New York, Wm. J. Squires, of New York, Robert Kidd, of New York, Henry A. Bartlett, of Rhode Island, Charles A. Stillman, of Connecticut, Wm. B. McKean, of New York, Horatio B. Lowry, of South Carolina, Samuel W. Matthews, of Illinois, Henry B. Hoff, of Pennsylvania, Oscar B. Grant, of Pennsylvania, Eugene A. Smalley, of Vermont, and Percival O. Pope, of New Hampshire, to be first lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 26th November, 1861.

Charles H. Bradford, of Maine, Wm. R. Brown, of Pennsylvania, Samuel C. Adams, of Michigan, Samuel W. Powell, of Wisconsin, Richard S. Cullum, of Indiana, Norval L. Nokes, of Virginia, Eugene B. Sturgeon, of Pennsylvania, Alfred Devereux, of Pennsylvania, Robert O. N. Ford, of New York, John C. Harris, of the District of Columbia, George Heisler, of New Jersey, William B. Remy, jr., of Iowa, David M. Sells, of Iowa, and Henry J. Bishop, of Connecticut, to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 26th November, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 7 March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John Evans, of Illinois, to be governor of the Territory of Colorado, in the place of William Gilpin, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 18th March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William H. Evans, of Ohio, transferred from the consulate at Cyprus, to be consul of the United States at Maranham, in the place of James C. Patterson, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel P. Woodbury and John A. Doyle be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of William Dulany and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Evans be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Ordered, That the nomination of William H. Evans be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution, dated March 13th, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the nomination of Charles Munde, of Kansas, to be assistant adjutant-general, with the rank of captain, August 24, 1861, and William H. Ritter, of New York, to be additional paymaster, Sept. 5, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, March 18, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution, dated March 13th, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the nomination of Colonel Fitz-John Porter, of the Fifteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, May 17, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, March 18, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the message of the President of the United States returning to the Senate the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Charles Munde and William H. Ritter be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of George Roberts, E. M. Buchanan, F. B. Owen, James G. Fitts, James W. Ripley, and Reese E. Fleeson, on the 24th December last those of C. W. Leffingwell, Elias Thomasson, Alexander Sympon, Anson Stager, George W. Harrison, Gurden Chapin, Nathan Reeve,

John Pound, Philip K. Thomas, Carter B. Harrison, Augustus C. Craven, James Stewart, Henry B. Beecher, Abraham Grafius, William Kidd, John H. Markley, Charles F. Van Duzer, Daniel Chase, James H. Odlin, George M. Downey, John F. Ritter, John B. Hays, John W. French, Samuel Simmon, James P. Fredericks, William Warfield, A. McCann, and Robert C. Walker, on the 16th December last that of Thomas W. Sullivan, on the 6th January last those of John Pilsen, William W. Jackson, Richard Stevenson, W. F. Harris, G. C. Kniffin, Samuel J. Little, J. B. Alexander, T. R. Sinton, J. F. Huber, and M. H. Wright, on the 17th January last those of Geo. H. Weeks, Arthur Morris, and William Galloway, on the 3d instant those of George F. Clark, P. M. Osterhout, and Charles F. Clark, on the 7th instant that of Edward W. Coffin, on the 13th instant those of Leonard F. Ross, Francis A. Dallam, Henry C. De Ahua, C. C. Carpenter, Joshua A. Fessenden, Edward B. Jerome, George F. B. Dandy, David Perry, Charles S. Brooks, Edgar M. Cullen, E. C. Woodruff, and Charles H. Gaubert, and on the 17th instant those of Gordon Grauger, David Braden, G. L. Fort, and Philip D. Mason, reported.

On motion by Mr. ———,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Philip D. Mason; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Philip D. Mason, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nominations of James Hemphill, James P. Galloway, H. Jones Brooke, and William B. Lebo, and on the 17th instant that of Noah L. Jeffries, reported.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Ambrose E. Burnside; and,

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Ambrose E. Burnside, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden that the Senate do now adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas..... 16
Nays..... 20

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Bayard, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Fessenden, Foot, King, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sherman, Sumner, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Mo.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Carlile, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foster, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Powell, Rice, Stark, Ten Eyck, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass., Wright.

So the motion was not agreed to.

Mr. Lane, of Indiana, submitted the following resolution, which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President be, and he hereby is, requested to return to the Senate the nomination of Henry B. Livingston, of New York, confirmed by the Senate as second lieutenant, Eleventh Infantry, from October 28, 1861, vice Brown, rejected.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay said resolution before the President of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John Pope; and

After debate,
On motion by Mr. Cowan,
The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate First Assistant Engineers William G. Wheeler, Francis C. Dade, William S. Stamm, Wm. J. Lamdin, Mortimer Kellogg, Andrew J. Kiersted, and John A. Grier to be chief engineers in the Navy, to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 8 March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In the list of nominations submitted to the Senate, dated 7 March, 1862, a clerical error occurred by the omission of the name of Second Lieutenant Joseph F. Baker, U. S. Marine Corps. I therefore nominate him to be a first lieutenant in said Corps from the 1st of September, 1861, next after Robert H. Huntington.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 19 March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

Adjutant-General's Department.

B. J. Waggener, of Kentucky, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, October 8, 1861.

Jefferson H. Nones, of Delaware, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

Robert C Stiekney, of Maine, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

With reference to my recent message on the subject of claims of citizens of the United States on the Government of Paraguay, I transmit a copy of three memorials of the claimants and of their closing arguments in the case, together with extracts from a dispatch from Mr. Bowlin, the late commissioner of the United States to that country. These extracts show that President Lopez offered and expected to pay a large sum of money as a compromise of the claims.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March* 2, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of R. J. Waggener and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Joseph F. Baker and William C. Wheeler and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the message relating to claims on Paraguay, together with the accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred, on the 17th instant, the nominations of John P. Usher and Charles Eaton, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 12th December last, the nomination of James E. Daliva, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 18th instant, the nomination of Daniel P. Woodbury, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel P. Woodbury, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Floris Van Renth and David G. Farragut; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Lesley, jr.; and

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

Ordered, That it be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Wm. Moran, jr., John W. Dawson, and Max Einstein; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Cowan to reconsider the order to recommit the nomination of James Lesley, jr.,

It was determined in the affirmative; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of James Lesley, jr.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James N. Muller, Alfred Guthrie, Convers O. Leach, Abram Wakeman, Georges Gerard, Albert S. Kinney, John A. Bates, jr., Forbes Parker, John S. Woolson, Alexander McC. Bishop, Charles P. Wannall, W. S. Clary, Gilbert L. Giberson, and Caroline E. Bibighaus; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Chandler submitted the following motion for consideration :
Ordered, That the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Alfred Guthrie be reconsidered.

Mr. Anthony submitted the following motion for consideration :
Ordered, That the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Abram Wakeman be reconsidered.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Washington, March 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Lieut. Julius Lovell, adjutant of the Harris Light Cavalry, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Washington, March 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

To be assistant quartermasters of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

John H. Russell, of Maine.

James H. Tallmau, of Maine.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Jeremiah T. Boyle, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, November 9, 1861.

Thomas D. Fitch, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 19, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Senators from Minnesota I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George H. Wood, of Minnesota, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, November 16, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William R. Woodward, of Washington City, to be a justice of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, March 19, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William H. Bennett, of Oregon, to be marshal of the United States for the district of Oregon.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 19, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Burnham to be deputy postmaster at Woonsocket Falls, in the county of Providence and State of Rhode Island, in place of William Lindsay, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

In compliance with a resolution dated March 18, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the nom-

ination of Henry B. Livingston, of New York, to be first lieutenant of the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, to date from October 23th, 1861, vice Brown, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John K. Russell, James H. Tallman, Julius Lovell, Jeremiah T. Boyle, Thomas D. Fitch, and George H. Wood be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William R. Woodward be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William H. Bennett be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Burnham be referred to the Committee on Post-Office and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the message returning the resolution of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of Henry B. Livingston be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 13th instant, the nomination of John Sellyett, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Sellyett, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the nomination of James Ryno, jr., reported.

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Caleb B. H. Blood; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Caleb B. H. Blood, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of James Lesley, jr.

Mr. Chandler submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of James Lesley, jr., be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Thomas Clowes; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas Clowes?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas..... 19
Nays 18

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harlan, Howard, King, Latham, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot.

Those who voted in the negative are,
Messrs. Browning, Carlile, Hale, Harris, Howe, Kennedy, Lane of
Kansas, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Saulsbury, Sherman, Stark, Sum-
ner, Ten Eyck, Willey, Wilson of Mo., Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of
Thomas Clowes, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John P. Usher
and Charles Eaton; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of
the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James E. Dal-
liba; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appoint-
ment of James E. Dalliba.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Chand-
ler, on the 19th instant, that the resolution advising and consenting to
the appointment of Alfred Guthrie be reconsidered,

And it was determined in the negative.

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United
States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appoint-
ment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to propose for your appro-
bation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer
force now in the service of the United States:

Samuel P. Carter, of Tennessee, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appoint-
ment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 9, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 19, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of Brigadier-General Silas Casey, I have
the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person
for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United
States:

Edward Corning, regimental quartermaster of the 85th New York
Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to propose the name of William P. Graves, of Kentucky, to be second lieutenant in the Second Regiment of Artillery.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular promotion and appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Quartermaster-General, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

First Lieutenant Alexander N. Shipley, 3d Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, vice Leib, rejected.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON.
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Slade, of Ohio, to be consul of the United States at Nice, vice James Lesley, jr., whose nomination has been rejected.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *21st March, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Assistant Surgeon Delavan Bloodgood to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 24th January, 1862, vice Surgeon Charles Chase, placed on the retired list.

Robert T. Edes, of Massachusetts; John D. Murphy, of New York; Edgar Holden, of New York; Rausford E. Van Gieson, of New Jersey; Thomas C. Walton, of New York; Benjamin H. Kidder, of Massachusetts; Louis Zenzen, of New York; Gustavus H. E. Baumgartner, of Missouri; John Homans, jr., of Massachusetts; John H. Clark, of New Hampshire; Granville B. Slough, of Pennsylvania; Samuel R. Forman, of New Jersey; William B. Gibson, of Massachusetts; George W. Woods, of New York; Adolph A. Hoehling, of Pennsylvania; James J. Allingham, of New York; Charles Ellery Stedman, of Massa-

chusetts; Eugene S. Olcott, of Kentucky; William F. Terry, of New York; Charles J. S. Wells, of Vermont; Charles T. Hubbard, of Massachusetts; William K. Van Reypen, of New Jersey, Joseph Hugg, of New Jersey; Frederick B. A. Lewis, of New York; William B. Mann, of New York; Samuel W. Abbott, of Massachusetts; Luther M. Lyon, of Pennsylvania; William S. Fort, of New Jersey; Charles H. Giber-son, of New York; Charles H. Perry, of Massachusetts; Thomas Hiland, of New Hampshire; Daniel M. Skinner, of New Jersey; Douglass R. Bannan, of Pennsylvania; David F. Ricketts, of Maryland; Joseph A. Bubier, of Massachusetts; Samuel N. Brayton, of Massachusetts; Edward C. Ver Meulen, of New Jersey; William T. Plant, of New York; Matthew Chalmers, of New York; Charles H. White, of Massachusetts; George T. Shipley of Massachusetts; Isaac H. Hazleton, of New Hampshire; James H. Mears, of Pennsylvania; Benjamin F. Peirce, of Maine; Newton H. Adams, of New York; Edward Kershner, of Maryland; Stephen J. Clark, of New York; Charles Carter, of New York; Thomas N. Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Josiah H. Gunning, of New York; Edward A. Pierson, of New Jersey; Watson C. Hull, of New York; George R. Brush, of New York; Heber Smith, of New York; Edward D. Payne, of Pennsylvania; Edward R. Dodge, of Pennsylvania; Ira W. Bragg, of Massachusetts; George D. Slocum, of New York, and John B. Ackley, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeons in the Navy, to fill existing vacancies, from the 24th January, 1862; and John T. Luck, of Massachusetts, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 29th January, 1862, vice Assistant Surgeon O. S. Iglehart, dismissed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 7 March, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Samuel P. Carter, Edward Corning, William P. Graves, and Alexander N. Shipley be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Slade be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Delavan Bloodgood and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nominations of Jesse H. McMath, Edward S. Bayly, and Jonas A. Hughston; on the 13th instant, that of William E. Webster; on the 17th instant, that of Edward H. Perkins, and on the 18th instant, that of William H. Evans, reported.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 18th instant, the nomination of John Evans, reported.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas Clowes.

Mr. Latham submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas Clowes be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Max Einstein.

Mr. Wade submitted the following motion for consideration :

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Max Einstein be reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, on the 13th instant, that the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Ritter and Charles Mundee be reconsidered ; and

It was determined in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Anthony,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw the motion submitted by him on the 19th instant, that the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Abram Wakeman be reconsidered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of John G. Barnard, Henry M. Judah, John Pope, Don Carlos Buell, Samuel R. Curtis, Franz Sigel, John A. McClernand, Charles F. Smith, Lewis Wallace, John Cook, Richard J. Oglesby, William H. L. Wallace, John McArthur, Jacob G. Lanman, John A. Logan, James Craig, Alexander Asboth, Robert L. McCook, Speed S. Fry, Horatio P. Van Cleve, and James B. Ricketts ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Francis E. Patterson ; and

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 22, 1862.

SIR : On the recommendation of the Iowa delegation, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel G. M. Dodge, of Iowa, to be brigadier-general of volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I withdraw the nomination of P. M. Osterhout, made on the 27th ultimo, and nominate Amos B. Mott, of Pennsylvania, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 21, 1862.*

SIR: On the recommendation of the Hon. Mr. Wright, I have the honor to propose for your approbation that the nomination of P. M. Osterhout as commissary of subsistence of Volunteers, made on the 27th ultimo, be withdrawn, and that the name of Amos B. Mott, of Pennsylvania, be substituted as commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain, in his place.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 21, 1862.

SIR: At the request of General Patrick, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

James P. Kimball, of New York, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 22, 1862.

SIR: At the request of General Halleck, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Edward R. S. Canby, 19th Infantry, to be brigadier-general.
Paymaster Benjamin W. Brice to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 21, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Hon. Mr. Baker, of New York, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Henry M. Swift, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Major Henry W. Wessells, 6th Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edwin Ludlow, of New York, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 22, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 22, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of Generals Dix and Cooper, I have the honor to submit the name of Edwin Ludlow, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I hereby withdraw the nomination of William B. Richmond, of Tennessee, who was heretofore nominated for the consulate at Tunis, and nominate for said office Ainos Perry, of Rhode Island.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Green Clay, of Kentucky, to be secretary of the legation of the United States at Turin, in the place of William H. Fry, who is unable to proceed to his post on account of sickness.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Stephen S. Harding, of Indiana, to be governor of the Territory of Utah, vice John W. Dawson, whose nomination has been rejected.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 24, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John Loree, of Indiana, to be agent for the Indians of the Upper Platte Agency, vice Joseph A. Cody, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 24, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of G. M. Dodge, Amos B. Mott, James P. Kimball, Edward R. S. Canby, Henry M. Swift, Henry W. Wessels, and Edwin Ludlow be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Amos Perry be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Green Clay be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Ordered, That the nomination of Stephen S. Harding be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Loree be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 6th January last, the nomination of James L. De Graw, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 21st instant, the nominations of Edward Corning, William P. Graves, and Alexander N. Shipley; on the 6th instant, that of Mahlon D. Manson; on the 18th instant, that of John A. Doyle; on the 19th instant, those of R. J. Waggener, Jefferson H. Nones, and Robert C. Stickney, and on the 20th instant, those of Julius Lovell, John K. Russell, James H. Tallman, Thomas D. Fitch, and George H. Wood, and to whom was recommitted, on the 18th instant, that of William H. Ritter, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wright,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Mahlon D. Manson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Mahlon D. Manson, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of William H. Ritter; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Ritter, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 6th January last, the treaty between William W. Ross, agent on the part of the United States, and the chiefs and head-men of the tribe of Pottowatomie Indians, concluded on the 15th November, 1861, reported the same with amendments.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said amendments be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of William K. Strong; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William K. Strong, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Philip K. Thomas, Elias Thomasson, John B. Hays, G. W. Harrison, Augustus C. Craven, Daniel Chase, Gurden Chapin, James Stewart, Anson Stager, Samuel Simmons, Henry B. Bucher, Francis E. Berier, Abraham Grafins, William Kidd, John H. Markley, A. McCann, John W. French, Charles F. Van Duzer, James H. Odlin, George M. Downey, John F. Ritter, John Pound, Isaac N. Pumphrey, C. W. Leffingwell, W. W. Leland, Alexander Sympton, Jas. P. Fredericks, Robert C. Walker, William Warfield, O. A. Judson, Daniel G. Thomas, John C. Vaughan, Reese E. Fleeson, Daniel McCook, George F. Clark, Orville E. Babcock, Robert Allen, Joseph P. Ash, J. B. Alexander, Charles E. Hay, Samuel S. Hollbrook, W. F. Harris, J. F. Huber, Wesley Owens, F. B. Owen, Leicester Walker, Henry D. Wallen, T. Elwyn Turner, William S. Collier, John L. Buell, Francis J. Crilly, James P. Martin, At Lee W. Putnam, Edward Ross, John W. Magruder, James M. Brown, Samuel A. Russell, Wesley F. Miller, Samuel S. Carroll, George H. Crosman, Frank P. Muhlenberg, Patrick Meagher, Isaac D. Sailer, Patrick T. Keyes, William M. Breese, George Roberts, Evan M. Buchanan, James G. Fitts, Thomas W. Sullivan, John Pilsen, Wm. W. Jackson, Richard Stevenson, G. C. Kniffin, Samuel J. Little, T. R. Linton, M. H. Bright, George H. Weeks, Arthur Morris, William Galloway, Edward W. Coffin, Francis A. Dallam, C. C. Carpenter, Edward B. Jerome, George F. B. Dandy, David Perry, Charles S. Brooks, Edgar M. Cullen, E. C. Woodruff, Charles H. Gaubert, David Braden, and G. L. Fort; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of James P. Galloway, James Hemphill, and William B. Lebo; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Edward Corning, William P. Graves, Alexander N. Shipley, Julius Lovell, John K. Russell, James H. Tallman, Thomas D. Fitch, George H. Wood, John A. Doyle, R. J. Waggener, Jefferson H. Nones, and Robert C. Stickney; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectfully.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Quartermaster's Department.

H. A. Lacy, of Michigan, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

B. F. Fefield, of Michigan, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 20, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George W. B. Tompkins, of New York, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Andrew A. Humphreys, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Captain George L. Hartsuff, of the Adjutant-General's Department, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 24, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the name of Captain George L. Hartsuff, of the Adjutant-General's Department, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIM M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 31, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States:

Sixth Regiment of Cavalry.

Stephen S. Balk, of the Army, to be second lieutenant, August 20, 1861.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Franklin B. Crosby, of New York, to be second lieutenant, August 8, 1861.

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

Moses B. Walker, of Ohio, to be captain, August 23, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Quartermaster's Department.

H. A. Lacy, of Michigan, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

B. F. Fefield, of Michigan, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 20, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 20, 1862.

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George W. B. Tompkins, of New York, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Andrew A. Humphreys, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Captain George L. Hartsuff, of the Adjutant-General's Department, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 24, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the name of Captain George L. Hartsuff, of the Adjutant-General's Department, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIM M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *January 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 31, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Army of the United States:

Sixth Regiment of Cavalry.

Stephen S. Balk, of the Army, to be second lieutenant, August 20, 1861.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Franklin B. Crosby, of New York, to be second lieutenant, August 8, 1861.

Twelfth Regiment of Infantry.

Moses B. Walker, of Ohio, to be captain, August 23, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular appointments in the Army of the United States:

Fifth Regiment of Cavalry.

Thomas E. Maley, of Illinois, to be second lieutenant.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Charles A. Curtis, of Maine, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry W. Reed, of Iowa, to be agent for the Indians of the Upper Missouri Agency, vice Luther L. Pease, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Sylvanus T. Nye, of California, to be register of the land office at Stockton, California, vice George Webster, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 25, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

GENERAL STAFF.

To be brigadier-general.

Ward B. Burnett, of New York.

Colonel Alfred H. Terry, of Connecticut Volunteers.

Carl Schurz, of Wisconsin.

Milo S. Haskell, of Indiana.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Colonel Isaac P. Rodman, of the 4th Regiment of Rhode Island Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 26, 1862.*

SIR: As directed by you, I have the honor to submit the name of Colonel Isaac P. Rodman, of the 4th Regiment of Rhode Island Volunteers, to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWARD M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 25, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Rufus Saxton, of Massachusetts, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel John W. Geary, of the 28th Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 25, 1862.

SIR: At the request of Brigadier-Generals Craig and Woodbury, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Frank V. L. Eno, of Missouri, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for General Craig).

Henry W. Bowers, of Illinois, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for General Woodbury).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 25, 1862.

SIR: At the request of Brigadier-General Henry M. Naglee, U. S. Vols., I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant George H. Johnston, 1st Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, March 25, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Surgeon-General, I have the honor to submit the following list of examined and approved candidates, for appointment as brigade surgeons in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Alexander L. Watson, of New York; I. H. Boucher, of Iowa; W. H. Thorn, of Pennsylvania; B. Beust, of New Jersey; William W. Holmes, of Ohio; Thomas B. Catlin, of New York; John S. B. McMaston, of Maryland; E. Boyd Pendleton, of Virginia; S. L. Bigelo, of France; Jacob Bockee, of Illinois; W. W. Nassan, of Iowa; William H. White, of Delaware; Alfred Hitchcock, of Massachusetts; Abraham Crispell, of New York; Thomas B. Reed, of Pennsylvania; Horace Wardner, of Illinois; John B. Lewis, of Connecticut; B. M. McVickar, of Illinois; F. G. Snelling, of New York; James C. Fisher, of New Jersey; E. D.

Dailey, of Delaware; J. T. Bradford, of Kentucky; A. B. Shipman, of New York; James D. Hatchitt, of Kentucky; Abram L. Cox, of New Jersey; Alonzo J. Phelps, of Ohio; S. M. Hamilton, of Illinois.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Joseph B. Gilpin, of Illinois, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Captain Franklin D. Callender, of the Ordnance Department, for promotion by brevet, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 22, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of the Missouri delegation, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Captain Franklin D. Callender, of the Ordnance Department, to be major by brevet, for faithful and meritorious services in his department.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Major William R. Palmer, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, for promotion by brevet, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 22, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Major William R. Palmer, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, to date from October 20, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate George P. Van Wyck, of New Jersey, to be consul of the United States at Bayonne, in the place of William Moran, jr., whose nomination has been rejected.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 26th March, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of Col. Harvey Brown to be brigadier-general by brevet, November 23, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, March 26th, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of H. A. Lacey and B. F. Fefield, Geo. W. B. Tompkins, Andrew A. Humphreys, George L. Hartsuff, Stephen S. Balk, Thomas E. Maley, Charles A. Curtis, Sylvanus T. Nye, Ward B. Burnett, and others, Isaac P. Rodman, Rufus Saxton, John W. Geary, Frank V. L. Eno, and Henry W. Bowers, George H. Johnston, Alexander L. Watson, and others, Joseph B. Gilpin, Franklin D. Callender, and William R. Palmer be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of George P. Van Wyck be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to return to the President of the United States the nomination of Harvey Brown, agreeably to the request contained in the message received this day.

On motion by Mr. Harlan,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry W. Reed; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry W. Reed, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 24th instant, the nomination of Stephen S. Harding, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 18th instant, the nominations of Samuel C. Adams, John L. Broome, William Stokes Boyd, Henry A. Bartlett, Charles H. Bradford, William R. Brown, Henry J. Bishop, George W. Collier, William H. Cartter, Richard S. Cullum, William Dulaney, Isaac T. Doughty, Lucius L. Dawson, Alfred Devereux, Philip H. W. Fontané, Philip B. Fendall, jr., James Forney, Robert O. N. Ford, Addison Garland, George R. Graham, Louis M. Goldsborough, James H. Grimes, Oscar B. Grant, Clement D. Hebb, Charles Haywood, George P. Houston, John Henly Higbee, Robert H. Huntington, William H. Hale, Henry B. Hoff, John C. Harris, George Heisler, Philip C. Kennedy, Robert Kidd, James Lewis, Horatio B. Lowry, Ward Marston, Charles G. McCawley, Frank Munroe, Thomas L. McElrath, William B. McKean, Samuel W. Matthews, Norval L. Nokes, Percival C. Pope, Samuel W. Powell, John G. Reynolds, Alan Ramsay, William B. Remy, jr., John Schermerhorn, Wm. J. Squires, Charles A. Stillman, Eugene A. Smalley, Eugene B. Sturgeon, David M. Sells, McLane Tilton, Josiah Watson, James Wiley, and Jacob Zeilin; on the 19th instant those of William C. Wheeler and others, and Joseph F. Baker; and on the 21st instant those of James I. Allingham, Samuel W. Abbott, Newton H. Adams, John B.

Ackley, Delavan Bloodgood, Gustavus H. E. Baumgarten, Douglass K. Bannan, Joseph A. Bubier, Samuel L. Brayton, George R. Brush, Ira W. Bragg, John H. Clark, Matthew Chalmers, Stephen I. Clark, Charles Carter, Edward R. Dodge, Robert T. Edes, Samuel E. Forman, William S. Fort, Edgar Holden, John Homans, jr., Adolph A. Hoehling, Charles T. Hubbard, Joseph Hugg, Benjamin H. Kidder, Edward Kershner, Frederick B. A. Lewis, Luther M. Lyon, John T. Luck, John D. Murphy, William B. Mann, James H. Mears, Eugene S. Olcott, Charles H. Perry, William T. Plant, Benjamin F. Pierce, Thomas N. Peurose, Edward A. Pierson, David F. Ricketts, Granville B. Slough, Charles Ellery Stedman, Daniel M. Skinner, George F. Shipley, Heber Smith, George D. Slocum, William F. Terry, Ransford E. Van Gieson, William Van Reyper, Edward C. Vermeulen, Thomas C. Walton, George W. Woods, Charles I. S. Wells, Charles H. White, Louis Zenzer, Thomas Hiland, Isaac H. Hazleton, Watson C. Hull, William B. Gibson, Charles H. Giberson and Josiah Gunning, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Jefferson H. Nones and John K. Russell.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, submitted the following motion for consideration:

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Jefferson H. Nones and John K. Russell be reconsidered.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James Ryno, jr., Jesse H. McMath, Edward L. Bayly, Jonas A. Hughston, Edward H. Perkins, John Evans, William H. Evans, George S. Hollister, James L. De Graw, Gordon Granger, and Noah L. Jeffries; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Carter B. Harrison; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Carter B. Harrison, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of H. Jones Brooke; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of H. Jones Brooke.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

Ordered, That the nomination of William E. Prince be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Howard,

Ordered, That the nomination of Henry C. De Ahna be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 27, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Thomas T. Crittenden, of the 6th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 27, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Andrew J. Mackay, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 26, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in service of the United States:

Lieutenant Robert Harris, assistant quartermaster of the 17th Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate J. Napoleon Zerman for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, March 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 15, 1862.*

SIR: By direction of the President, at the request of Major-General D. Hunter, I have the honor to submit the name of J. Napoleon Zerman to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 26, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Major Amiel W. Whipple, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 26, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of John C. Smith to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Charles O. Howard, of Indiana, to be captain *vice* Hughes declined

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Seth Weldy for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 27, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Seth Weldy, now a private in the Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be first lieutenant in the First Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Samuel E. Browne, of Ohio, to be attorney of the United States in and for the Territory of Colorado, instead of James E. Dalliba, whose appointment the Senate did "not advise and consent to."

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, *March 27, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with the resolution of the Senate of the 21st instant, I herewith return the resolution of the 20th instant, advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas Clowes to be deputy postmaster at Troy, New York.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *27th March, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of Robert Harris to be assistant adjutant-general, he having declined the appointment.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, March 27, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas T. Crittenden, Andrew J. Mackay, Robert Harris, J. Napoleon Zerman, Amiel W. Whipple, John C. Smith, Charles O. Howard, and Seth Weldy be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Samuel E. Browne be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to return to the President of the United States the nomination of Robert Harris, agreeably to the request in the message this day received.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 17th instant, the nomination of William Gallup, reported.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 16th January last, the nomination of Lewis S. Ely, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Lewis S. Ely, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th instant, the nominations of James P. Kimball, E. R. S. Canby, and Henry W. Wessells, and on the 26th instant those of George L. Hartsuff, Carl Schurz, Milo S. Haskall, Rufus Saxton, John W. Geary, Frank V. L. Eno, Henry W. Bowers, and George H. Johnston, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of H. Jones Brooke be reconsidered; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of H. Jones Brooke, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William B. Lebo, of Pennsylvania, for reappointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 28, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 28, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of William B. Lebo, of Pennsylvania, for reappointment as commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain, to date from October 31, 1861, his original date of rank.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Colonel Robert B. Mitchell, of the Second Regiment of Kansas Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 28, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 28, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Colonel Robert B. Mitchell, of the Second Regiment of Kansas Volunteers, to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 28, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Colonel Charles Devens, of Massachusetts, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Assistant Paymasters Edward May, Henry M. Denniston, Richard Washington, William H. H. Williams, Charles W. Hassler, Thomas C. Masten, Rufus Parks, Frank C. Cosby, and Edwin Stewart to be paymasters in the Navy, to fill vacancies occasioned by the decease of Paymaster F. A. Thornton and the retirement of Paymasters Joseph Wilson, John N. Hambleton, Garrett R. Barry, McKean Buchanan, Henry Etting, B. J. Oahoone, Sterrett Ramsay, and John A. Bates, under the provisions of the act approved 21 December, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 29 *March, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Levi Kline to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Havre de Grace, in the State of Maryland, in the place of William B. Morgan, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 28, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Henry W. Reed, of Iowa, to be agent for the Blackfeet and other neighboring tribes of Indians, vice Luther L. Pease, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *March 28, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

In compliance with a resolution dated March 26, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointments of Jefferson H. Nones to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain in the Volunteer force, and of John K. Russell, of Maine, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, March 28, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of William B. Lebo, Robert B. Mitchell, and Charles Devens be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Edward May and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Levi Kline be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of H. W. Reed be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 26th instant, the nomination of Sylvanus T. Nye, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Sylvanus T. Nye, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 20th instant, the nomination of William H. Bennett, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 21st instant, the nomination of William Slade, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William Slade, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William Dulaney, Ward Marston, John G. Reynolds, Jacob Zeilin, Addison Garland, Josiah Watson, Isaac T. Doughty, Charles G. McCawley, George R. Graham, John L. Broome, William Stokes Boyd, James Lewis, Clement D. Hebb, Philip H. W. Fontaué, Alan Ramsey, Philip R. Fendall, jr., John Schermerhorn, Charles Haywood, Lucien L. Dawson, James Wiley, George W. Collier, George P. Houston, Philip C. Kennedy, James Forney, Lewis M. Goldsborough, William H. Cartter, McLane Tilton, John Henly Higbee, Frank Munroe, Robert H. Huntington, William H. Hale, John M. Grimes, Thomas L. McElrath, William J. Squires, Robert Kidd, Henry A. Bartlett, Charles A. Stillman, William B. McKean, Horatio B. Lowry, Samuel W. Matthews, Henry B. Hoff, Oscar B. Grant, Eugene A. Smalley, Percival C. Pope, Charles H. Bradford, William R. Brown, Samuel C. Adams, Samuel W. Powell, Richard S. Cullum, Norval L. Nokes, Eugene B. Sturgeon, Alfred Devereux, Robert O. N. Ford, John C. Harris, George Heisler, William B. Remy, jr., David M. Sells, Henry J. Bishop, William O. Wheeler, Francis C. Dade, William S. Stamm, William J. Lamdin, Mortimer Kellogg, Andrew J. Kiersted, John A. Grier, Joseph F. Baker, Delavan Bloodgood, Robert T. Edes, John D. Murphy, Edgar Holden, Thomas C. Walton, Benjamin H. Kidder, Louis Zenzer, Gustavus H. E. Baumgarten, John Homans, jr., John H. Clark, Grauville B. Slough, William B. Gibson, George W. Woods, Adolph A. Hoehling, James I. Allingham, Charles Ellery Stedman, Eugene S. Olcott, William F. Terry, Charles I. S. Wells, Charles T. Hubbard, Frederick B. A. Lewis, William B. Mann, Samuel W. Abbott, Luther M. Lyon, Charles H. Gibersen, Charles H. Perry, Thomas Hiland, Douglass R. Bannan, David F. Ricketts, Joseph A. Bubier, Samuel N. Drayton, William T. Plant, Matthew Chalmers, Charles H. White, George T. Shipley, Isaac H. Hazelton, James H. Mears, Benjamin F. Peirce, Newton H. Adams, Edward Kershner, Stephen J. Clark, Charles Carter, Thomas N. Penrose, Josiah H. Gunning, Watson C. Hull, George R. Brush, Heber Smith, Edward R. Dodge, Ira W. Bragg, George D. Slocum, John B. Ackley, and John T. Luck; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wright,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Stephen S. Harding; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Stephen S. Harding, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Missouri,
The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Frank V. L. Eno;
and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Frank V. L. Eno, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the consideration of the nomination of George M. Dodge.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George M. Dodge, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Edward R. S. Canby ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward R. S. Canby, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. King submitted the following motion for consideration :

Ordered, That the vote on the resolutions of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of George M. Dodge and Edward R. S. Canby be reconsidered.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Carl Shurz; and
After debate,

On motion by Mr. Clark,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate J. H. Baxter, of Vermont, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of J. H. Baxter, of Vermont, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers, to rank next after J. H. Boucher, next to whom he passed, and who was nominated March 25, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your ob't serv't,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Robert B. Mitchell and James G. Blunt, of Kansas, for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 31, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of the Senators from Kansas, I have the honor to submit the names of Robert B. Mitchell and James G. Blunt to be brigadier-generals in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your ob't serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: George E. Baldwin, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with much respect, your ob't serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 31, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of General McClellan, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Captain Cuvier Grover, 10th Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your ob't serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States: William J. Kane, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, to date from October 15, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your ob't serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Abraham Cutler, of Kansas, to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of New Mexico, in place of C. P. Clever, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Bayard Taylor, of New York, to be secretary of legation to St. Petersburg, in place of Green Clay, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 1, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate, for its consideration with a view to ratification, a treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States and the Ottoman Empire, signed at Constantinople on the 25th of last month. Extracts from a dispatch of the same date, upon the subject of the treaty from Mr. Morris, the United States minister at Constantinople, to the Secretary of State, are also herewith communicated.

It will be noticed that the exchange of ratifications is to take place within three months from the date of the instrument. This renders it desirable that the Senate should decide in regard to it as soon as this may be convenient, for if that decision be favorable the ratifications of this Government, must reach Constantinople prior to the expiration of the three months adverted to.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 31, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 15th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States.

PROMOTIONS.

Quartermaster's Department.

Captain Rufus Ingalls, assistant quartermaster, having served fourteen years continuously as captain, to be quartermaster, with the rank of major, January 12, 1862.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel George A. H. Blake to be colonel, February 15, 1862, vice Beall, retired.

Major William N. Grier, of the Second Cavalry, to be lieutenant-colonel, February 15, 1862, vice Blake, promoted.

First Lieutenant Eugene M. Baker to be captain, January 16, 1862, vice Moore, deceased.

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

Captain Alfred Pleasonton to be major, February 15, 1862, vice Grier, promoted to the First Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Charles J. Walker to be captain, Feb. 15, 1862, vice Pleasonton, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Henry E. Noyes to be first lieutenant, February 15, 1862, vice Walker, promoted.

First Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Richard H. Jackson to be captain, February 20, 1862, vice Haskin, promoted to the Third Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Frank S. French to be first lieutenant, February 20, 1862, vice Breck, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Robert M. Hall to be first lieutenant, February 20, 1862, vice Turner, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Egbert W. Olcott to be first lieutenant, February 20, 1862, vice Sullivan, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Theodore K. Gibbs to be first lieutenant, February 20, 1862, vice Jackson, promoted.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Albert J. S. Molinard to be captain, November 12, 1861, vice Totten, appointed assistant inspector-general.

Second Lieutenant William N. Dennison to be first lieutenant, November 12, 1861, vice Perry, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Joseph G. Ramsay to be first lieutenant, November 12, 1861, vice Molinard, promoted.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Captain Joseph A. Haskin, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be major, February 20, 1862, vice Anstine, retired.

First Lieutenant Lorenzo Lorain to be captain, February 28, 1862, vice Churchill, retired.

Second Lieutenant George M. Fillmore to be first lieutenant, February 28, 1862, vice Lorain, promoted.

First Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Robert H. Offley to be captain, November 23, 1861, vice Prince, promoted to the Third Infantry.

First Lieutenant Matthew R. Marston to be captain, January 10, 1862, vice Wallace, promoted to the Sixth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Isaac D. De Russy to be captain, February 27, 1862, vice Caldwell, promoted to the Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Calvin D. Mehaffey to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Sherburne, appointed captain in the Nineteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Henry C. Robinett to be first lieutenant, November 23, 1861, vice Thomas, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Kinzie Bates to be first lieutenant, November 23, 1861, vice Biggs, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Hosmer to be first lieutenant, November 23, 1861, vice Offley, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William C. Green to be first lieutenant, January 10, 1862, vice Marston, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John Cusack to be first lieutenant, February 27, 1862, vice De Russy, promoted.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

Captain John C. Robinson, of the Fifth Infantry, to be major, February 20, 1862, vice Chapman, promoted to the Third Infantry.

First Lieutenant Samuel T. Cushing to be captain, February 15, 1862, vice Hayden, promoted to the Tenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant George H. McLoughlin to be first lieutenant, February 15, 1862, vice Cushing, promoted.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Major William Chapman, of the Second Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, February 20, 1862, vice Backus, promoted to the Sixth Infantry.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain Charles D. Jordan, of the Eighth Infantry, to be major, February 27, 1862, vice Chandler, retired.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Electus Backus, of the Third Infantry, to be colonel, February 20, 1862, vice Seawell, retired.

Major Daniel P. Whiting, of the Tenth Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, February 15, 1862, vice Andrews, retired.

Captain George W. Wallace, of the First Infantry, to be major, January 10, 1862, vice Bomford, promoted to the Sixteenth Infantry.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant James J. Van Horn to be captain, February 19, 1862, vice Willard, appointed major in the Nineteenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Royal T. Frank to be captain, February 27, 1862, vice Jordan, promoted to the Fifth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Samuel P. Ferris to be first lieutenant, February 19, 1862, vice Van Horn, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John W. Means to be first lieutenant, February 27, 1862, vice Frank, promoted.

Tenth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain Julius Hayden, of the Second Infantry, to be major, February 15, 1862, vice Whiting, promoted to the Sixth Infantry.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edward A. Ellsworth to be first lieutenant, October 24, 1861, vice Farrand, appointed captain.

Second Lieutenant William Fletcher to be first lieutenant, March 12, 1862, vice Leib, rejected by the Senate.

Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant James Henton to be first lieutenant, February 19, 1862, vice King, appointed captain 12th Infantry.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Major James V. Bomford, of the Sixth Infantry, to be lieutenant-colonel, January 10, 1862, vice Naglee, resigned.

Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain James N. Caldwell, of the First Infantry, to be major, February 27, 1862, vice Underwood, retired.

Second Lieutenant Daniel W. Benham to be first lieutenant, February 19, 1862, vice Wallace, deceased.

Second Lieutenant William J. Phelps to be first lieutenant, February 27, 1862, vice Stevenson, deceased.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate George A. Rowley, of Missouri, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Henderson, I have the honor to submit the name of George A. Rowley, of Missouri, to be second lieutenant in the Second Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John H. Purcell, master armorer of ordnance, to be second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Infantry, U. S. Army.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Thomas Hynes, of Missouri, to be second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Infantry, U. S. Army, for gallant service at the battle of Springfield, and for faithful service to General Lyon on the field of battle where he fell.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Foot, of Vermont, I have the honor to submit the name of Paymaster Benjamin Alvord, of the United States Army, to be brigadier general of volunteers.

With great respect, I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Harry Porter, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Browning, of Illinois, I have the honor to submit the name of Napoleon B. Buford, of Illinois, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of the Hon. Mr. Kelly, of Pennsylvania, I have the honor to submit the name of Henry Bohlen, of Pennsylvania, to be brigadier-general of volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 28, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 28, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Max Weber, of the New York Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 27, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I submit the following list of names for appointment as brigadier-generals in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Alvin P. Hovey, Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel Nathan Kimball, Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel William P. Benton, Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel Jeremiah C. Sullivan, Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel James C. Veatch, Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel Pleasant A. Hackleman, Indiana Volunteers.

With much respect, I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 28, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 28, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of George Cadwallader, of Pennsylvania, to be major-general of volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Captain James B. Ricketts, of the First Regiment of Artillery, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War, to date from July 21st, 1861, the date of the battle of Bull Run, instead of without date, as nominated on the tenth instant.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 27, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Captain James B. Ricketts, of the First Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force, for gallant and meritorious conduct at the battle of Bull Run, Virginia, to date from July 21, 1861, instead of without date, as nominated on the 10th instant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George T. Allen, of Illinois, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 27, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for approbation the name of Geo. T. Allen, of Illinois, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigade surgeons.

Augustus C. Hamlin, of Maine.
George M. Kellogg, of Iowa.
Isaac J. Hayes, of Pennsylvania.
Ferris Jacobs, of New York.
William Dickinson, of Missouri.
Ira Russell, of Massachusetts.
Henry Palmer, of Wisconsin.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Lyne S. Metcalf, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 27, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Theodore C. Bowles, regimental quartermaster of the 15th Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain;

William A. Murfery, of ——, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of the Hon. Mr. Kellogg, of Michigan, I have the honor to submit the name of Nathan G. King, of Michigan, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Second Lieutenant Robert Holmes, of the 104th Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States :

Anthony L. Weaver, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Henderson, I have the honor to submit the name of Daniel Mussulman, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William G. Le Duc, of Minnesota, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient serv't,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant John W. Williams, of the Sixth Regiment of Pennsylvania Cavalry, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of J. H. Baxter, Robert B. Mitchell, James G. Blunt, George E. Baldwin, Cuvier Grover, William J. Kane, Rufus Ingalls and others, George A. Rowley, John H. Purcell, Thomas

Hines, Benjamin Alvord, Harry Porter, Napoleon B. Buford, George T. Allen, Lyne S. Metcalf, Theodore C. Bowles, Nathan G. King, Robert Holmes, Anthony L. Weaver, Daniel Mussulman, William G. Le Duc, John W. Williams, Henry Bohlen, Max Weber, Alvin P. Hovey and others, George Cadwallader, James B. Ricketts, Augustus C. Hamlin and others, and William A. Murfery be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Abraham Cutler be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of Bayard Taylor be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States of America and the Ottoman Empire, signed at Constantinople February 25, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaty, together with the message and accompanying papers, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 20th March last, the resolution of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of Henry B. Livingston, reported.

Whereupon

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution, and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry B. Livingston.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 27th March last, the nomination of John C. Smith, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John C. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th March last, the nominations of Amos B. Mott, Henry M. Swift, and Edwin Ludlow; and on the 26th March last those of H. A. Lacey, B. F. Fefield, Stephen S. Balk, and Joseph B. Gilpin; and on the the 27th March last those of Andrew J. Mackay and Seth Weldy; and on the 31st March last that of William B. Lebo, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 24th March last, the nominations of Green Clay, and on the 1st instant that of Bayard Taylor, reported.

FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 1, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for regular appointment in the Army of the United States.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Sergeant Francis A. Field, Company F, 8th Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officer named in the accompanying communication for regular promotion in the Army of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 2, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Second Lieutenant Robert Allen to be first lieutenant in the First Regiment of Cavalry, December 29, 1861, vice Adair, dismissed, instead of January 13, 1862, the date of First Lieutenant Kellogg's appointment as adjutant, with which latter date he was recently nominated and confirmed.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 2, 1862.*

PROMOTIONS.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Judson Haycock to be first lieutenant, January 13, 1862, the date of First Lieutenant Kellogg's appointment as adjutant.

Second Lieutenant James A. Hall to be first lieutenant, January 16, 1862, vice Baker, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 3, 1862.*

SIR: By your order, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel James H. Van Allen, of the 3d Regiment of New York Cavalry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 1, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Brayton Ives, of the Fifth Connecticut Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with much respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for promotion by brevet, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 1, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 1, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for promotion by brevet for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle of Mill Spring, Kentucky:

Captain Alvan C. Gillem, assistant quartermaster U. S. Army, to be major by brevet.

First Lieutenant Andrew S. Burt, Eighteenth Infantry, to be captain by brevet.

Captain George E. Flynt, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be major by brevet.

Captain George S. Roper, commissary of subsistence of Volunteers, to be major by brevet.

Captain Michael C. Garber, assistant quartermaster of Volunteers, to be major by brevet.

Lieutenant-Colonel John P. Croxton, of the 4th Kentucky Volunteers, to be brevet colonel of Volunteers.

Lieutenant-Colonel James George, of the 2d Minnesota Volunteers, to be brevet colonel of Volunteers.

Major Philemon B. Hunt, of the 4th Kentucky Volunteers, to be brevet lieutenant-colonel of Volunteers.

Major Alexander Wilkin, of the 2d Minnesota Volunteers, to be brevet lieutenant-colonel of Volunteers.

Captain Charles Joseph, of the 9th Ohio Volunteers, to be brevet major of Volunteers.

Captain Frederick Schroeder, of the 9th Ohio Volunteers, to be brevet major of Volunteers.

Captain Marsh B. Taylor, of the 10th Indiana Volunteers, to be brevet major of Volunteers.

Captain John W. Perkins, of the 10th Indiana Volunteers, to be brevet major of Volunteers.

Captain Samnel H. Shortle, of the 10th Indiana Volunteers, to be brevet major of Volunteers.

First Lieutenant George H. Harris, of the 9th Ohio Volunteers, to be brevet captain of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

In the list of nominations submitted to the Senate for promotions and appointments in the Marine Corps the names of Jehu A. Burrough, Wm. H. Parker, Frederick H. Corrie, and Charles H. Nye, were inadvertently omitted. I therefore nominate Second Lieutenants Jehu A. Burrough and William H. Parker to be first lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 1st of September, 1861, to take rank next after Joseph F. Baker and above Wm. G. Hale. Frederick H. Corrie, of Kentucky, and Charles H. Nye, of Ohio, to be first lieutenants in the Marine Corps, from the 26 November, 1861, to take rank next after Oscar B. Grant and above E. B. Smalley.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 2 April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate G. H. C. Salter, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Han-Kow, China.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Alonzo S. Upham, of New York to be secretary of the Territory of New Mexico, in the place of James H. Holmes, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major.

Theodore Meysenburg, of Missouri, vice Heinricks, declined.

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Captain E. P. Halstead, of the 2d Regiment of New York Artillery.
 Captain J. W. Paddock, of the 1st Regiment of Nebraska Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 2, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Edwin C. Becker, of Wisconsin, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

I nominate Joseph C. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 3, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Joseph C. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, to be second lieutenant in the Second Regiment of Artillery, for gallantry and good conduct at the battle of Mill Spring, Kentucky.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Francis A. Field, Robert Allen, Judson Haycock, James H. Van Alen, Brayton Ives, Alvan C. Gillem and others, James A. Hall, Theodore E. Meysenburg and others, Edwin C. Becker, and Joseph C. Breckinridge be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Jehu A. Burrough and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of G. H. C. Salter be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Alonzo S. Upham be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of I. S. Redfield, and on the 3d March last that of B. Ellis Martin, reported.

Whereupon

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of B. Ellis Martin; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of B. Ellis Martin, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 1st instant, the nomination of Abraham Cutler, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Abraham Cutler, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of James Lesley, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 12th December last, the nominations of William F. Smith and Henry W. Lockwood; on the 24th December last, the nominations of Lloyd M. Harrison, Louis C. Bailey, George W. Hoover, and George K. Sanderson; on the 21st March last, that of Samuel P. Carter; on the 26th March last, that of Andrew A. Humphreys, Thomas E. Maley, Charles A. Curtis, Alexander L. Watson and others, Franklin D. Callender, and William R. Palmer; on the 27th March last, that of Amiel W. Whipple; on the 31st March last, that of Charles Devens; and on the 1st instant, those of I. H. Baxter, Robert B. Mitchell, James G. Blunt, George E. Baldwin, Cuvier Grover, William J. Kane, Rufus Ingalls and others, Benjamin Alvord, Harry Porter, Napoleon B. Buford, Henry Bohlen, Max Weber, Alvin P. Hovey and others, George Cadwallader, James B. Ricketts, Lyne S. Metcalf, Theodore C. Bowles, William A. Murfery, Nathan G. King, Robert Holmes, Anthony L. Weaver, Daniel Mussulman, Wm. G. Le Duc, and John W. Williams, George T. Allen, and Augustus C. Hamlin and others, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 12th December last, the nomination of Louis Blenker; on the 24th December last, that of Julius H. Stahel; and to whom, on the 26th March last, was recommitted that of Henry C. De Ahna, reported.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of J. H. Baxter, Alexander L. Watson, W. H. Thorn, B. Beust, William W. Holmes, Thomas B. Catlin, John S. B. McMaston, E. Boyd Pendleton, S. L. Bigelow, Jacob Bockee, W. W. Nassau, William H. White, Alfred Hitchcock, Abraham Crispell, Thomas B. Reed, Horace Wardner, John B. Lewis, B. M. McVickar, F. G. Snelling, James C. Fisher, E. D. Dailey, J. T. Bradford, A. B. Shipman, James D. Hatchitt, Abram L. Cox, Alonzo J. Phelps, S. M. Hamilton, George T. Allen, Augustus C. Hamlin, William Dickinson, Ira Russell, Isaac I. Hayes, Henry Palmer, and Ferris Jacobs; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Ransford E. Van Gieson, Samuel R. Forman, William K. Van Reyper, Joseph Hugg, William S. Fort, Daniel M. Skinner, Edward C. Ver Meulen, and Edward A. Pierson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Harlan,

Ordered, That the Committee on Indian Affairs be discharged from the consideration of the nomination of Henry W. Reed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination ; and
Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment
of Henry W. Reed, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Edwin Ludlow;
and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment
of Edwin Ludlow, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the
United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary;

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appoint-
ment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 5th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 5th*, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Cap-
tain Truman Seymour, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, to be brigad-
ier-general of Volunteers.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Colonel John C. Caldwell, of the 11th Regiment of Maine
Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the
Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 5th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 4*, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of the governor of Maine, I have the
honor to submit the name of Colonel John C. Caldwell, of the 11th
Regiment of Maine Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Paymaster Henry Prince, of the United States Army, for
appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of
War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 5th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 5, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Paymaster Henry Prince, of the United States Army, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 5th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 5, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Wm. S. Smith, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *March 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, March 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Quincy A. Gillmore, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general of volunteers, for meritorious service at Savannah, Georgia.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Temple Clark, 5th Wisconsin Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 4, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 4, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Captain J. A. Rawlins, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, to date from February 16, 1862, for Major-General Grant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 5, 1862.

SIR : At the request of the Hon. Mr. Porter, I have the honor to submit the names of the following persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

John H. Ferry, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

John M. Blair, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate George W. Ford, of Missouri, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 5, 1862.

SIR : At the request of the Missouri delegation, I have the honor to submit the name of George W. Ford, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN:

WASHINGTON, *April 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 5, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of the Indiana delegation, I have the honor to submit the names of the following persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Mark L. De Motte, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Isaiah B. McDonald, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, ——— —, ———.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 5, 1862.

SIR: At the request of Senator Wilson, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in service of the United States :

Josiah M. Brodhead, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

Edward Walcott, of Massachusetts, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with much respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William Gaster, of Ohio, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 5, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Sherman, I have the honor to submit the name of William Gaster, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 7, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of J. H. McKay, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John B. Winslow, of New Jersey, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 5, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Hon. Mr. Cobb, I have the honor to submit the name of John B. Winslow, of New Jersey, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Thomas A. P. Champlin, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular appointments in the Army of the United States:

Eleventh Infantry.

First Sergeant Edward S. Huntington, of the Eleventh Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your most obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 5, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of George Williams, of Oregon, to be second lieutenant in the Fourth Regiment of Infantry, U. S. Army.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Clarke McDermont, of Ohio, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

Commander Charles Henry Davis having been commissioned in the interim of Congress as a captain, and Lieutenants Francis S. Haggerty, James R. M. Mullany, Matthias C. Marin, and C. R. P. Rodgers as commanders, I therefore nominate Charles Henry Davis to be a captain in the Navy, from the 15th November, 1861, vice Captain Lawrence Kearny, placed on the retired list; Lieutenant Francis S. Haggerty to be a commander in the Navy, from the 11th October, 1861, vice Commander

William May, deceased; Lieutenant James R. M. Mullaney to be a commander in the Navy, from the 18 October, 1861, vice Commauder Wm. Chandler, dismissed; Lieutenant Matthias C. Marin to be a commander in the Navy, from the 18 October, 1861, vice Commander Wm. S. Young, deceased; and Lieutenant C. R. P. Rodgers to be a commander in the Navy, from the 15 November, 1861, vice Commander C. H. Davis, promoted.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 4, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate August Bicker, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Schwerin, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Truman Seymour, John C. Caldwell, Henry Prince, William S. Smith, Quincy A. Gillmore, Temple Clark, J. A. Rawlius, John H. Ferry, John M. Blair, Geo. W. Ford, Mark L. De Motte, Isaiah B. McDonald, William Gaster, Josiah M. Brodhead, Edward Walcott, J. H. McKay, John B. Winslow, Thomas A. P. Champlin, Edward S. Huntington, George Williams, and Clark McDermont be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles H. Davis and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of August Bicker be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Temple Clark; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Temple Clark, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 13th March last, the nomination of Abraham Piatt, and on the 4th inst. those of Francis A. Field, Robert Allen, Judson Haycock, James A. Hall, James H. Van Alen, Braton Ives, Theodore Meysenburg, E. P. Halsted, J. W. Paddock, and Edwin C. Becker, reported.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas B. Kettle.

On motion by Mr. Harris that the resolution of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas B. Kettle be reconsidered,

Ordered, That it be postponed to to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That all nominations of general officers made since the commencement of the 37th Congress, together with the States and the rank in the regular or volunteer force from which the nominees were respectively nominated, and information showing the action of the Senate on the several nominations, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate First Assistant Engineer David B. Macomb to be a chief engineer in the Navy, from the 15th of September, 1861, to take rank next above Chief Engineer E. D. Robie; also First Assistant Engineer George F. Kutz to be a chief engineer in the Navy, from the 10th November, 1861, to take rank next above Chief Engineer A. J. Kierstead. These nominations are to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 7 April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution dated April 7, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas B. Catlin, of New York, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, April 8, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of David B. Macomb and George F. Kutz be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 1st inst., the treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States of America and the Ottoman Empire, signed at Constantinople, Feb. 25th, 1862, reported it without amendment.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the third of March last, the nomination of John M. Allen, reported.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 4th of March last, the nomination of Jesse Wherry, reported.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the consideration of the nomination of Samuel E. Brown.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel E. Brown, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Hale that the said resolution be reconsidered,

Ordered, That it be postponed to to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Robert B. Mitchell and James G. Blunt; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Sumner that all prior orders be postponed, with the view of resuming the consideration of the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, concluded at Mexico December 11th, 1861,

On motion by Mr. King that the motion of Mr. Sumner lie upon the table,

It was decided in the negative, { Yeas..... 10
Nays 27

On motion by Mr. McDougall,

The yeas and nays being desired by one fifth of the Senators present,
Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Chandler, Cowan, Hale, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Nesmith, Saulsbury, Wade, Wilkinson.

Those who voted in the negative are,
Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howe, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Stark, Sumner, Trumbull, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of Mo., Wright.

The motion of Mr. Sumner was then agreed to.

The Senate, as in Committee of the Whole, resumed the consideration of the said treaty; and

On the question submitted by Mr. Foote, the 4th of March last, to reconsider the vote striking out the second article,

It was determined in the affirmative.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the second article,

The question was stated, Shall the second article stand as part of the treaty?

Yeas, 19; nays, 12.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Harris, Howe, McDougall, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sherman, Stark, Sumner, Wade, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Clark, Cowan, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howard, Lane of Kansas, Powell, Trumbull, Willey, Wright.

A quorum not having voted,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 9, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 9, 1862.

SIR: At the request of the Maine delegation, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Neal Dow, of the Thirteenth Maine Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Major Samuel W. Crawford, of the Thirteenth Infantry, for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 9, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 9, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Major Samuel W. Crawford, of the Thirteenth Infantry, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer service, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 7, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Senator Harris, of New York, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John G. Farnsworth, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 8, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 8, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Charles O. Joline, of Ohio, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen. G. W. Morgan).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John Trimble, of Tennessee, to be attorney of the United States in and for the middle district of Tennessee, in the place of Herman Cox, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, *April 9, 1862.*

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To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Samuel H. Elbert, of Nebraska Territory, to be Secretary of the Territory of Colorado, in the place of Lewis L. Weld, resigned.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Neal Dow, Samuel W. Crawford, John G. Farnsworth, and Charles O. Joline be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Trimble be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of Samuel H. Elbert be referred to the Committee on Territories.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 26th March last, the nomination of Geo. P. Van Wyck, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 18th March last, the nomination of David M. Cohen, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of David M. Cohen, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 4th instant, the nominations of Jehu A. Burrough and others, on the 7th instant those of Charles H. Davis and others, and on the 8th instant those of David B. Macomb and George F. Kutz, reported.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion of the 8th instant to reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Samuel E. Brown.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion of the 26th March last to reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of John K. Russell.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Edwin D. Morgan; and,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Saulsbury that it be postponed indefinitely,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 17
Nays 18

On motion by Mr. King,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Clark, Fessenden, Foster, Harlan, Henderson, Howe, Latham, McDougall, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Saulsbury, Sherman, Stark, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Doolittle, Foot, Howard, King, Laue of Kansas, Merrill, Powell, Simmons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the nomination of Edwin D. Morgan be postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Sherman submitted the following resolution for consideration :

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Senate it is not expedient to confirm any governor of a State to an appointment as general officer unless he resigns his office as governor.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

Ordered, That the nomination of Justus McKinstry be recommitted to the committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate as in Committee of the Whole, resumed the consideration of the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, concluded at Mexico, the eleventh of December, eighteen hundred and sixty; and

The question recurred on the motion of Mr. Trumbull to strike out the second section.

The question was stated, Shall the second article stand as part of the treaty?

And it was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 27
Nays 13

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Henderson, Howe, Kennedy, Latham, McDougal, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Hale, Harlan, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wright.

So, two-thirds having voted to retain the second article, it was not stricken out.

No further amendment being proposed, the treaty was reported to the Senate.

On the question to agree to the amendment made in Committee of the Whole, striking out of the third article the following words: "Or embezzlement by any person or persons, hired or salaried, to the detriment of their employés,"

The question was stated, Shall these words stand as part of the third article?

And it was determined in the negative, { Yeas 1
Nays 37

Mr. Howard voted in the affirmative.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harlan, Henderson, Howe, Kennedy, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, McDougal, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

So the amendment was agreed to and the words stricken out.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, concluded at Mexico the eleventh of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, with the following amendment: Strike out of article 3 the following words: "Or embezzlement by any person or persons, hired or salaried, to the detriment of their employés."

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution; and on the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 27
Nays 11

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Latham, McDougall, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Willey, Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Cowan, Hale, Harlan, King, Lane of Indiana, Laue of Kansas, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wright.

So, two thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

The treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States of America and the Ottoman Empire, signed at Constantinople the 25th of February, 1862, was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment being made, it was reported to the Senate.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of commerce and navigation between the United States of America and the Ottoman Empire, signed at Constantinople the 25th of February, 1862.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution; and on the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 34
Nays 1

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Doolittle, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Laue of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

And Mr. King voted in the negative.

So, two thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. King submitted the following resolution for consideration :

Resolved, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be instructed to confer with the Secretary of War and the President as to how many generals are deemed necessary for the military forces; whether it is desirable to defer the appointment of any of the number that may be required for those who shall hereafter distinguish themselves in battle; and to inquire the reason for the change in the manner of making military nominations to the Senate by referring the Senate to some person or persons other than the Executive for the character of the nominee, or the authority upon which the nomination is made.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1862.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, the 31st of March last, the nominations of Edward May and others, reported.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, the 24th of March last, the nomination of John Loree, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, the 20th of December last, the nomination of Cyrus O. Poole, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Cyrus O. Poole, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William E. Webster, William Gallup, William H. Bennett, Green Clay, Bayard Taylor, J. S. Redfield, James Lesley, John M. Allen, George P. Van Wyck, Jehu A. Burrough, William H. Parker, Frederick H. Corrie, Charles H. Nye, Charles Henry Davis, Francis S. Haggerty, James R. M. Mullany, Matthias C. Marin, C. R. P. Rodgers, David B. Macomb, George F. Kutz, William W. Burns, Isaac I. Stevens, George W. Cul- lom, George W. Hoover, George K. Sanderson, Louis C. Bailey, and Lloyd M. Harrison, and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Wade the 21st of March last, "that the Senate reconsider the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Max Einstein," and

It was determined in the negative.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Jesse Wherry ; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Jesse Wherry to be receiver of public moneys for the district of Vermilion, in the Territory of Dakota.

On motion by Mr. Nesmith,

Ordered, That the nomination of John B. S. Todd be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion of the 31st of March last that the Senate reconsider the votes on the resolutions advising and consenting to the appointment of George M. Dodge and Edward R. S. Canby.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Foot the 6th of March last that the vote on the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of John Clark be reconsidered ; and

It was determined in the affirmative.

The Senate then proceeded to consider the nomination of John Clark ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Clark, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Francis E. Patterson ; and

After debate,

On motion,

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate, for its consideration with a view to ratification, a treaty between the United States and her Britannic Majesty for the suppression of the slave trade. A copy of the correspondence between the Secretary of State and Lord Lyons on the subject of the treaty is also herewith transmitted.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 10, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Thomas Moonlight, of Kansas, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen'l J. G. Blunt).

W. W. H. Lawrence, of Kansas, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen'l R. B. Mitchell).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Henry R. Mighels, of Missouri, to be assistant adjutant general with the rank of captain (for Gen'l S. D. Sturgis).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 10, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Richard F. Vanderveer, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Quincy C. De Grove, 2d, to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Nashville, in the State of Tennessee.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 9, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Cross to be surveyor of the customs for the district of Marblehead, in the State of Massachusetts, in the place of Joseph Gregory, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 9, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Joseph H. Elmer to be collector of the customs for the district of Bridgetown, in the State of New Jersey, in the place of William S. Bowen, whose commission will expire on the 3rd of June, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 10th, 1862.*

The messages were read.

The treaty between the United States of America and Her Majesty, the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for the suppression of the African slave trade, concluded at Washington the 7th of April, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the treaty, together with the message and accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Ordered, That the nominations of Thomas Moonlight, W. W. H. Lawrence, Henry R. Mighels, and Richard F. Vanderveer be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Quincy C. De Grove, John Cross, and Joseph H. Elmer be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, the 9th instant, the nomination of Samuel H. Elbert, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, the 4th instant, the nomination of G. H. C. Salter, reported.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 20th of March last, the nomination of Jeremiah T. Boyle; the 26th of March last, that of Isaac P. Rodman; the 4th instant, that of Joseph C. Breckinridge; the 7th instant, those of Truman Seymour, John C. Caldwell, Henry Prince, William S. Smith, Quincy A. Gillmore, I. A. Rawlins, John H. Ferry, John M. Blair,

George W. Ford, Mark L. De Motte, Isaiah B. McDonald, William Gaster, Josiah M. Brodhead, Edward Walcott, J. H. McKay, John B. Winslow, Thomas A. P. Champlin, Edward S. Huntington, George Williams, Clarke McDermont; and on the 9th instant, those of Neal Dow, John G. Farnsworth, and Charles O. Joline, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, the 31st of March last, the nomination of Levi Kline, reported.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Francis E. Patterson and Cassius M. Clay; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Amasa Stone; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the further consideration of the said nomination be postponed to the 1st day of May next.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Louis C. Bailey, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant of the Fifth Regiment of Calvary, June 8, 1861, vice Welsh, declined.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

That the Senate reconsider the vote on agreeing to the said resolution.

Ordered, That the consideration of the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the nomination of James W. Ripley; and

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secrétary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate J. H. Mansfield, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Bogota, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 14 *April*, 1862.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nomination of J. H. Mansfield be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, the 23d of December last, the nominations of Charles M. Allen, Elisha F. Wallace, Jasper Smith, Aaron J. Westervelt, and George F. Seward; on the 4th of February last, that of Chas. Welsch, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James P. Kimball, Henry M. Bowers, Amos B. Mott, Henry M. Swift, H. A. Lacey, B. F. Fefield, Stephen S. Balk, Franklin B. Crosby, Moses B. Walker,

Joseph B. Gilpin, Andrew J. Mackay, Seth Weldy, William B. Lebo, Thomas E. Maley, Charles A. Curtis, Franklin D. Callender, William R. Palmer, George E. Baldwin, William J. Kane, Rufus Ingalls, George A. H. Blake, William N. Grier, Eugene M. Baker, Alfred Pleasonton, Charles J. Walker, Henry E. Noyes, Richard H. Jackson, Frank S. French, Robert M. Hall, Egbert W. Olcott, Theodore K. Gibbs, Albert J. S. Molinard, William N. Dennison, Joseph G. Ramsay, Joseph A. Haskins, Lorenzo Lorain, George M. Fillmore, Robert H. Offley, Matthew R. Marston, Isaac D. DeRussy, Calvin D. Mehaffey, Henry C. Robinett, Kinzie Bates, Charles H. Hosmer, William C. Green, John Cusack, John C. Robinson, Samuel T. Cushing, Geo. H. McLoughlin, William Chapman, Charles D. Jordan, Electus Backus, Daniel P. Whiting, George W. Wallace, James J. Van Horn, Royal F. Frank, Samuel P. Ferris, John W. Means, Julius Hayden, Edward A. Ellsworth, William Fletcher, James Henton, James V. Bomford, James N. Caldwell, Daniel W. Benham, William J. Phelps, Harry Porter, Lyne S. Metcalf, Theodore C. Bowles, William A. Murfery, Nathan G. King, Robert Holmes, Anthony L. Weaver, Daniel Mussulman, William G. LeDuc, John W. Williams, Francis A. Field, Robert Allen, Judson Haycock, James A. Hall, Theodore A. Meysenburg, E. P. Halstead, J. W. Paddock, Edwin C. Becker, Joseph C. Breckinridge, J. A. Rawlins, John H. Ferry, John M. Blair, George W. Ford, Mark L. De Motte, Isaiah B. McDonald, William Gaster, Josiah M. Brodhead, Edward Walcott, J. H. McKay, John B. Winslow, Thomas A. P. Champin, Edward S. Huntington, George Williams, Clarke McDermont, John G. Farnsworth, Charles O. Joline, Amiel Whipple, and Cuvier Grover; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Edward May, Henry M. Denniston, Richard Washington, William H. H. Williams, Charles W. Hassler, Thomas C. Masten, Rufus Parks, Frank C. Cosby, Edwin Stewart, John Loree, Levi Kline, G. H. C. Salter, and Samuel H. Elbert; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Latham, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 11th instant, the nominations of Thomas Moonlight, W. W. H. Lawrence, and Henry R. Mighels, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Latham, from the said committee, to whom was referred, the 11th instant, the nomination of Richard F. Vanderveer, reported.

The articles of a treaty, made and concluded at the agency on the Kansas river, on the 15th day of November, in the year of our Lord 1861, by and between W. W. Ross, commissioner on the part of the United States, and the undersigned chiefs, braves, and headmen of the Pottawatomie nation, on behalf of said nation, was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and sundry amendments reported from the Committee on Indian Affairs having been modified, and the question being stated in the usual form on each of the said amendments, they were unanimously agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the further consideration of said treaty be postponed to to-morrow.

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 11, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-generals.

Colonel Jefferson C. Davis, of the Twenty-second Indiana Infantry, to rank from December 18, 1861, the date of the battle of Milford, where he captured over 1,000 prisoners.

Colonel Eugene A. Carr (captain Fourth Regular Cavalry), of the Third Illinois Cavalry, to rank from March 7, 1862, for distinguished service at the battle of Pea Ridge.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 9, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant Benjamin F. Smith, of the Illinois Volunteers (for Gen. John Cook), Sheridan Waitt, of Illinois (for General R. J. Oglesby).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 12, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 12, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Franklin Haven, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 12, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of Senator Browning, of Illinois, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Daniel P. Allen, of Illinois, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 12, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George F. Noyes, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 12, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John S. Fillmore, of Colorado Territory, to be additional paymaster, to date from August 26, 1861, and to expire July 1, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 12, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 12, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of the Senators from Iowa, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William A. Warren, of Iowa, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, vice Rankin, resigned.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 11, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 11, 1862.*

SIR: On the recommendation of Maj. Genl. J. E. Wool, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel John C. Robinson, of the 1st Michigan Volunteers (captain 5th Infantry), to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 12, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 12, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Stephen F. Elliott, of California, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Mahlon Wilkinson, of Dakota Territory, to be receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Vermilion, Dakota Territory.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit herewith, for the consideration and such constitutional action as the Senate may deem proper to take, a treaty, negotiated on the 6th March, 1861, between late Agent Vanderslice, on the part of the U. S., and certain delegates of the Sac and Fox of the Missouri and the Iowa tribes of Indians; also certain petitions of said tribes, praying that the treaty may be ratified with an amendment as set forth in said petitions. A letter of the Secretary of the Interior, with a report of the Com'r of Indian Affairs and letter of the present agent of the Indians accompany the treaty and petitions.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brigadier-General Ormsby M. Mitchel, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general by brevet of Volunteers, to date from April 11, 1862, for gallantry and meritorious conduct in the capture of Huntsville, Alabama, and for the capture of Decatur and Stevenson Junction.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

In consequence of the delay attending the approval by the Senate of the extradition treaty with Mexico, signed on the 11th December last, it is impossible to effect the exchange of ratifications of that and the postal convention of the same date within the period assigned by those instruments.

I recommend, therefore, the passage of a resolution, at the earliest practicable moment, extending the time specified in the 8th article of the extradition treaty and in the 12th article of the postal convention, for the exchange of ratifications, for sixty days from and after the 11th June next, the date of the expiration of the period named for that purpose in both instruments.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

On the 26th of June, 1860, the Senate approved of the treaty of friendship and commerce between the United States and Nicaragua, signed on the 16th of March, 1859, with certain amendments.

On the next day, namely, June 27, 1860, the Senate adopted a resolution extending the period for the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty for six months from that date, that is, until the 27th of December, 1860.

Although the amendments of the Senate were immediately transmitted to our minister in Nicaragua for submission to the Government of that Republic, he failed, notwithstanding earnest efforts, to induce that Government to call an extra session of Congress to take into consideration the amendments of the Senate of the United States within the supplementary time named in the resolution of June 27, 1860, for the exchange of ratifications.

It was not until the 25th of March, 1861, nearly three months after the expiration of the six months extended by the Senate resolution, that the Congress of Nicaragua acted favorably upon the amendments of the Senate of the United States.

A translation of the decree of the Nicaraguan Government approving the treaty as amended, with an additional amendment, is herewith inclosed.

It will be perceived that while the ratification of Nicaragua recites literally the second amendment of the Senate and accepts it with an additional clause it does not in explicit terms accept the first amendment of the Senate striking out the last clause of the sixteenth article.

That amendment is of so much importance that the adoption or rejection of it by the Government of Nicaragua should not be left to construction or inference.

The final amendment of that Government properly extended the time of exchanging ratifications for an additional twelve months. That time has expired. For obvious reasons connected with our internal affairs the subject has not sooner been submitted to the Senate, but the treaty is now laid before that body, with this brief historical sketch and the decree of the Nicaraguan Government, for such further advice as may be deemed necessary and proper in regard to the acceptance or rejection of the amendments of Nicaragua.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Jefferson C. Davis, Eugene A. Carr, Benjamin F. Smith, Sheridan Waitt, Franklin Haven, Daniel P. Allen, George F. Noyes, John S. Filmore, William A. Warren, John C. Robinson, Stephen F. Elliott, and Ormsby M. Mitchel be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Mahlon Wilkinson be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

The articles of agreement and convention, made and concluded on the 6th day of March, 1861, by and between David Vanderslice, agent on the part of the United States, and certain delegates of the Sac and Fox Indians, of Missouri, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said articles, together with the message and accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the message from the President received this day in relation to the extension of the time for exchanging the ratifications of certain treaties with Mexico; and Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution for consideration :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the extension of the time for the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for the extradition of criminals, signed on the 11th of December, 1861, to the term of sixty days from and after the 11th day of June next, any limitation contained in that treaty to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution; and

On the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the affirmative, {	Yeas.....	27
	Nays	9

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Kennedy, Latham, Morrill, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Simmons, Sumner, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Cowan, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, King, Lane of Kansas, Trumbull, Wade, Wright.

So, two thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative, the resolution was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Sumner also submitted the following resolution for consideration :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the extension of the time for the exchange of the ratifications of the postal convention between the United States of America and the United Mexican States, concluded at Mexico the 11th day of December, 1861, to the term of sixty days from and after the 11th day of June next, any limitation contained in that convention to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution; and

On the question to agree thereto,

It was unanimously determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

The article of amendment by the Government of Nicaragua, dated at Managua, the 13th March, 1861, to the treaty of friendship and com-

merce between the United States of America and Nicaragua, concluded the 16th of March, 1859, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said article, together with the message communicating the same, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was this day referred the nomination of Mahlou Wilkinson, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Mahlon Wilkinson, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 11th instant, the treaty between the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for the suppression of the African slave trade, concluded at Washington the 7th April, 1862, reported it without amendment.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the articles of a treaty with the Pottawatomie Nation of Indians, and the residue of the amendments reported from the Committee on Indian Affairs having been modified,

The question was stated, in the usual form, on each of the said amendments, and they were unaniously agreed to.

No further amendment being made, the articles of a treaty with the Pottawatomie Indians were reported to the Senate, and the amendments made thereto in the Committee of the Whole were unaniously concurred in.

Mr. Doolittle submitted the following resolution for consideration :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the articles of a treaty made and concluded at the agency on the Kansas River, on the fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, by and between William W. Ross, commissioner on the part of the United States, and the undersigned chiefs, braves, and headmen of the Pottawatomie Nation, on behalf of said nation, with the following amendments :

Article 1, line 19. After the word "surveyed" insert *the expense whereof shall be paid out of the sales of lands hereinafter provided for.*

Article 2, line 6. After the word "common" insert *designating chiefs and headmen respectively.*

Article 2, line 8. Before the word "children" insert *minor.*

Article 2, lines 10 and 11. After the word "thereupon" strike out the words, "to each head of a family desiring lands in severalty."

Article 2, line 13. Strike out the words "one hundred and sixty acres of land" and insert *to each chief at the signing of the treaty, one section; to each headman, one-half section; to each head of a family, one-quarter section.*

Article 2, line 31. After the word "tribe" insert *and of Indian blood, with the permission of the President.*

Article 3, line 3. After the word "adults" insert *being males and heads of families.*

Article 3. At the end of the 3rd article insert :

Provided, That before making any such application to the President they shall appear in open court in the district court of the United States for the district of Kansas, and make the same proof and take the same oath of allegiance as is provided by law for the naturalization of aliens,

and shall also make proof to the satisfaction of said court that they are sufficiently intelligent and prudent to control their affairs and interests, that they have adopted the habits of civilized life, and have been able to support for at least five years themselves and families.

Article 4, line 4. After the word "allow" insert one section to each chief, one-half section to each headman, and.

Article 4, line 5. After the word "each" insert *other*.

Article 5, line 46. Strike out the words "in not less than" and insert the word *within*.

Article 5, line 70. Strike out the words "paid for" and insert *patented*.

Article 6. Strike out the same and insert the following as

ARTICLE 6. *There shall be selected by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs three hundred and twenty acres of land, including the church, school-houses, and fields of the St. Mary's Catholic mission, but not including the buildings and inclosures occupied and used by persons other than those connected with the mission, without the consent of such persons, which shall be conveyed by the Secretary of the Interior to John F. Diel, John Summacker, and M. Gerillain as trustees for the use of the society under whose patronage and control the church and school have been conducted within the last fourteen years, on condition, however, that so long as the Pottawatomie Nation shall continue to occupy its present reservation, or any portion thereof, the said land shall be used and its products devoted exclusively to the maintenance of a school and church for their benefit. And there shall be reserved and conveyed, in like manner and upon like conditions, three hundred and twenty acres of land, including the Baptist mission buildings and inclosures, such conveyances to be made to such persons as may be designated by the Baptist Board of Missions.*

Strike out the 7th article of the treaty.

Strike out the 8th article of the treaty.

Article 9, line 23. After the word "mechanics" insert *and physicians*.

Strike out the 12th article of the treaty.

Strike out the 13th article of the treaty and insert the following as

ARTICLE 13. *It is hereby agreed that the Commissioner of Indian Affairs shall set apart, for the benefit of said allottees, their equal pro rata share of the improvement fund of the tribe, which sum so set apart may be expended in whole or in part by the said Commissioner and under his direction for agricultural purposes, as he shall from time to time deem expedient and for the welfare of the said Indians.*

The Senate proceeded to consider the said resolution; and unanimously agreed thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Edwin D. Morgan.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edwin D. Morgan?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 21
Nays..... 14

On motion by Mr. Davis,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Collamer, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Hale, Harris, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Powell, Simmons, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Carlile, Clark, Davis, Fessenden, Grimes, Harlan, Henderson, Howe, Pomeroy, Saulsbury, Sherman, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edwii D. Morgan, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 24th of March last, the nomination of Amos Perry, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Amos Perry, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Rufus Saxton and Charles Devens; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Carl Schurz; and On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Carl Schurz?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 28
Nays 8

On motion by Mr. Carlile,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Simmons, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Bayard, Carlile, Davis, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Stark, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Carl Schurz, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Nathan Kimball; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Nathan Kimball, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin Alvord; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin Alvord, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Howard,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George L. Hartsuff; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George L. Hartsuff, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Browning,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Napoleon B. Buford; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Napoleon B. Buford, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William S. Smith; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William S. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James H. Van Alen; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James H. Van Alen, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the President of the United States to return the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of William Gallup.

On motion by Mr. Sherman that the vote advising and consenting to the appointment of Wm. Gallup be reconsidered,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 16, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of Senator Harris, of New York, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Adolph Von Steinwehr, of the 29th New York Volunteers, to be brigadier-general, to date from October 12, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 16, 1862.

SIR: Upon the recommendation of Brigadier-General G. Wright, U. S. Vols., commanding Department of the Pacific, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel James H. Carleton,

of the California Volunteers (major in the 6th Regiment of Cavalry), to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 16, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

First Lieutenant Robert O. Selfridge, of the 3d Michigan Cavalry, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 15, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of First Lieutenant William C. Russell, of the Eighth Missouri Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain, vice Ludlow declined (for Gen. Schuyler Hamilton).

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 16, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

First Lieutenant Alfred B. Ely, of the Eleventh Connecticut Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen. Benham).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Daniel Holmes, of Pennsylvania, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1862.

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John H. Moore, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles McClure, of Pennsylvania, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 15, 1862.

SIR: At the request of Major-General McDowell, I have the honor to submit the name of Charles McClure, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States:

PROMOTIONS.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

First Lieutenant John V. D. Du Bois to be captain, February 21, 1862, vice McRae, killed in battle.

Second Lieutenant Frank Stanwood to be first lieutenant, February 21, 1862, vice Du Bois, promoted.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Alfred T. A. Torbat to be captain, September 25, 1861, vice Stith, dismissed.

First Lieutenant John Elwood to be captain, February 20, 1862, vice Robinson, promoted to the Second Infantry.

Second Lieutenant John B. Randolph to be first lieutenant, September 25, 1861, vice Torbat, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Edmond Butler to be first lieutenant, February 20, 1862, vice Elwood, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Martin Mullins to be first lieutenant, February 21, 1862, vice Mishler, killed in battle.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Joshua S. Fletcher, jr., to be captain, March 17, 1862, vice Peck, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Charles Bentzoni to be first lieutenant, March 17, 1862, vice Fletcher, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Oscar Hazen to be first lieutenant, April 3, 1862, vice Livingston, rejected by the Senate, and whose appointment in consequence has been revoked by the President.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Newton S. Dykeman to be captain, February 15, 1862, vice Tilden, dismissed.

First Lieutenant John Christopher to be captain, February 21, 1862, vice Bascom, killed in battle.

Second Lieutenant John Power to be first lieutenant, February 15, 1862, vice Dykeman, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Homer H. Clark to be first lieutenant, February 21, 1862, vice Christopher, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate First Lieutenant Colin B. Ferguson, of the Nineteenth Infantry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 14, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of First Lieutenant Colin B. Ferguson, of the Nineteenth Infantry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, vice Torbat, who vacates his staff commission.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George D. Cross to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Pawcatuck, in the State of Rhode Island, in the place of John Hiscox, whose commission has expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin Foxwell to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Lewellensburgh, in the State of Maryland, in the place of William H. Brown, whose commission has expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate W. A. Quynn to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Nottingham, in the State of Maryland, his late commission having expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 15, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Martin Metcalf, of Michigan, to be consul of the United States at Aguas Calientes, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Daniel R. Goodloe, Samuel F. Vinton, and James G. Berrett, all residents of the District of Columbia, to be commissioners under the act of Congress entitled "An act for the release of certain persons held to service or labor in the District of Columbia," approved this day.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, April 16, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Adolph Von Steinwehr, James H. Carleton, Robert O. Selfridge, William C. Russell, Alfred B. Ely, Daniel Holmes, John H. Moore, Charles McClure, John V. D. Du Bois and others, and Colon B. Ferguson be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of George D. Cross, Martin Metcalf, Benjamin Foxwell, and W. A. Quynn be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel R. Goodloe and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Latham, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 15th instant, the nomination of Stephen F. Elliott, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 26th March last, the nominations of Ward B. Burnett and Alfred H. Terry, on the 27th March last that of J. Napoleon Zerman, on the 1st instant that of Thomas Hynes, and on the 15th instant those of Jefferson C. Davis, Eugene A. Carr, Benjamin F. Smith, Sheridan Wait, Franklin Haven, Daniel P. Allen, George F. Noyes, John S. Filmore, William A. Warren, and John C. Robinson, reported.

MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Major Absalom Baird, assistant inspector-general U. S. Army, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17*, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Major Absalom Baird, assistant inspector-general United States Army, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Catherinus P. Buckingham, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Captain Henry Z. Curtis, assistant adjutant-general of volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen. S. R. Curtis).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Lieutenant George Merrill, of the Second Regiment of New York Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Lieutenant George Merrill, of the Second Regiment of New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Captain Louis Richmond, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Edwin D. Willard, of Dist. of Columbia, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

William B. Slaughter, of Wisconsin, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George Q. White, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Jacob Lowenthal, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin S. Lyman, of New York, to be marshal of the consular court of the United States at Fuh-Chau, China.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Alfred Russell, of Michigan, to be attorney of the United States for the district of Michigan, in place of William L. Stoughton, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON. April 17, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Brigadier-General James Shields, U. S. Volunteers, to be major-general, to date from March 23, 1862, for gallantry and good conduct at the battle of Winchester, Va.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named persons to be brigadier-generals of Volunteers:

Captain John Gibbon, of the Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Colonel George D. Bayard, of the First Regiment of Pennsylvania Cavalry.

Colonel George S. Green, of the Sixtieth Regiment of New York Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 21, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

John Jordon, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Assistant Surgeon William A. Hammond, of the Medical Department, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 18, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Army of the United States :

Assistant Surgeon William A. Hammond, of the Medical Department to be surgeon-general with the rank of brigadier-general, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

At the commencement of the rebellion a number of gentlemen who had formerly been officers of the U. S. Navy tendered their services to the Government. Amongst the number whose offers the Navy Department deemed it advisable to accept in May, 1861, and whose conduct and services have proved highly satisfactory and efficient during their employment, are the following, whom I deem it proper to nominate for restoration to the Navy, to fill the positions they would have occupied had they remained continuously in the service, viz :

Joseph P. Sanford to be a commander in the Navy, from the 6 June, 1861, to take rank next after Commander Fabius Stanly, and to fill a

vacancy occasioned by Commander T. D. Shaw being placed on the retired list.

Richard T. Renshaw to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 9th September, 1853, to take rank next after Lieutenant Pierce Crosby, and to fill an existing vacancy.

John Van Ness Philip to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 14th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant John H. Upshur, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Edward Y. McCauley to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 14th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant S. L. Phelps, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Pendleton G. Watmough to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 15th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Milton Haxtun, and to fill an existing vacancy.

James Parker, jr., to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Ralph Chandler, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Edgar Brodhead to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th of September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Lewis A. Kimberly, and to fill an existing vacancy.

John N. Quackenbush to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant John Irwin, and to fill an existing vacancy.

John S. Barnes to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th March, 1860, to take rank next after Lieutenant Joseph N. Miller, and to fill an existing vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 18th April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

At the request of James G. Berret I respectfully beg leave to withdraw his nomination to be one of the commissioners under the act entitled "An act for the release of certain persons held to service or labor in the District of Columbia," approved April 16, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, April 21st, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution bearing date the 11th of April, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Louis C. Bailey, of the District of Columbia, to be second lieutenant of the Fifth Regiment of Cavalry, June 8, 1861, vice Welsh, declined.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, April 21st, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Absalom Baird, Henry Z. Curtis, Catherinus P. Buckingham, Lonis Richmond, Edwin D. Willard, William B. Slaughter, George Q. White, Jacob Lowenthal, James Shields, John Gibbon, and others, John Jordan, and William A. Hammond be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Benjamin S. Lyman be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Joseph P. Sanford and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of George Merrill and Alfred Russell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 4th instant, the nomination of Alonzo S. Upham, reported.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, on the 17th instant, the nominations of Daniel R. Goodloe and Samuel F. Vinton, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel R. Goodloe and Samuel F. Vinton, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was recommended, on the 6th March last, the nomination of Moses Kelly, and to whom was referred, on the 9th instant, the nomination of John Trimble, reported.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of George H. Johnston, Richard F. Vanderveer, Stephen F. Elliott, Thomas Hynes, Benjamin F. Smith, Sheridan Wait, Franklin Haven, Daniel P. Allen, George F. Noyes, John S. Filmore, and William A. Warren; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Marsh, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States at Altona, in the place of Diedrich Kohlsatt, recalled.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Marsh be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

The treaty between the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for the suppression of the slave trade, concluded at Washington, April 7th, 1862, was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendments being made thereto it was reported to the Senate.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty between the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for the suppression of the slave trade, concluded at Washington, April 7th, 1862.

THURSDAY APRIL 24, 1862.

The following messages were received by the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the following persons to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps to fill existing vacancies, viz :

Robert L. Meade, of Tennessee, born 26 December, 1811.

Lyman F. French, of New York, born 5 March, 1839.

William Wallace, jr., of Maryland, born 18 October, 1837.

Edward C. Saltmarsh, of Massachusetts, born 15 October, 1840.

George G. Stoddard, of Massachusetts, born 24 April, 1837.

Charles F. Williams, of the District of Columbia, born 27 January, 1842.

A. Whittemore Ward, of Illinois, born 3d October, 1840.

James B. Young, of Pennsylvania, born 29 January, 1842.

John M. Reber, of New York, born 20 March, 1841.

Frederick T. Peet, jr., of New York, born 7 August, 1841.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 23 April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Horatio King, of the District of Columbia, to be a commissioner under the act of Congress entitled "An act for the release of certain persons held to service or labor in the District of Columbia," approved April 16, 1862, this nomination to be in place of that of James G. Berrett, withdrawn.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 22, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Colonel J. M. Tuttle, of the Second Regiment of Iowa Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 19, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 19, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of the Senators from Iowa, I have the honor to submit the name of Colonel J. M. Tuttle, of the Second Regiment of Iowa Volunteers, to be brigadier general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

H. L. Robinson, of the State of New York, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Isaac B. Curran, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States for the Grand Duchy of Baden, to reside at Carlsruhe.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Robert L. Meade and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of J. M. Tuttle and H. L. Robinson be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Isaac B. Curran be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Horatio King; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Horatio King, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 27th March last, the nomination of Thomas T. Crittenden, on the 17th instant, those of Adolph Von Steinwehr, James H. Carleton, Robert O. Selfridge, Wm. C. Russel, Alfred B. Ely, Daniel Holmes, John H. Moore, Charles McClure, John V. D. Dubois, and others, and Colin B. Ferguson; and on the 21st instant those of Absalom Baird, Henry Z. Curtis, Louis Richmond, William B. Slaughter, Jacob Lowenthal, James Shields, George D. Bayard, and George S. Green, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 20th March last, the nomination of John Burnham, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, the 17th instant, the nominations of George D. Cross and Martin Metcalf, reported.

Whereupon

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Martin Metcalf; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Martin Metcalf, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution submitted by him on the 22d instant providing for the ratification of the treaty with Great Britain for the suppression of the slave trade, and unanimously agreed thereto.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Daniel E. Sickles, Harvey A. Smith, and Charles F. Garrett be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John S. Albert be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 21st instant, the nominations of Wm. A. Hammond and Samuel W. Crawford, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Foster,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John Trimble; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Trimble, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of George Cadwallader; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George Cadwallader?

It was determined in the affirmative, {	Yeas.....	33
	Nays.....	8

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Foster, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, McDougall, Morrill, Nesmith, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Wade, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are.

Messrs. Fessenden, Grimes, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Sherman, Sumner, Trumbull, Wilkinson.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George Cadwallader, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred on this day the nominations of Harvey A. Smith and Charles F. Garrett, reported.

Whereupon,

On motion by Mr. Pomeroy,

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Davis submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States is of opinion that Lorenzo Thomas, Adjutant-General of the United States, ought not to fill that office; wherefore the President of the United States is advised by the Senate to remove the said Thomas from the office aforesaid.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Randolph B. Marcy, Seth Williams, Stewart Van Vliet, Geo. W. Cullom, and Julius H. Stahel; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the said nominations lie upon the table.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Nathan Reeve, Charles F. Clarke, and Henry C. D. Ahna; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of John Cochrane.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Cochrane ?

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 15
Nays 22

On motion by Mr. Powell,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Hale, King, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Nesmith, Rice, Sumner, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Bayard, Carlile, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Foster, Grimes, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of John Cochrane.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of James W. Ripley, George H. Thomas, Leonard F. Roys, Milo S. Haskall, Alfred H. Terry, and John W. Geary; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Henry W. Wessells.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry W. Wessells ?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 37
Nays 1

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Bayard, Browning, Carlile, Clark, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Trumbull, Wade, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

Mr. Lane of Kansas voted in the negative.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry W. Wessells, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry H. Lockwood.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry H. Lockwood ?

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 17
Nays 20

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foster, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Morrill, Nesmith, Sherman, Ten Eyck, Willey, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,
Messrs. Bayard, Chandler, Clark, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Hale, Henderson, Latham, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Stark, Sumner, Thomson, Wade, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Henry H. Lockwood.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of A. A. Humphreys; and

After debate,

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Hay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 11th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 11, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of Major-General Buell, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-general.

Colonel Jacob Ammen, of the Twenty-fourth Ohio Volunteers.
Colonel William B. Hazen (captain 8th Regular Infantry), of the Forty-first Ohio Volunteers.

Colonel I. W. Sill, of the Thirty-third Ohio Volunteers.

Colonel W. S. Smith, of the Thirteenth Ohio Volunteers.

Colonel Stanley Mathews, of the Fifty-first Ohio Volunteers.

Colonel Charles Cruft, of the Thirty-first Indiana Volunteers.

Colonel James S. Jackson, of the Third Kentucky Cavalry.

Colonel W. W. Duffield, of the Ninth Michigan Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Colonel Morgan L. Smith, of the Eighth Regiment of Missouri Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 26, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 26th, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel Morgan L. Smith, of the Eighth Regiment of Missouri Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 22, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit, in accordance with your instructions, the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel Julius White, of the Illinois Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April, 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23d, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel Josiah W. Bissell, of the Engineer Regiment of Missouri Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel Erastus B. Tyler, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general.

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Charles Hoyt, of Ohio.
George W. Woodbridge, of Ohio.
John H. Tighe, of Missouri.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 26, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Lieutenant Charles P. Pierce, of the Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 21, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Cyrus S. Haldeman, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant adjutant-general, with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. J. H. Van Alen).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Charles M. Prevost, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for General F. E. Patterson).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Robert R. Townes, of the 31st Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig.-Gen. J. A. Logan).

Lieutenant J. Bates Dickson, of the 12th Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig.-Gen. J. McArthur).

Malachi Martin, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 26, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lyne Starling, of Kentucky, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, to date from October 10, 1861 (for Gen. T. L. Crittenden).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Marcellus V. G. Strong, of New York, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Genl. W. K. Strong).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22d*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23d*, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the name of Lieutenant Benjamin F. Porter, of the Eighth Regiment of Michigan Volunteers, to be brigade quartermaster of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 22*, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Charles B. Flood, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 22*, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Henry J. Hunt, additional aid-de-camp and major in the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general.

Daniel E. Sickles, of New York, to be brigadier-general.

Henry L. Brown, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

George P. Webster, of Kentucky, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

J. C. Ramsey, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 25, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Joseph Justice, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

H. A. Conant, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

John S. Davis, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

G. F. Spillman, of Kentucky, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 26, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Medoren Crawford, of Oregon, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 22, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Joseph K. Wing, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

William G. Morris, of California, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

To be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Charles Goodman, of Ohio.

William Hooper, of Ohio.

James Brooks, of Indiana.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William Stoddard, of Pennsylvania, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 19, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of William Stoddard, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George Ely, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 26, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George S. Dodge, of Vermont, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigade surgeons.

Artemus Chapel, of Nebraska.

I. Theodore Heard, of Massachusetts.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Colonel Harvey Brown, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 25, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 25, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel Harvey Brown, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general by brevet in the Army of the United States, to date from November 23, 1861, for gallantry and good conduct during the engagement of November 22 and 23, 1861, between Fort Pickens and the rebel batteries.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Sergeant-Major Charles F. Miller, of the Nineteenth Infantry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 19, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Sergeant-Major Charles F. Miller, of the Nineteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant in the Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Sergeant-Major Frank Burnham, of the Fourth Cavalry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Sergeant-Major Frank Burnham, of the Fourth Cavalry, to be second lieutenant in the Second Regiment of Cavalry, vice Noyes, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate First Lieutenant William E. Merrill, of the Corps of Engineers, for promotion by brevet, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 22, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of First Lieutenant William E. Merrill, of the Corps of Engineers, to be

captain by brevet, for gallant and meritorious conduct in an engagement with the enemy before Yorktown, Virginia, to date from April 16, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Maximilian C. Gritzner, of the District of Columbia, to be consul of the United States for the Grand Duchy of Oldenburg, to reside at the city of Oldenburg.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John J. Cisco for reappointment as assistant treasurer of the United States and treasurer of the assay office at New York, in the State of New York, from the 22d day of May, 1862, when his present commission will expire.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby withdraw the nomination of Amasa Mason, of New York, who was nominated for the consulate at Manila, he having declined the appointment.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Jacob Ammen and others, Marcellus V. G. Strong, William Stoddard, Charles F. Miller, Erastus B. Tyler and others, Cyrus S. Haldeman, William E. Merrill, Joseph K. Wing, William G. Morris, Julius White, Henry J. Hunt and others, Charles B. Flood, Benjamin F. Porter, Charles Goodman and others, George Ely, Frank Burnham, Charles M. Prevost, Josiah W. Bissell, Joseph Justice and others, Robert R. Towner and others, Harvey Brown, Artemus Chapel, J. Theodore Heard, George S. Dodge, Morgan L. Smith, Lyne Starling, Charles P. Pierce, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John J. Cisco be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Ordered, That the nomination of Maximilian C. Gritzner be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Nesmith,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Medoren Crawford ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Medoren Crawford, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, the eleventh instant, the nominations of John Cross and Joseph H. Elmer, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the seventh instant, the nomination of August Bicker ; the

seventeenth instant, those of Benjamin Foxwell and W. A. Quynn, and the twenty-first instant, that of Benjamin S. Lyman, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President be requested to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Seth Weldy as 1st lieutenant of the First Regiment of Infantry.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Sherman submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Senate, nominations of aids-de-camp, under the act of August 5, 1861, are included among the officers who, by the Constitution, must be confirmed by the Senate.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Andrew A. Humphreys, Henry Bohlen, Max Weber, Alvin P. Hovey, William P. Benton, Jeremiah C. Sullivan, James C. Veatch, Pleasant A. Hackleman, James B. Ricketts, George M. Kellogg, Abraham Piatt, Brayton Ives, Jeremiah T. Boyle, Isaac P. Rodman, Truman Seymour, John C. Caldwell, Henry Prince, Quincy A. Gillmore, Neal Dow, Jefferson O. Davis, Eugene A. Carr, John C. Robinson, Thomas T. Crittenden, James H. Carleton, Robert O. Selfridge, William C. Russell, Alfred B. Ely, Henry Z. Curtis, Louis Richmond, Daniel Holmes, John H. Moore, Colin B. Ferguson, Jacob Lowenthal, Charles McClure, William B. Slaughter, John V. D. Du Bois, Frank Stanwood, Alfred T. A. Torbat, John Elwood, John B. Randolph, Edmond Butler, Martin Mullins, Joshua S. Fletcher, jun., Charles Bentzoni, Oscar Hazen, Newton L. Dykeman, John Christopher, John Power, Homer H. Clark, Absalom Baird, George D. Bayard, and George S. Green; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Shields; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 30
Nays 6

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Chandler, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Foster, Hale, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Kennedy, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, Morrill, Powell, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Thomson, Trumbull, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Cowan, Sherman, Simmons, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Foster that the vote agreeing to the said resolution be reconsidered,

Ordered, That the consideration of the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Chandler on the 13th March last that the vote agreeing to the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Fitz-John Porter be reconsidered; and

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Powell submitted the following resolution for consideration.

Resolved, That the acting Surgeon-General be directed to furnish a copy of the medical record in his office touching the standing, ability, character, and position of Doctor Hammond, recently nominated for the office of surgeon-general.

The Senate proceeded, by unanimous consent, to consider the said resolution; and on the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Powell that the Senate reconsider the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of William A. Hammond to be Surgeon-General of the Army of the United States,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Anthony,

Ordered, That the nomination of Julius H. Stabel be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Charles F. Clarke to be assistant adjutant-general.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas, that the Senate reconsider the vote on agreeing to the said resolution,

Ordered, That the consideration of the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

On the 19th February, 1862, Chief Engineer Wm. H. Rutherford was confirmed by the Senate, to take rank from the 12 August, 1861, and also Chief Engineer William H. Cushman, from the 16th October, 1861, agreeably to their nominations.

A subsequent arrangement of their positions, based upon relative merit, as exhibited by the record of examination of other candidates, shows that a change in their dates is not only just, but necessary.

I therefore nominate Wm. H. Cushman to be a chief engineer in the Navy, to take rank from the 29 October, 1861, and Chief Engineer Wm. H. Rutherford to be chief engineer in the Navy, from December 1st, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 29 April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Brigadier-General William T. Sherman, of the U. S. Volunteers, to be

major-general, for distinguished services in the battle of Pittsburg Landing.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 25th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the name of Corporal Mason Howard, of the First Regiment of Infantry, to be second lieutenant in the Fifth Regiment of Infantry, for gallant conduct at the battle of Springfield, Missouri, where he was wounded.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

In pursuance of the fourth section of the act of the sixteenth of January, 1857, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to promote the efficiency of the Navy,'" providing that reserved officers may be promoted on the reserved list, by and with the advise and consent of the Senate,

I nominate Commander Amasa Paine to be a captain in the Navy on the reserved list, to take rank next after Captain Oscar Bullus.

Lieutenant Charles Hunter to be a commander in the Navy on the reserved list, to take rank next after Commander Stephen Decatur; and

Lieutenant William Reynolds to be a commander in the Navy on the reserved list, to take rank next after Charles Hunter, nominated above for promotion.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 30 April, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles C. Lathrop to be collector of the customs for the district of New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 30, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of William H. Cushman, William H. Rutherford, Amasa Paine, Charles Hunter, and William Reynolds be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Mason Howard be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles C. Lathrop be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of William T. Sherman; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William T. Sherman, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, the 14th of April last, the nomination of J. H. Mansfield; the 24th of April, that of Isaac B. Curran, and on this day that of Charles C. Lathrop, reported.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Charles C. Lathrop; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles C. Lathrop, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 24th of December last, the nomination of Jacob Springstead; the 21st of April, that of Edwin D. Willard; and the 28th April, those of Charles P. Pierce, Cyrus S. Haldeman, Charles M. Prevost, Robert R. Towns, J. Bates Dickson, Malachi Martin, Lyne Starling, Marcellus V. G. Strong, John S. Davis, James Brooks, Artemus Chapel, J. Theodore Heard, Charles F. Miller, and Frank Burnham, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Samuel P. Carter; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel P. Carter, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

Ordered, That the nomination of Isaac B. Curran be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Seth Weldy for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 18, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Seth Weldy, now a private in the Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1862.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

A. E. Strickle, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Anselm Albert, additional aid-de-camp to General Fremont, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brigadier-General Edward O. C. Ord, of the U. S. Volunteers, to be major-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel George W. Roberts, of the Forty-second Illinois Volunteers, for

appointment, by brevet, of brigadier-general of Volunteers, for gallant service at Island No. 10.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Leonard L. Van Vliet, of Wisconsin, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Peter J. Osterhaus, of the Twelfth Missouri Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel George W. Taylor, of the Third New Jersey Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of First Lieutenant Joseph Hibbard, of the First Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Robert Williams, of the First Massachusetts Cavalry Volunteers, to be brigadier-general, for loyal and faithful service to his country.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Colonel William W. Morris, of the Second Regiment of Artillery, for promotion, by brevet, in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *April 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel William W. Morris, of the Second Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general by brevet in the Army of the United States, for meritorious service.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I respectfully request the Senate to return to me the nomination of Brigadier-General Ormsby M. Mitchell to be brevet major-general of Volunteers.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *April 30, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brigadier-General Ormsby M. Mitchell, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general of Volunteers, to date from April 11, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the capture of Huntsville, Alabama.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William J. McClure, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George D. Harrington, of Vermont, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 1, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Alfred Pleasonton, of the Second Regiment of Cavalry, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John Mills, of Washington City, to be a justice of the peace in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 2, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I beg leave to withdraw the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, which was sent to the Senate on the 28th of April, leaving the former nomination of April 25th for the action of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *May 2, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with the resolution of the Senate bearing date the 28th of April, 1862, I hereby transmit to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Seth Weldy to be first lieutenant in the First Regiment of Cavalry.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *May 2, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Seth Weldy, Anselm Albert, George W. Roberts, Leonard L. Van Vliet, Peter J. Osterhaus, George W. Taylor, Joseph Hibbard, Robert Williams, William W. Morris, William J. McClure, and Alfred Pleasonton be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John Mills be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of A. E. Strickle; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of A. E. Strickle, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of Edward O. C. Ord and Ormsby M. Mitchell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the Secretary return to the President the message of the 15th of April last, nominating Ormsby M. Mitchell to be major-general by brevet, as requested by the message of this day.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of George D. Harrington; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George D. Harrington, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, the 11th of April last, the nomination of Quincy C. De Grove, 2d, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 21st of April last, the nomination of John Gibbon, and on the 24th of April that of H. S. Robinson, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John Gibbon; and
Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Gibbon, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Nesmith, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 25th of April last, the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles, reported.

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1862.

The following messages were received from the the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed to the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 29, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to propose the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

A. E. Jones, of Ohio, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON.
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Captain Charles Griffin, of the Fifth Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John W. Hunt of New York, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Richard R. Corson, First Pennsylvania Cavalry, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen. G. D. Bayard).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Theodore Miller, of the First Pennsylvania Light Artillery, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. G. L. Hartsuff).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles K. Smith, jr., of Ohio, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 2, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Charles K. Smith, jr., of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 2, 1862.*

SIR: On the recommendation of the Hon. Mr. Arnold, of Illinois, I have the honor to submit the name of William Goldie to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate W. P. Jones, of Illinois, to be consul of the United States at Macao, in the place of Edward Harte, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *2d May, 1862.*

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of A. E. Jones, Charles Griffin, John W. Hunt, Richard R. Corson, Theodore Miller, Charles K. Smith, jr., and William Goldie be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of W. P. Jones be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Charles C. Lathrop to be collector of the customs for the district of New Orleans, Louisiana.

On motion by Mr. Chandler that the Senate reconsider the vote on agreeing to the said resolution,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

Mr. Fessenden, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, the 28th of April last, the nomination of John J. Cisco, reported.

On motion by Mr. Harris, the Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of J. Napoleon Zerman; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of J. Napoleon Zerman, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution submitted by Mr. Sherman, the 28th April last, relative to the nomination of aids-de-camp; and

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the following-named persons to constitute the levy court of the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia: Sayles J. Bowen and De Vere Burr, for that part of the county lying eastward of Rock Creek and without the limits of Washington; Joshua Pierce and Hamilton Loughborough, for that part of the county lying westward of Rock Creek and without the limits of Georgetown; Richard E. Crawford, Jenkin Thomas, and Robert White, for that part of the county lying within the limits of Georgetown; Nathan Sargent, Thomas Donoho, George H. Plant, and Samuel Drury, for that part of the county lying within the limits of the city of Washington.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 5th*, 1862.

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Sayles J. Bowen and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the Secretary be directed to request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of J. Napoleon Zerman to be a brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Sumner that the Senate reconsider the vote agreeing to the said resolution,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of H. L. Robinson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of H. L. Robinson, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Henry L. Brown.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry L. Brown, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Kings,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles; and

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1862.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, the 25th of April last, the nomination of John S. Albert, the 1st instant those of William H. Cushman, William H. Rutherford, Amasa Paine, and Wm. Reynolds, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the said committee, to whom were referred, the 21st of April last, the nominations of Joseph P. Sauford, Richard T. Ren-

shaw, John Van Ness Philip, Edward Y. McCauley, Pendleton G. Watmough, James Parker, jr., Edgar Brodhead, John N. Quackenbush, and John S. Barnes, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, the 5th instant, the nomination of Charles Griffin, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, the 15th of April last, the message of the President communicating certain proceedings of the Government of Nicaragua relative to amendments of the treaty of friendship and commerce between the United States of America and Nicaragua, concluded on the 16th March, 1859, reported the following resolution:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the adoption and ratification of the following amendment proposed by the Government of the Republic of Nicaragua to the treaty of friendship and commerce between the United States of America and the Republic of Nicaragua, concluded on the 16th of March, 1859, to wit:

After the following amendment, adopted by the Senate to the sixteenth article of the said treaty:

“But no duty or power imposed upon or conceded to the United States by the provisions of this article shall be performed or exercised except by authority and in pursuance of laws of Congress hereafter enacted,”

Add the following clause, viz:

It being understood that such laws shall not affect the protection and guarantee of the neutrality of the routes of transit nor the obligation to withdraw the troops which may be disembarked in Nicaragua directly, that in the judgment of the Government of this Republic they should no longer be necessary nor in any manner bring about new obligations on Nicaragua, nor alter her rights in virtue of the present treaty.

And also that the Senate advise and consent to the extension of the time for the ratifications of the aforesaid treaty and all the amendments hereby and heretofore duly made thereto and adopted by the respective Governments for twelve months from and after the date of the adoption of this resolution, anything contained in the aforesaid treaty to the contrary notwithstanding.

FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1862.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John J. Cisco; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John J. Cisco, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Joseph P. Sanford, Richard T. Renshaw, John Van Ness Philip, Edward Y. McCauley, Pendleton G. Watmough, James Parker, jun'r, Edgar Brodhead, John N. Quackenbush, and John S. Barnes; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of either of the said persons as nominated.

On motion by Mr. Harris that the Senate reconsider the vote on the said resolution,

Ordered, That the motion be postponed to to-morrow.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, the 2d instant, the nomination of George W. Taylor, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George W. Taylor, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That the nomination of J. H. Boucher be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The Senate proceeded to consider the resolution reported by him from the Committee on Foreign Relations, on the 7th instant, in relation to the treaty with Nicaragua; and unanimously agreed thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Ten Eyck,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of George D. Cross; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George D. Cross, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, MAY 12, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Anson Francis, jr., of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Brunai, Borneo, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 12th May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles Chase to be deputy postmaster at Winchester, in the county of Frederick and State of Virginia, in place of George B. Graves, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 12, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate dated May 6, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of J. Napoleon Zerman to be a brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, May 12, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Anson Francis, jr., be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles Chase be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia to whom was recommitted, the 26th March last, the nomination of William E. Prince, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 27th March last, the

nomination of Charles O. Howard; on the 1st April last, that of George A. Rowley; on the 21st April last, those of George Q. White and John Jordan; on the 28th April last, those of Charles Hoyt, George W. Woodbridge, John H. Tighe, Benjamin F. Porter, George P. Webster, Joseph Justice, H. A. Conant, Charles Goodman, William Hooper, Joseph K. Wing, William G. Morris, William Stoddard, George Ely, George S. Dodge, J. C. Ramsey, G. F. Spillman, Harvey Brown, and William E. Merrill; on the 1st instant, that of Mason Howard; on the 2nd instant, those of Seth Weldy, Leonard Van Vliet, Joseph Hibbard, and William J. McClure; and on the 5th instant, those of John W. Hunt, Richard R. Corson, and Charles K. Smith, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Daniel E. Sickles; and

On motion by Mr. Grimes that the Senate adjourn,

It was determined in the negative,	{	Yeas	5
	{	Nays	31

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Clark, Grimes, Lane of Indiana, Powell.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Kansas, Latham, McDougall, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri, Wright.

After debate,

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel S. Sickles,

It was determined in the affirmative,	{	Yeas	19
	{	Nays	18

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Harris, Henderson, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Latham, McDougall, Morrill, Nesmith, Ten Eyck, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Howe, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Sumner, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Daniel E. Sickles, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Howe,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of J. H. Mansfield; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of J. H. Mansfield, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Washington, May 3, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Stephen G. Burbridge, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 3, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

First Lieutenant John P. Wood, of the Nineteenth Indiana Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for General John Gibbon).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 5, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lieutenant W. B. Leach, First Minnesota Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

James D. Crolly, of New York, to be second lieutenant, vice Butler, promoted.

Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Sergeant-Major Frank W. Perry, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

First Sergeant George L. Choisy, of Company F, Fourteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

First Sergeant Thomas S. Wright, of Company H, Fourteenth Infantry, to be second lieutenant.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Lieutenant Francis Winslow to be a commander in the Navy, from the 6th of May, 1862, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the transfer of Commander F. S. Haggerty to the retired list, under the provisions of the act approved 3 August, 1861.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 7 May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate dated May 1, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of C. C. Lathrop to be collector of customs for the port of New Orleans.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, May 14, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Stephen G. Burbridge, John P. Wood, W. B. Leach, James D. Crolly, Frank W. Perry, George L. Choisy, and Thomas S. Wright be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Francis Winslow be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate proceeded to consider his motion of the 5th instant, that the Senate reconsider the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Charles C. Lathrop, and agreed thereto.

On motion by Mr. Chandler.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles C. Lathrop be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Erastus B. Tyler.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Erastus B. Tyler, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, the 5th instant, the resolution submitted by Mr. Sherman in relation to the nominations of aids-de-camp, reported in favor of its adoption by the Senate.

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 6, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 6, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

D. G. Swaim, of Ohio, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. J. A. Garfield).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 7, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named examined and approved candidate to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers:

Burkitt Cloak, of Kentucky.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 8, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 8, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Frederick Knefler, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain: John Bolye, of Illinois (for Brig. Gen. J. T. Boyle); Benjamin M. Piatt, of Kentucky (for Brig. Gen. A. S. Piatt); Charles H. Dustan, of New York (for Brig. Gen. D. Tyler); Captain P. T. Schopp, of the 75th Pennsylvania Volunteers (for Brig. Gen. H. Bohlen).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTEENT, May 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named examined and approved candidates to be brigade surgeons of Volunteers: Adam Hammer, of Missouri, John L. Le Conte, of Pennsylvania.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

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To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 10, 1862.*

SIR : Upon the recommendation of the commanding officer of the 18th Infantry, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for regular appointment in the Army of the United States :

EIGHTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

First Sergeant Gilbert S. Carpenter, of Company F, 2nd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

Sergeant-Major William H. Bisbee, 2nd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

Sergeant Merrill N. Hutchinson, of Company G, 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry.

First Sergeant John F. Hitchcock, of Company A, 2nd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

Sergeant Lucius F. Brown, of Company D, 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry.

First Sergeant Ebenezer D. Harding, of Company C, 3rd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

First Sergeant Augustus H. Meckling, of Company A, 3rd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 12, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 12, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

James C. Clark, of New York, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig.-Gen. T. Seymour).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 13, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 13, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States:

PROMOTIONS.

Adjutant-General's Department.

Captain James B. Fry, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, April 22, 1862, vice Talbot, deceased.

First Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant James B. Swain to be first lieutenant, February 24, 1862, vice Shulze, resigned.

Second Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Wesley Merritt to be captain, April 5, 1862, vice Holliday, deceased.

Sixteenth Infantry.

First Lieutenant John C. King to be captain, April 7, 1862, vice Acker, killed in battle.

Second Lieutenant William W. Arnold to be first lieutenant, April 7, 1862, vice Mitchell, killed in battle.

Second Lieutenant James C. Howland to be first lieutenant, April 7, 1862, vice King, promoted.

Sergeant-Major Edgar R. Kellogg, First Battalion, 16th Infantry, to be second lieutenant April 7, 1862.

Sergeant Samuel E. Saint Onge, First Battalion, 16th Infantry, to be second lieutenant April 7, 1862.

First Sergeant Patrick W. Houlehan, of Company A, First Battalion, 16th Infantry, to be second lieutenant, April 7, 1862.

Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Phisterer to be first lieutenant, March 24, 1862, vice Cash, deceased.

Nineteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Samuel S. Bigger to be first lieutenant, April 5, 1862, vice McMurdy, dropped.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 13, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 13, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Frederick V. Stewart, of Maine, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 13, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 13, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Carlos Dutton, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 14, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Lieutenant Montgomery Rochester, of the Thirteenth New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

APRIL 11, 1862.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 14, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant William Kesley, aid-de-camp to Brigadier-General A. Schoepf, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, vice Everett, resigned.

Edward A. Fobes, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William Price, of Maryland, to be attorney of the United States in and for the district of Maryland, in the place of William M. Addison, whose term of office has expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, *May 14, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Benjamin F. Lushbaugh, of Nebraska Territory, to be agent for the Pawnee Indians, in Nebraska Territory, vice Henry W. De Puy, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *May 14, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit herewith, for the constitutional action of the Senate, a treaty negotiated on the 13th of March, 1862, between H. W. Farnsworth, a commissioner on the part of the United States, and the authorized representatives of the Kansas tribe of Indians.

A communication from the Secretary of the Interior, together with a letter of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, suggesting certain amendments to the treaty and inclosing papers relating thereto, are also transmitted.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, *May, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brevet Major-General John E. Wool, brigadier-general United States Army, to be major-general in the Army of the United States for gallant conduct on the 10th day of May, 1862, in taking the city of Norfolk, Virginia, and for other gallant services.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

Fifth Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Wallace F. Randolph, of the 5th Artillery, to be first lieutenant, March 1, 1862.

Second Lieutenant Henry L. Gansevoort, of the 5th Artillery, to be first lieutenant, March 1, 1862.

Second Lieutenant Thomson P. McElrath, of the 5th Artillery, to be first lieutenant, March 1, 1862.

Second Lieutenant Henry F. Brewerton, of the 5th Artillery, to be first lieutenant, March 1, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 15, 1862.

SIR: By your direction I have the honor to submit the name of George F. Gardiner, of Connecticut, to be second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Artillery, U. S. Army, vice Hall, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel James B. McPherson, additional aid-de-camp (captain in the Corps of Engineers), to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Orson H. Hart, of ———, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. Sickles).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby nominate Isaac Newton, of Pennsylvania, to be Commissioner of Agriculture.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *May 16th, 1862.*

The messages were read.

The treaty concluded at the Kansas Agency, in the State of Kansas, on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1862, by and between H. W. Farnsworth, a commissioner on the part of the United States of America, and the chiefs and headmen of the Kansas tribe of Indians, being the authorized representatives of the said tribe, on the part of the same, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty, together with the message and documents accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of John E. Wool; and

Resolved, Unanimously, that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John E. Wool, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of D. G. Swain, Frederick Knefler, John Boyle Benjamin M. Piatt, Charles H. Dustan, P. T. Schopp, James C. Clark, Montgomery Rochester, William Kesley, and Orson H. Hart; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nominations of Burkitt Cloak, Adam Hammer, John L. Le Conte, Gilbert S. Carpenter, William H. Bisbee, Merrill N. Hutchinson, John F. Hitchcock, Lucius F. Brown, Ebenezer D. Harding, Augustus H. Meckling, James B. Fry, James B. Swain, Wesley Merritt, John C. King, William W. Arnold, James C. Howland, Edgar

R. Kellogg, Samuel E. Saint Onge, Patrick W. Houlehan, Frederick Phisterer, Samuel S. Bigger, Frederick V. Stewart, Carlos Dutton, Edward A. Fobes, Wallace F. Randolph, Henry L. Gansevoort, Thomas P. McElrath, Henry F. Brewerton, George F. Gardiner, and James B. McPherson be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Price be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of Isaac Newton be referred to the Committee on Patents and Patent Office.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom were referred, the 6th instant, the nominations of Sayles J. Bowen, De Vere Burr, Johua Pierce, Hamilton Loughborough, Richard R. Crawford, Jenkin Thomas, Robert White, Nathan Sagent, Thomas Donoho, George K. Plant, and Samuel Drury, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, the 14th instant, the nominations of John P. Wood and W. B. Leach, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was recommended, the 28th of April last, the nomination of Julius H. Stahel, and to whom were referred, the 14th, those of Frank W. Perry, George L. Choisy, and Thomas S. Wright, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was recommended, the 9th instant, the nomination of J. H. Boucher, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of J. H. Boucher to be a brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, the 12th instant, the nomination of Charles Chase, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles Chase, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, April 28, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Hiram Scofield, of the Second Regiment of Iowa Infantry Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Frederick E. Bliss, of the 40th Regiment of New York Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named examined and approved candidates to be brigade surgeons of Volunteers:

Daniel W. Wainwright, of New York, Aaron P. Dalrymple, of New York.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant F. W. Perkins, of New Hampshire, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

First Lieutenant Edmund R. Kersteller, of the 17th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. Milo S. Hascall).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel August Willich, of the 32nd Indiana Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Justus I. McCarty of New Mexico, to be brigadier general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 17, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction I have the honor to submit the name of Frederick Salomon, of Wisconsin, to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Colonel John M. Thayer, of the First Nebraska Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 17, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, May 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John R. Cannon, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 19, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Frank Work, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Moses C. Green, of New York, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *April 4, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, April 4, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Moses C. Green, of New York, to be first lieutenant in the Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry, to fill an original vacancy, vice Miller, declined.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edward G. Handy, of the city of Washington, to be a justice of the peace in and for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain: Captain Henry M. Burleigh, of the First Regiment of New York Volunteers (for Brig. Gen. Max Weber); first Lieutenant George W. Baldwin, of

the Fifteenth Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers (for Brig. Gen. Charles Devens).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lieutenant Franklin Erust, of the Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 19, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lieutenant Henry Howland, of the 51st Illinois Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 20, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lieutenant Elliott S. Quay, of the 7th Ohio Volunteers, to be assist-

ant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. E. D. Tyler).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 20, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Broughton D. Harris, of Vermont, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular appointment in the Army of the United States :

FIFTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

First Sergeant Romeyn H. Gray, of the 15th Infantry.

Battalion Sergeant-Major Samuel R. Honey, of the 15th Infantry.

First Sergeant William H. Heilman, of the 15th Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 20th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 20, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

SIXTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

First Sergeant Charles A. M. Estes, of the 16th Infantry.
Sergeant William G. Wedemeyer, of the 16th Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John D. Moore to be deputy postmaster at Columbia, in the county of Maury and State of Tennessee, in place of Ludwell H. Este.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 21, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Hiram Scofield, Frederick E. Bliss, Daniel W. Wainwright, Aaron P. Dahrymple, F. W. Perkins, Edmund R. Kersteller, August Willich, Justus J. McCarty, Frederick Salomon, John M. Thayer, John R. Cannon, Frank Work, Moses C. Green, Henry M. Burleigh, George W. Baldwin, Franklin Ernst, Henry Howland, Romeyn H. Gray, Samuel R. Honey, William H. Heilman, Charles A. M. Estes, and William E. Wedemeyer be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Edward G. Handy be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John D. Moore be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Elliott S. Quay; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Elliott S. Quay, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Broughton D. Harris; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Broughton D. Harris, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of John M. Huntington, on the 21st April last that of Catherinus P. Buckingham, on the 24th April last those of J. M. Tuttle and Julius White, on the 2d instant those of Peter J. Osterhaus and Robert Williams, on the 14th instant that of Stephen G. Burbridge, and on the 16th instant those of Burkitt Cloak, Adam Hammer, John L. Le Conte, Gilbert S. Carpenter and others, James B. Fry and others, Frederick V. Stewart, Carlos Dutton, Edward A. Fobes, Wallace F. Randolph and others, and James B. McPherson, reported.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 14th instant, the nomination of Francis Winslow, reported.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Patents and the Patent Office, to whom was referred, on the 16th instant, the nomination of Isaac Newton, reported.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 16th instant, the nomination of William Price, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William Price, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the Secretary request the President of the United States to return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle that the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh be reconsidered,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Harris that the nomination of Louis Blenker be committed to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate L. R. Roeder, of Wisconsin, to be consul of the United States at Hanover, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 22d, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Daniel Bowen, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at San Blas, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 22d, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 22d, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 22d, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-generals.

Colonel George W. Gordon, of Massachusetts.

Colonel Crafts J. Wright, of Ohio.

Major John T. Sprague, of New York.
Colonel Francis J. Herron, of Iowa.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Henry R. Dalton, of the Fourteenth Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General A. W. Whipple).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, to fill some of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862:

Surgeon Robert C. Wood to be assistant surgeon-general with the rank of colonel.

Surgeon Charles S. Tripler to be medical inspector-general with the rank of colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Second Lieutenant Charles H. Bradford to be a first lieutenant in the Marine Corps, from the 2d May, 1862, vice 1st Lieutenant Oscar B. Grant, resigned.

Edward P. Meeker, of New Jersey, born 20th June, 1837, and Louis E. Fagan, of Pennsylvania, born 16 February, 1842, to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps, to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 22 May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Assistant Surgeon Jonathan C. Bertolette to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Surgeon D. S. Edwards, retired list.

Assistant Surgeon Thomas W. Leach to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Surgeon James M. Green, retired list.

Assistant Surgeon William M. King to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Surgeon Daniel Egbert, retired list.

Assistant Surgeon Benjamin F. Gibbs to be a surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Surgeon William G. Hay, resigned.

Frank L. Dubois, of Pennsylvania, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Surgeon D. Bloodgood, promoted.

Samuel G. Webber, of Massachusetts, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice J. C. Bertolette, nominated for promotion.

Gustavus S. Franklin, of New York, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Thomas W. Leach, nominated for promotion.

Francis Minot Weld, of Massachusetts, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice Wm. M. King, nominated for promotion.

David W. Ballantine, of Pennsylvania, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22 May, 1862, vice B. F. Gibbs, nominated for promotion.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 22 May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Assistant Paymaster William T. Meredith to be a paymaster in the Navy, from the 20th of May, 1862, vice Paymaster L. D. Slamm, placed on the retired-list.

George A. Lyon, of Pennsylvania, born 23 December, 1837; H. Melville Hanna, of Ohio, born 23 January, 1840; Edward Bellows, of New Hampshire, born 28 April, 1840, and George F. Hall, of New York, born 5 July, 1838, to be assistant paymasters in the Navy, to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 22 May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate dated May 21, 1862, I herewith return to the Senate the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh to be agent for the Pawnee Indians in Nebraska Territory.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, May 24, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby withdraw the nomination of William M. Weaver, who was heretofore nominated for the office of consul of the United States at La Paz, and nominate for said office F. B. Elmer, of Missouri.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 26th May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Thomas P. Smith, of Massachusetts, to be consul of the United States at Napoleon Vendée, and withdraw that of Theodore Gen, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 26th May, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 23d May, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of J. C. Dorr, of Massachusetts, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 23, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

Captain Edwin M. Smith, of the 4th Maine Volunteers (for Brig. Gen. H. G. Berry).

Captain Hoffman Atkinson, of the 1st Virginia Cavalry (for Brig. Gen. W. S. Smith).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 26th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Fitz-Henry Warren, of the Iowa Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of volunteers.

Regimental Quartermaster Lorenzo D. Myers, of the Sixty-fourth Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 26, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Colonel John P. Slough, of Colorado Territory, to be brigadier-general.

Joseph P. Santmeyer, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 26th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain John H. Hammond, assistant adjutant-general of volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen. Wm. T. Sherman).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 26, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 26, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant Joseph B. Curtis, of the 4th Rhode Island Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for General Rodman).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 26, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Sergeant-Major Francis W. Fox, of the 14th Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. J. C. Veatch).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 26th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT
Washington, May 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Henry I. Latshaw, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 26th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

First Lieutenant Frank E. Walbridge, regimental quartermaster of the Second Michigan Cavalry, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John A. Hedrick to be collector of the customs for the district of Beaufort, in the State of North Carolina.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 27, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of L. R. Roeder, Daniel Bowen, F. B. Elmer, and Thomas P. Smith be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of George W. Gordon and others, Robert C. Wood, Charles Tripler, I. C. Dorr, Fitz-Henry Warren, Lorenzo D. Myers, John P. Slough, Joseph P. Santmyer, John H. Hammond, Joseph B. Curtis, Francis W. Fox, Henry I. Latshaw, and Frank E. Walbridge be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles H. Bradford, Edward P. Meeker, Louis E. Fagan, John C. Bertolette and others, William T. Meredith, and George A. Lyon and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, the Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry R. Dalton; and *Resolved,* That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry R. Dalton, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Morrill,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Edwin M. Smith and Hoffman Atkinson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Chandler,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of John A. Hedrick; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John A. Hedrick, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion of the 21st instant, to reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Benjamin F. Lushbaugh.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred this day the nominations of George W. Gordon, Crafts J. Wright, John T. Sprague, Francis J. Herron, John P. Slough, and Joseph P. Santmyer, reported.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred, on the 21st instant, the nomination of Edward G. Handy, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward G. Handy, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of James Q. Howard, reported.

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

James L. Fisk, of Minnesota, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Willard McKinstry to be deputy postmaster at Fredonia, in the county of Chautauqua and State of New York, in place of Charles J. Orton, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Bushrod Lott, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Tehuantepec, in the place of Peter Lott, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 29th May, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Bushrod Lott be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Willard McKinstry be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

On motion by Mr. Wilkinson,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of James L. Fisk ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James L. Fisk ; agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John M. Huntington ; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Huntington, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the President be requested to communicate to the Senate copies of all correspondence between the present Secretary of State and the minister of the United States at Paraguay, relating to the claims of American citizens on that country; and also all instructions to the said minister.

FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 19, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

E. W. Mitchell, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

A. D. Whiting, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 19, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 19, 1862.*

SIR: At the request of Brig. Gen'l W. Kimball, U. S. Vols., I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Toussaint C. Buntin, of the 14th Indiana Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant Thomas H. Collins, of the 13th Indiana Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 20, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 20, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Benjamin S. Roberts, major in the Third Regiment of Cavalry, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 24th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Hugh B. Read, of Indiana, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 24th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Henry B. Williams, of Massachusetts, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Theodore S. Case, of Kansas, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

Moses S. Gibson, of Wisconsin, to be additional paymaster.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 27, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 27, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Major Robert Allen, of the Quartermaster's Department, for appointment as brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with greatest respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 27, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William J. Kane, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, to date from August 28, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 28, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 28, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Tarrant A. Perkins, of Illinois, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit for your approbation the name of Colonel Joshua B. Howell, of the 85th Pennsylvania Volunteers, for appointment as brigadier-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

John G. Haskell, of Kansas; P. G. H. Morton, of Kansas.

To be commissaries of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Oliver Barber, of Kansas; Robert Graham, of ———,

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Henry S. Clubb, of Michigan, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 29, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of the Hon. A. Ely, of New York, I have the honor to submit for your approbation the name of John J. Bowen, of ———, for appointment as assistant quartermaster in the Volunteer force now in service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, May 29, 1862.

SIR: On the recommendation of the delegation from Wisconsin I have the honor to submit for your approbation the name of Hiram C. Bull, of Wisconsin, for appointment as additional paymaster in the Volunteer force now in service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Private Frederick W. Schaurte, of the 5th Cavalry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 29, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of

Private Fred W. Schaurte, of the 5th Cavalry, for appointment as second lieutenant in the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry, vice Ball, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Kirby Benedict, of New York, for reappointment as chief justice of the Supreme Court of the United States for the Territory of New Mexico, said re-appointment to take effect on the 14th day of June, 1862, when his present commission will expire.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John M. Brodhead, of the District of Columbia, to be a commissioner under the act of Congress, entitled "An act for the release of certain persons held to service or labor in the District of Columbia," approved April 16, 1862, in place of Samuel F. Vinton, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *May 30, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Asaph S. Bemis, of Buffalo, N. Y., to be supervising inspector of steamboats, in the place of Augustus Walker, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 29, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of Quincy C. De Grove, 2nd, who declines the appointment of surveyor of the customs for Nashville, in the State of Tennessee.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel C. T. Robbins, of Rhode Island, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Lieutenant Aaron A. Meredith, of the Wisconsin Volunteers, to be a commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 30, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Edward M. Tilley, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 30, 1862.*

SIR: Upon the recommendation of the commanding officer of the 12th Infantry, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular promotion in the Army of the United States:

TWELFTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

Sergeant-Major Thomas H. Evans, of the 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, May 25, 1862.

Commissary-Sergeant William McC. Netterville, of the 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, May 25, 1862.

First Sergeant Ebenezer C. Allen, of the 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, May 25, 1862.

Sergeant Thomas D. Urmston, of the 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, May 25, 1862.

Sergeant Richard H. Pond, of the 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, May 25, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Army of the United States:

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Corporal Edward A. Guthrie, of Company C, 1st Battalion, 11th Infantry, to be second lieutenant, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31st, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 31, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named sergeants in the Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry for appointment as second lieutenants in that regiment, as recommended by the regimental commander:

13th Regiment of Infantry.

Sergeant Thomas Little, 1st Battalion, to be second lieutenant, May 31, 1862.

Sergeant William Nelson, 1st Battalion, to be second lieutenant, May 31, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Charles M. Walker, of Indiana, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Gen. I. C. Sullivan).

Gilmore Jordan, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON.
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War,
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, May 31, 1862.

SIR: As requested by the Hon. Mr. Cox, of Ohio, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Charles Evans, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence of volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles Hubbard to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Hickman, in the State of Kentucky.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31st, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Clinton Cullum to be deputy postmaster at Meadville, in the county of Crawford and State of Pennsylvania, in place of Joseph O. Hays, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31, 1861.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William Finkler, of Wisconsin, to be assistant quartermaster of volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lewis Cass Forsyth, of the District of Columbia, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Allen A. Bradford, of Colorado Territory, to be an associate justice of the supreme court of the United States for the said Territory, in the place of S. Newton Pettis, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, June 2d, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby nominate Charles H. Loehr, of Philadelphia, to be consul of the United States at Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 2d, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Henry W. Diman, of Rhode Island, to be consul of the United States at Oporto, in the place of Thomas K. King, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 2 June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 22, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, May 22, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

To be assistant adjutants-general with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant Ephraim A. Otis, of the Second Minnesota Volunteers (for Brigadier-General H. P. Van Cleve).

Lieutenant W. B. C. Duryee, of ——— (for Brig. Gen. Abram Duryee).

To be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

D. N. Welch, of ———.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 22, 1862.*

SIR: By your direction I have the honor to submit the name of Lieutenant Charles Garretson, of the Seventy-sixth Pennsylvania Volunteers, for appointment as assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 22, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, May 22, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Thomas H. Collins, of the 13th Indiana Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 29, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain John E. Phillips, of the Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. Alvin P. Hovey).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John E. Phelps, of Missouri, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 30, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, May 30, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John E. Phelps, of Missouri, for appointment as second lieutenant in the Third Regiment of Cavalry, vice Stanwood, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 31, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 31, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain William T. Magruder, of the 1st Regiment of Cavalry, to be brigadier-general.

Cadwallader C. Washburn, of Wisconsin, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Samuel S. Smoot, of Minnesota, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 2, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 2, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Samuel Mayall, of Minnesota, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George W. Beaman, of Missouri, and Joseph T. Lisle, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant paymaster in the Navy, to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON CITY, 3 *June*, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Daniel Wann to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Galena, in the State of Illinois, from the 4th day of June, 1862, when his present commission will expire.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 2nd*, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *May 29*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *May 29, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain:

Lieutenant John C. Crane, of the 1st Missouri Cavalry Volunteers.

Lieutenant James F. Rusling, of the 5th New Jersey Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 3*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Washington L. Elliott, of the First Regiment of Cavalry, to be brigadier-general, for gallant service at Booneville.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Samuel S. Carroll, of the 8th Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

Charles Shields, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, May 23, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3d, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 3rd, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of James H. Odlin, of Ohio, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General Rosecrans).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 3, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Joseph W. Robinson, of ———, for appointment as commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Charles B. Norton, of the 50th New York Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Thomas J. Cox, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Major Robert Anderson, of the First Regiment U. S. Artillery, for promotion by brevet, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Major Robert Anderson, First Artillery, to be lieutenant-colonel by brevet, for his wise and heroic transfer of the garrison of Fort Moul-

trie to Fort Sumter, to date from December 26, 1860, and to be colonel by brevet for his gallant maintenance of the latter fort under severe hardships, with but a handful of men, against the threats and summons of a formidable army, to date from April 15, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4th*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 4, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel James D. Morgan, of the Tenth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 4, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force, now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant-Colonel William Chapman, of the Third Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 4, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major William Dean Colman, of the Missouri State Militia, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, with the rank of captain, vice Kellogg, resigned (for General D. S. Stanley).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 4, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William K. Kennedy, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, vice Musselman, declined.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William Wines to be deputy postmaster at Clarksville, in the county of Montgomery and State of Tennessee, in place of Charles O. Faxon, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 3, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 3, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Henry D. Terry, of the Fifth Michigan Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 4th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 4, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for regular appointment in the Army of the United States:

First Lieutenant William H. Bell, of the Third Regiment of Infantry,

to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, vice Bailey, killed in battle.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William Holden, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Frank E. Howe, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Gustavus Koerner, of Illinois, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Spain, in the place of Carl Schurz, appointed brigadier-general in the service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 6th June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Benjamin F. Whidden, of New Hampshire, to be commissioner of the United States to the Republic of Hayti.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 6th June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Erastus D. Culver, of New York, to be minister resident of the United States to Venezuela, in the place of Henry T. Blow, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 6th June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John J. Flanagan, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Puerto Cabello, to fill a vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 6th June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate for its consideration, with a view to ratification, a treaty of amity, commerce, consular privileges, and extradition between the United States and the Republic of Salvador, signed in this city on the 29th instant. It is believed that, though this instrument contains no stipulation which may not be found in some subsisting treaty between the United States and foreign powers, it will prove to be mutually advantageous. Several of the Republics of this hemisphere, among which is Salvador, are alarmed at a supposed sentiment tending to reactionary movements against republican institutions on this continent. It seems, therefore, to be proper that we should show to any of them who may apply for that purpose that, compatibly with our cardinal policy, and with an enlightened view of our own interests, we are willing to encourage them by strengthening our ties of good will and good neighborhood with them.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, May 30, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

In compliance with the resolution of the Senate of the 29th ultimo, adopted in executive session, requesting information in regard to the claims of citizens of the United State on Paraguay, and the correspondence relating thereto, I transmit a report from the Secretary of State and the documents by which it was accompanied.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 4, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of E. W. Mitchell, A. D. Whiting, Benjamin S. Roberts, Hugh B. Read, Henry B. Williams, Theodore S. Case, Moses S. Gibson, Robert Allen, William J. Kane, Tarrant A. Perkins, Joshua B. Howell, John G. Haskell, P. G. H. Morton, Oliver Barber, Robert Graham, Henry S. Clubb, John J. Bowen, Hiram C. Bull, Frederick W. Schaurte, C. T. Robbins, Aaron A. Meredith, Edward M. Tilley, Thomas H. Evans, William McC. Netterville, Ebenezer C. Allen, Thomas D. Urmston, Richard H. Pond, Edward A. Guthrie, Thomas Little, William Nelson, Charles M. Walker, Gilmore Jordan, George Evans, William Finkler, Lewis Cass Forsyth, Ephraim A. Otis, W. B. C. Duryee, D. N. Welch, Charles Garretson, Thomas H. Collins, John E. Phillips, John E. Phelps, William T. Magruder, Cadwallader C. Washburne, Samuel S. Smoot, Samuel Mayall, John O. Craue, James F. Rusling, Washington L. Elliott, Samuel S. Carroll, Charles Shields,

James H. Odlin, Joseph W. Robinson, Charles B. Norton, Thomas J. Cox, Robert Anderson, James D. Morgan, William Chapman, William Dean Coleman, William K. Kennedy, Henry D. Terry, William H. Bell, William Holden, and Frank E. Howe be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of John M. Brodhead be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Asaph F. Bemis, Charles Hubbard, Charles H. Loehr, Henry W. Diman, Daniel Wann, and John J. Flanagan be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Clinton Cullum and William Wines be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nominations of George W. Beaman and Joseph T. Lisle be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of Gustavus Koerner, Benjamin F. Whidden, and Erastus D. Culver be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The general treaty of amity, consular privileges, and extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Salvador, concluded at the city of Washington on the 29th of May, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaty be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and, together with the message, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the correspondence between the Secretary of State and the minister of the United States at Paraguay, relating to the claims of American citizens on that country, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Kirby Benedict; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Kirby Benedict, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Allen A. Bradford; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Allen A. Bradford, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 29th of May last, the nomination of Willard McKinstry, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Willard McKinstry, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 26th March last, the nomination of Geo. W. B. Tompkins; on the 28th April last those of Jacob Ammen and others, and Morgan L. Smith; on the 2nd May last that of Wm. W. Morris; on the 21st May those of Hiram Scofield, Frederick E. Bliss, Daniel W. Wainwright, Aaron P. Dalrymple, F. W. Perkins, Edmund R. Kerstetter, August Willich, Frederick Salomon, John M. Thayer, John R. Cannon, Frank Work, Moses C. Green, Henry

M. Burleigh, Geo. W. Baldwin, Franklin Ernst, and Henry Howland; on the 28th May those of Fitz Henry Warren, Lorenzo D. Myers, John H. Hammond, Joseph B. Curtis, Francis W. Fox, Henry I. Latschaw, Frank E. Walbridge; and on the 6th instant, those of E. W. Mitchel, A. D. Whiting, and Theodore S. Case, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was re-committed, on the 24th April last, the nomination of Isaac B. Curran, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 5th May last, the nomination of W. P. Jones; on the 12th May that of Anson Francis, jr., and on the 28th May those of Daniel Bowen, F. B. Elmer, and Thomas P. Smith, and on the 29th of May that of Bushrod Lott, reported.

MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 5, 1862.*

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, to fill some of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862 :

Surgeon John M. Cuyler to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Surgeon Richard H. Coolidge to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Surgeon Charles C. Keeney to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Assistant Surgeon Edward P. Vollum to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Brigade Surgeon George H. Lyman to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 6th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 6, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John H. Nichols, jr., of New York, for appointment as second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Cavalry, vice Hall, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 6, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Washington, June 6, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Joseph T. Ford, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 7th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Washington, June 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named persons for appointment in the Army of the United States :

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Corporal Abram A. Harbach, of the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, to be second lieutenant, vice Ellsworth, promoted.

Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Private John P. Decker, of the Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be second lieutenant, vice Hollbrook, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 7th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Albion P. Howe, of the 4th Regiment of Artillery, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 7th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

James I. David, of Michigan, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 7th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Daniel Heaney, of the Second Minnesota Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 7th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 7th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain George E. Flynt, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen. G. H. Thomas).

Captain Placidus Ord, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen. E. O. C. Ord).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 9, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Charles C. Dwight, of the 75th New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. S. G. Arnold.)

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 9, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 9, 1862.

SIR: By your direction, I have the honor to submit the name of Alfred B. Farnsworth, of ———, for appointment as second lieutenant in the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, U. S. Army, vice Fletcher, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Julius W. Eggleston to be deputy postmaster at New London, in the county of New London and State of Connecticut, in place of Stanly G. Trott, whose commission has expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June —, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John M. Cuyler and others, John H. Nichols, Joseph T. Ford, Atram A. Harbach, John P. Decker, Ab-bion P. Howe, James I. Daniels, Daniel Heaney, George E. Flynt, Placidus Ord, Charles C. Dwight, and Alfred B. Farnsworth be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Julius W. Eggleston be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the nomination of John M. Brodhead, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Brodhead, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Adolph Von Steinwehr, Charles Griffin, Frank W. Perry, George L. Choisy, Thomas S. Wright, J. M. Tuttle, Julius White, Peter J. Osterhaus, Stephen G. Burbridge, Burkitt Cloak, John L. Leconte, Gilbert S. Carpenter, Wm. H. Bisbee, Merrill N. Hutchinson, John F. Hitchcock, Lucius F. Brown, Ebenezer D. Harding, Augustus H. Meckling, James B. Fry, James B. Swain, Wesley Merritt, John C. King, William W. Arnold, James C. Howland, Edgar R. Kellogg, Samuel E. Saint Onge, Patrick W. Houlehan, Frederick Phisterer, Samuel S. Bigger, Frederick V. Stewart, Carlos Dutton, Edward A. Fobes, Wallace F. Randolph, Henry L. Gansevoort, Thomson P. McElrath, Henry Brewerton, George W. Gordon, William W. Morris, Hiram Scofield, Loreuzo D. Myers, Frederick E. Bliss, Daniel W. Wainright, Aaron P. Dalrymple, F. W. Perkins, Edmund R. Kersteller, Frank Work, Henry M. Burleigh, George W. Baldwin, Franklin Ernst, Henry Howland, John R. Cannon, John H. Hammond, Joseph B. Curtis, Francis W. Fox, Henry I. Latshaw, Frank E. Woodbridge, E. W. Mitchel, A. D. Whiting, Theodore S. Case, James Q. Howard, James H. Odlin, John Burnham, August Bicker, John Cross, Joseph H. Elmer, Benjamin Foxwell, W. A. Quynn, Benjamin S. Lyman, John S. Albert, William H. Cushman, William H. Rutherford, Amasa Paine, Charles Hunter, William Reynolds, Francis Winslow, W. P. Jones, Anson Francis, jr., Daniel Bowen, F. B. Elmer, Thomas P. Smith, and Bushrod Lott; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Edward M. Tilley.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward M. Tilley, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion, by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Henry B. Williams.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry B. Williams, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be

discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Charles M. Walker.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination, and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles M. Walker, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William E. Prince; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William E. Prince, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Hale submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and agreed to:

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to inform the Senate how many brigadier-generals are supposed to be necessary for the service of the United States with the number of men authorized by existing laws, and what is the basis upon which the necessary number is calculated.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate A. V. S. Lindsley to be deputy postmaster at Nashville, in the county of Davidson and State of Tennessee, in place John Lellyett, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 10, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 9, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major Zealous B. Tower, of the Corps of Engineers, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers, November 23, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 9th, 1862.

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WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 9, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Green Clay Smith, of Kentucky, to be brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Alvin Flanders, of California, to be register of the land office at Humboldt, California, vice Jno. M. Eddy, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *June 6, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Second Lieutenant Robert L. Gardner, of the 23d Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 9, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Joseph Thoburn, of Virginia, to be brigadier-general of volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 9, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 9, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant John Earnshaw, of the Sixth Indiana Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant Calvert W. Cowan, of the 16th Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. S. P. Carter).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 9th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

R. W. Clark, of Vermont, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain, vice Harris, declined.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Christopher P. Wolcot, of Ohio, for appointment as Assistant Secretary of War, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 10, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Christopher P. Wolcot, of Ohio, for appointment as Assistant Secretary of War, vice Thomas A. Scott, resigned.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Jehoida J. Ware, of Arkansas, to be register of the land office at Batesville, Arkansas, vice Wm. W. Lewis, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *June 11th, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate A. Cameron Hunt, of Colorado Territory, to be marshal of the United States for the said Territory, in place of Copeland Townsend, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of A. Cameron Hunt be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nomination of A. V. S. Lindsley be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nominations of Alvan Flanders and Jehoida J. Ware be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Ordered, That the nominations of Robert L. Gardner, Joseph Thoburn, John Earnshaw, Calvert W. Cowan, and Christopher P. Wolcot be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Zealous B. Tower; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Zealous B. Tower, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Green Clay Smith; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Green Clay Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of R. W. Clark; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of R. W. Clark, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the consideration of the nomination of Christopher P. Wolcot; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Christopher P. Wolcot, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the nomination of Gustavus Koerner, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 21st March last, the nomination of Edward D. Payne, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward D. Payne, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 28th May last, the nominations of William T. Meredith, George A. Lyon, H. Melville Hanna, Edward Bellows, George T. Hall, George W. Beaman, and Joseph T. Lisle, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 24th April last, the nomination of Robert L. Meade and others; and, on the 28th May last, the nominations of Charles H. Brad-

ford, Edward P. Meeker, Louis E. Fagan, and John C. Bertolette, and others, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of John B. S. Todd; on the 13th March last, that of James Steedman; on the 24th March last, that of Benjamin W. Brice, and on the 6th instant, that of Samuel S. Smoot, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 9th instant, the nomination of Julius W. Eggleston, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Julius W. Eggleston, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 28th May last, the nomination of J. C. Dorr; on the 6th instant, those of Toussaint C. Buntin, William J. Kane, John G. Haskell, P. G. H. Morton, Oliver Barber, Henry S. Clubb, Frederick W. Schaurte, Aaron A. Meredith, Thomas H. Evans, William McC. Netterville, Ebenezer C. Allen, Thomas D. Urnston, Richard H. Pond, Edward A. Guthrie, Thomas Little, William Nelson, Gilmore Jordan, George Evans, William Finkler, Lewis Cass Forsyth, Ephraim A. Otis, W. B. C. Duryee, Charles Garretson, Thomas H. Collins, John E. Phillips, John E. Phelps, Samuel Mayall, John C. Crane, James F. Rusling, Washington L. Elliott, Charles Shields, Charles B. Norton, Thomas J. Cox, William Dean Coleman, William R. Kennedy, William Holden, Frank E. Howe; and on the 9th instant, those of Richard H. Coolidge, Charles C. Keeney, Edward P. Vollum, George H. Lyman, Joseph T. Ford, Abram A. Harbach, John P. Decker, Albion P. Howe, James J. David, Daniel Heaney, George E. Flynt, William H. Bell, and Charles C. Dwight, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 28th April last, the nominations of Jacob Ammen, William B. Hazen, J. W. Sill, Stanly Mathews, James S. Jackson, W. W. Duffield, and Josiah W. Bissell; on the 20th May last, that of Anselm Albert; on the 5th May, that of A. E. Jones; on the 28th May, that of Robert C. Wood, and on the 6th instant, those of Benjamin S. Roberts, Hugh B. Read, Robert Allen, Joshua B. Howell, C. T. Robbins, William T. Magruder, and Cadwalader C. Washburn, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John M. Cuyler; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Cuyler?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 19
Nays 17

On motion by Mr. Browning,

The yeas and nays being desired by one fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Foster, Harris, King, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Powell, Saulsbury, Stark, Ten Eyck, Willey.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Fessenden, Grimes, Hale, Howard, Harlan,

Lane of Indiana, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John M. Cuyler, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Pomeroy, the 25th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Henry H. Lockwood; and

On the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas..... 27
Nays..... 8

On motion by Mr. Saulsbury,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Carlile, Grimes, Latham, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Stark, Wright.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry H. Lockwood?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas..... 26
Nays..... 9

On motion by Mr. Saulsbury,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Carlile, Davis, Grimes, Latham, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Stark, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry H. Lockwood, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Robert Graham.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Robert Graham, agreeably to the nomination.

THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 10, 1862.

SIR: By your direction I have the honor to submit the name of William E. Woodruff, of Kentucky, for appointment as brigadier-general of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States to fill one of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862:

Brigade Surgeon George T. Allen to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Medical Department in the Army of the United States to fill one of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862:

Brigade Surgeon John L. Leconte to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Udo Von Francois, of the 29th New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers (for Gen. A. von Steinwehp).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

R. C. Morgan, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

James G. Edwards, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

Friend S. Rutherford, of Illinois, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of William E. Woodruff, George T. Allen, John Leconte, Udo von Francois, R. C. Morgan, James G. Edwards, and Friend S. Rutherford be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Mr. Ten Eyck, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 22d April last, the nomination of William Marsh, and on the 28th April that of Maximilian C. Gritzner, reported.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Latham, on the 21st March last, that the Senate reconsider the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas Clowes.

On the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the negative,	{	Yeas	15
		Nays	21

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Browning, Cowan, Harris, Kennedy, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Stark, Ten Eyck, Willey, and Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Anthony, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Henderson, Howard, King, Latham, Morrill, Simmons, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilmot.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 11th instant, the nomination of A. V. S. Lindsley, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of A. V. S. Lindsley, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Amasa Stone; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the said nomination lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Harris, on the 9th May last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Joseph P. Sanford, Richard T. Renshaw, John Van Ness Philip, Edward Y. McCawley, Pendleton G. Watmough, James Parker, jr., Edgar Brodhead, John N. Quackenbush, and John S. Barnes; and

On the question to agree thereto,

It was determined in the negative,	{	Yeas.....	10
		Nays.....	25

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Browning, Dixon, Harris, Henderson, King, Latham, McDougall, Simmons, Stark, Willey.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Anthony, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Howard, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wright.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Sumner, on the 6th May last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of J. Napoleon Zerman, and agreed thereto.

On motion by Mr. Howard that the nomination of J. Napoleon Zerman be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia,

It was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,
Ordered, That the said nomination lie upon the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Foster, on the 28th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of James Shields; and

On motion by Mr. Grimes,
Ordered, That the said motion lie upon the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Wilson, of Mass., on the 26th March last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Jefferson H. Nones; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,
Ordered, That the said motion lie upon the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, on the 11th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Louis C. Bailey, and agreed thereto.

On motion by Mr. Howard,
Ordered, That the nomination of Louis C. Bailey lie upon the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Wilson, of Mass., on the 28th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution that the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Charles F. Clarke, and agreed thereto; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles F. Clarke, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Harris, on the 7th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas B. Catlin; and

On motion by Mr. Harris,
Ordered, That the said motion lie upon the table.

On motion by Mr. Powell that the Senate adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, {	Yeas	13
	Nays	20

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,
The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Cowan, Davis, Henderson, Howard, King, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Powell, Sumner, Trumbull, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Clark, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Harlan, Harris, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Latham, Morrill, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Massachusetts.

No quorum having voted,

On motion by Mr. Foot that the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to request the attendance of absent members,

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 11, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Walter B. Scates, of Illinois, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen. J. A. McClernand).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 11, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional paymasters in the service of the United States, viz:

George W. Burns, of Illinois; James W. Wilson, of California; Ellery W. Eddy, of Rhode Island; Georg P. Webster, of Kentucky; William S. Biddle, of Michigan; Hoel K. Lawrence, of Wisconsin; Silas B. A. Haynes, of Wisconsin; John R. Atkinson, of Missouri; Samuel A. Lane, of New York; John L. Cocke, of Ohio; Samuel B. Henry, of Pennsylvania; C. W. Terrell, of Kentucky.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 12th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 12, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Reuben C. Kise, adjutant of the Tenth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. M. D. Manson).

George Dwight, of Massachusetts, to be additional paymaster.

I am, sir, with much respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 12, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Samuel Black, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate John R. Cravens, of Indiana, for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 12, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John R. Cravens, of Indiana, for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, June 12, 1862

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States to fill one of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862: Brigade Surgeon William H. Mussey, of Ohio, to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 12, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 12, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Timothy D. Smith, of Minnesota, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Walter B. Scates, George W. Burns, and others, Reuben C. Kise, George Dwight, Samuel Black, John R. Cravens, William H. Mussey, and Timothy D. Smith be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. Latham,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of James M. Wilson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James M. Wilson, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the nominations of Asaph S. Bemis, Charles Hubbard, Charles H. Loehr, Henry W. Diman, Daniel Wann, and John J. Flanagan, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 22d January last, the nomination of Charles L. Stephenson, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles L. Stephenson, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Robert C. Wood; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Robert C. Wood, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Latham.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Sam'l S. Smoot; and

Ordered, That the nomination of Samuel S. Smoot be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Louis Blenker; and

Ordered, That the said nomination be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Moses C. Green; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Moses C. Green, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of George T. Allen.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George T. Allen, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the consideration of the nomination of William H. Mussey.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William H. Mussey, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Carlile that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Moses C. Green,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. King that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Asaph S. Bemis,

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

Mr. King presented the petition of John D. Shepherd and others, residents of the city of Buffalo, in the State of New York, remonstrating against the appointment of Asaph S. Bemis to be supervising inspector of steamboats.

Ordered, That it lie upon the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Joseph P. Santmeyer; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the said nomination be recommended to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Adam Hammer, Robert L. Meade, Lyman P. French, William Wallace, jr., Edward C. Saltmarsh, George G. Stoddard, Charles F. Williams, A. Whittmore Ward, James B. Young, Charles H. Bradford, Edward P. Meeker, Louis E. Fagan, Jonathan C. Bertolette, Thomas W. Leach, William M. King, Benjamin F. Gibbs, Frank L. Du Bois, Samuel G. Webber, Gustavus S. Franklin, Francis Minot Weld, David W. Ballantyne, Gustavus Koerner, William Marsh, and Maximilian C. Gritzner; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 13th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of D. C. Trewhit, of ———, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. J. G. Spears).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 13, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Captain John M. Wright, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of major.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 13, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant W. L. M. Burger, adjutant of the Engineer Regiment, New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General L. A. Fillmore).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 13, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John B. Howard, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 13, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 13, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John R. Crockett, of New Jersey, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 13, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 13, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of appointments in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, to fill the vacancies of assistant surgeon occasioned by promotion under the act approved April 16, 1862, and those created by the act itself:

The persons proposed for appointment are examined and approved candidates, and are nominated in the order of their relative merit.

To date from April 16, 1862.

John S. Billings, of Ohio, to be assistant surgeon, vice Letterman, promoted.

Samuel Adams, of Maryland, to be assistant surgeon, vice Abbott, promoted.

Edward T. Whittingham, of New Jersey, to be assistant surgeon, vice Getty, promoted.

Phineas S. Conner, of Ohio, to be assistant surgeon, vice Magruder, promoted.

Thomas G. Makenzie, of Maryland, to be assistant surgeon, vice White, promoted.

William J. Wolfley, of Kentucky, to be assistant surgeon, vice Milhan, promoted.

William N. Notson, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, vice Wirtz, promoted.

John T. Kiley, of Nebraska, to be assistant surgeon, vice Page, promoted.

Edward de W. Breneman, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, vice Sutherland, promoted.

George M. McGill, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, vice Norris, promoted.

Jeremiah B. Brinton, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

William E. Waters, of District of Columbia, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

Robert B. Cruice, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

Joseph R. Gibson, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

Cyrus Bacon, jr., of Michigan, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

S. H. Horner, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant surgeon, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Captain George Crook, of the Fourth Infantry (colonel 36th Ohio Volunteers), to be brigadier-general, of volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

M. M. Crocker, of Iowa, to be brigadier-general.

To be additional paymasters.

Ezra Webb, of Ohio,
Asa Holt, junior, of Alabama.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional paymasters in the service of the United States:

Captain George E. Baldwin, commissary of subsistence of Volunteers.
I. Howe Watts, of New Mexico.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in service of the United States:

Lieutenant J. G. Willis, of the 7th Ohio Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, May 23, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Horace Turner, of Michigan, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Thomas S. Dennett, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

John W. Mott, of Missouri, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of First Sergeant Thomas S. Doebler, of Company E, 2d Battalion, 14th Infantry, for regular promotion as second lieutenant in the 14th Infantry, U. S. Army.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I hereby withdraw the nomination of J. Napoleon Zermann to be brigadier-general in the Volunteer force.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, June 14, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Philip Fraser, of Florida, to be judge of the district court of the United States in and for the northern district of Florida, in place of McQueen McIntosh, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, June 14, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Edward S. Matthews, of the District of Columbia, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 30 July, 1861, to take rank next after Assistant Surgeon E. M. Stein, and to fill a vacancy occasioned by Assistant Surgeon A. O. Leavitt being placed on the retired list.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 14 June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 16, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William B. Campbell, of Tennessee, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Charles Stebbins to be deputy postmaster at Owego, in the county of Tioga and State of New York, in place of Hiram A. Beebe, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Recruit Wright Staples, of the 4th Regiment of Cavalry, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 14, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Recruit Wright Staples, of the 4th U. S. Cavalry, for appointment as second lieutenant in the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, vice Bentzoni, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 16, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be brigadier-generals.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles F. Ruff, of the Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Colonel Thomas J. C. Amory, of the Seventeenth Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, and captain in the Seventh Infantry.

Colonel Dudley Donnelly, of the 28th Regiment of New York Volunteers.

Colonel Henry S. Briggs, of the Tenth Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers.

Colonel Edward N. Kirk, of the 34th Regiment of Illinois Volunteers.
Colonel Benjamin C. Grider, of the Ninth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Frederick De Hauteville, volunteer aid-de-camp to General Banks, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. S. W. Crawford).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Hiram C. Rodgers, of the Twenty-seventh New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. H. W. Slocum).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Richard B. Owen, of Missouri, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain: First Lieutenant Greene Durbin, of the 13th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers.

First Lieutenant William G. Pinckard, of the Ninth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States.

Pay Department.

Paymaster George H. Ringgold to be deputy paymaster-general, May 28, 1862, vice Van Ness, deceased (Senior Paymaster Leslie having declined promotion).

Second Regiment of Cavalry.

Second Lieutenant Edward Ball to be first lieutenant, April 5, 1862, vice Merritt, promoted.

First Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Leslie Smith to be captain, April 25, 1862, vice Plummer, promoted to the Eighth Infantry,

Second Lieutenant Charles D. Viele to be first lieutenant, April 25, 1862, vice Smith, promoted.

Second Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Richard Brindley to be captain, March 15, 1862, vice Sully, promoted to the Eighth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Adolph W. Kroutinger to be first lieutenant, March 15, 1862, vice Brindley, promoted.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Hoffman, of the Eighth Infantry, to be colonel, April 25, 1862, vice Smith, deceased.

First Lieutenant Richard F. Lay to be captain, March 12, 1862, vice Brooks, promoted to the Eighteenth Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Woods McGuire to be first lieutenant, March 12, 1862, vice Shipley, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant John H. Page to be second lieutenant, March 12, 1862, vice Bell, who vacates his regimental commission.

Second Lieutenant George B. Eckert to be first lieutenant, March 12, 1862, vice Lay, promoted.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Major Gabriel R. Paul to be lieutenant-colonel, April 25, 1862, vice Hoffman, promoted to the Third Infantry.

Captain Alfred Sully, of the Second Infantry, to be major, March 15, 1862, vice Gordon, retired.

Captain Joseph B. Plummer, of the First Infantry, to be major, April 25, 1862, vice Paul, promoted.

Eleventh Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant James P. Pratt to be first lieutenant, May 10, 1862, vice Evans, cashiered.

Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant William C. Ide to be captain, May 14, 1862, vice Hayward, resigned.

Second Lieutenant William Griffin to be first lieutenant, April 25, 1862, vice Swett, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Dorus B. Estes to be first lieutenant, May 14, 1862, vice Ide, promoted.

Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant David M. Meredith to be captain, May 27, 1862, vice Haughey, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Robert P. King, jr., to be first lieutenant, May 27, 1862, vice Meredith, promoted.

Sixteenth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Samuel B. Lawrence to be captain, May 3, 1862, vice Keyes, died of wounds received in battle.

Second Lieutenant Edgar R. Kellogg to be first lieutenant, May 3, 1862, vice Lawrence, promoted.

Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edward W. Whittemore to be first lieutenant, May 10, 1862, vice Winslow, deceased.

Eighteenth Regiment of Infantry.

Captain William T. H. Brooks, of the Third Infantry, to be major, March 12, 1862, vice Stokes, rejected by the Senate.

First Lieutenant Charles L. Kneass to be captain, May 30, 1862, vice Granger, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Phisterer to be first lieutenant, February 27, 1862, vice Stevenson, deceased, and Phelps declined, instead of from March 24, 1862, vice Cash, deceased, as nominated 13th May, 1862.

Second Lieutenant Frederick H. Brown to be first lieutenant, March 24, 1862, vice Cash, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Henry B. Freeman to be first lieutenant May, 30, 1862, vice Kneass, promoted.

I am sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Jesse W. Fell, of Illinois, for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 17th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Jesse W. Fell, of Illinois, to be paymaster in the Army of the United States, vice Ringgold, nominated for promotion as deputy paymaster-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of D. C. Trewitt, John M. Wright, W. L. M. Burger, John B. Howard, John R. Crockett, John S. Billings and others, George Crook, M. M. Crocker, Ezra Webb, Asa Holt, jr., George E. Baldwin, I. Howe Watts, J. G. Willis, Horace Turner, Thomas S. Dennett, John W. Mott, Thomas S. Doebler, William B. Campbell, Wright Staples, Charles F. Ruff and others, Frederick De Hauteville, William G. Pinckard, Hiram C. Rodgers, Richard B. Owen, Greene Durbin, George H. Ringgold and others, and Jesse W. Fell be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles Stebbins be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Ordered, That the nomination of Edward S. Matthews be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Philip Fraser be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Wilson of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 28th May last, the nomination of Charles S. Tripler, and on the 12th instant that of John L. Leconte, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of either of the said persons.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 5th May last, the nominations of Theodore Miller and William Goldie; on the 6th instant, those of Moses S. Gibson and Hiram C. Bull; on the 11th instant, those of Robert L. Gardner, John Earnshaw, and Calvert W. Cowan; on the 12th instant, those of Udo von Francois and R. C. Morgan, and on the 14th instant, those of Walter B. Scates, George W. Burns and others, Reuben C. Kise, George Dwight, Samuel Black, John R. Cravens, and Timothy D. Smith, reported.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Robert L. Gardner; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Robert L. Gardner, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of R. C. Morgan; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of R. C. Morgan, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 11th instant, the nomination of A. Camerou Hunt, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of A. Camerou Hunt, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 11th instant, the nomination of Alvan Flanders, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Alvin Flanders, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the general treaty of amity, consular privileges, and extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Salvador, concluded at the city of Washington the 29th day of May, 1862, reported it with an amendment.

SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 18th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 18, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Gustavus A. Scroggs, of New York, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 18th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 18th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States: J. Wheeler Smith, of Missouri.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 18th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 18th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States: William S. Mann, of Pennsylvania.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 18th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 18th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Edward McConnell, of New York, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 20, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 20, 1862.

SIR: By your order, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

Colonel John Cochrane, of the First New York Chasseurs, to be brigadier general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 20th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 20, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States: D. Colden Ruggles, of New York.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 19, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the serv-

ice of the United States: A. J. Allen, of Illinois, to be assistant quartermaster of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 20, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

To be brigadier-generals.

Colonel John B. Turchin, of the Nineteenth Illinois Volunteers.
Colonel Joseph A. J. Lightburn, of the Fourth Virginia Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 20, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 20, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States: Lieutenant Robert G. Campbell, of the 5th Tennessee Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain; Richard M. Edwards, of Tennessee, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 21, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Henry S. Camblos, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant William M. Ferry, regimental quartermaster of the Second Michigan Cavalry, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21st, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose, for your approbation, the following-named persons for regular promotion in the Army of the United States:

FOURTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

First Sergeant Henry C. Peck, of Company G, First Battalion, Fourteenth Infantry.

Sergeant Charles G. Smedberg, of Company H, First Battalion, Fourteenth Infantry.

Sergeant John K. Clay, of Company A, Second Battalion, Fourteenth Infantry.

Sergeant William Douglas, of Company F, Second Battalion, Fourteenth Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William R. Taylor to be collector of the customs for the district of Bristol and Warren, in the State of Rhode Island, in the place of William H. S. Bayley, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 20, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Gustavus A. Scroggs, J. Wheeler Smith, William S. Mann, A. J. Allen, John B. Turchin, John Cochrane, D. Colden Ruggles, Robert G. Campbell, Joseph A. J. Lightburn,

Richard M. Edwards, Henry S. Camblos, William M. Ferry, and Henry C. Peck and others be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of William R. Taylor be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Edward McDonnell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Edward McDonnell, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 6th instant, the nominations of John J. Bowen and D. N. Welch, and on the 18th instant those of D. C. Trewhit, John M. Wright, W. L. M. Burger, John B. Howard, John E. Crockett, John S. Billings and others, M. M. Crocker, Ezra Webb, Asa Holt, jr., George E. Baldwin, I. Howe Watts, J. G. Willis, Horace Turner, Thomas S. Dennett, John W. Mott, Thomas S. Doebler, William B. Campbell, Wright Staples, Frederick De Hauteville, Hiram C. Rodgers, Richard B. Owen, Greene Durbin, William G. Pinckard, George H. Ringgold and others, and Jesse W. Fell, reported.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Reuben C. Kise; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Reuben C. Kise, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilkiuson,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Timothy D. Smith; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Timothy D. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 19, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Lieutenant James B. Sample, of the Seventeenth Iowa Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. Tuttle).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

First Lieutenant Nelson Plato, of the 59th New York Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer service, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Richard P. Johnson, of Indiana, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21st, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional paymasters in the service of the United States :

Edward C. Kemble, of California.

William S. Pope, of Illinois.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster :

Charles Dodge, of New York.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 21, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, to fill one of the original vacancies created by the act approved April 16, 1862:

Surgeon Lewis Humphreys, of the 29th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, to be medical inspector with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 21, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Charles L. Allen, of Vermont, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Gordon de Luna Byron, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Asuncion, in the place of Louis Bamberger, recalled.

WASHINGTON, 23d June, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of James B. Sample, Nelson Plato, Richard P. Johnson, Edward C. Kemble, William S. Pope, Charles Dodge, and Lewis Humphreys be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of George Gordon de Luna Byron be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Charles L. Allen; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles L. Allen, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wade,

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Foster on the 28th April last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of James Shields, and agreed thereto; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields?

It was determined in the negative.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of James Shields to be major-general in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That he have leave to withdraw his motion, submitted on the 7th March last, that the Senate reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Thomas B. Catlin.

The general treaty of amity, consular privileges, and extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Salvador, concluded at the city of Washington May 29, 1862, was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and

On the question to agree to the amendment reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to wit: In article 38 strike out the following words: "or by persons hired or salaried, to the detriment of their employers,"

The question was stated, Shall these words stand as part of the 38th article?

It was unanimously determined in the negative.

No further amendment being made, the treaty was reported to the Senate; and the question being again stated,

It was unanimously determined in the negative.

Mr. Sumner submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the general treaty of amity, consular privileges, and extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Salvador, concluded at the city of Washington the 29th May, 1862, with the following amendment: In article 38 strike out the following words: "or by persons hired or salaried, to the detriment of their employers."

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution, and unanimously agreed thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay said resolution before the President of the United States.

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

On the 7th day of December, 1861, I submitted to the Senate the project of a treaty between the United States and Mexico, which had been proposed to me by Mr. Corwin, our minister to Mexico, and respectfully requested the advice of the Senate thereupon.

On the 25th day of February last a resolution was adopted by the Senate to the effect "that it is not advisable to negotiate a treaty that will require the United States to assume any portion of the principal or interest of the debt of Mexico, or that will require the concurrence of European powers."

This resolution having been duly communicated to me, notice thereof was immediately given by the Secretary of State to Mr. Corwin, and he was informed that he was to consider his instructions upon the subject referred to modified by this resolution, and would govern his course accordingly. That dispatch failed to reach Mr. Corwin, by reason of the disturbed condition of Mexico, until a very recent date, Mr. Corwin being without instructions, or thus practically left without instructions, to negotiate further with Mexico.

In view of the very important events occurring there, he has thought that the interests of the United States would be promoted by the conclusion of two treaties, which should provide for a loan to that Republic. He has, therefore, signed such treaties, and they having been duly ratified by the Government of Mexico he has transmitted them to me for my consideration. The action of the Senate is of course conclusive against an acceptance of the treaties on my part. I have nevertheless thought it just to our excellent minister in Mexico, and respectful to the Government of that Republic, to lay the treaties before the Senate, together with the correspondence which has occurred in relation to them. In performing this duty I have only to add that the importance of the subject thus submitted to the Senate cannot be over-estimated, and I shall cheerfully receive and consider with the highest respect any further advice the Senate may think proper to give upon the subject.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1862.

The message was read.

The treaty between the United States of America and the Mexican Republic for a loan to the latter, concluded at the City of Mexico the 6th of April, 1862, was read the first time.

The treaty between the United States of America and the United States of Mexico, fixing the compensation of the commissioners to be appointed under the treaty between the two Governments for a loan to the latter, concluded the 6th of April, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaties, together with the message and accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 21st instant, the nomination of William R. Taylor, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nomination of Charles Mundee; on the 28th April, that of Henry J. Hunt; on the 6th instant, those of Samuel S. Carroll and Joseph W. Robinson; on the 12th instant, William E. Woodruff, Friend S. Rutherford, and James G. Edwards; on the 18th instant, those of George Crook, Thomas J. C. Amory, Dudley Donnelly, Henry S. Briggs, Edward N. Kirk, and Benjamin C. Grider; on the 21st instant, those of Gustavus A. Scroggs, J. Wheeler Smith, William S. Mann, John Cochran, D. Colden Ruggles, A. J. Allen, John B. Turchin, Robert G. Campbell, Richard M. Edwards, Henry S. Camblos, William M. Ferry, and Henry C. Peck and others; and on the 23d instant, those of James B. Sample, Nelson Plato, Richard P. Johnson, Edward C. Kemble, William S. Pope, Charles Dodge, and Lewis Humphreys, reported.

On motion by Mr. Foster,

Ordered, That the injunction of secrecy be removed from the proceedings of the Senate on the nomination of West H. Humphreys as judge of the district court of the United States for the eastern, middle, and western districts of Tennessee.

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the report of the Secretary of War, of the 18th instant, in reply to the resolution of the Senate of the 9th instant, relating to the number of brigadier and major generals required for the Army of the United States, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Moses Kelly; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Moses Kelly.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Isaac Newton; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Isaac Newton?

The yeas were 25, the nays 9.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Fessenden, Foot, Harlan, Harris, Howard, King, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Powell, Simmons, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Massachusetts, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Clark, Collamer, Doolittle, Foster, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Nesmith, Sumner, Wright.

A quorum not having voted.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana, that the Senate adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas ... 11
Nays ... 16

On motion by Mr. Davis,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Clark, Foster, Foot, Harris, Howe, King, Nesmith, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Willey, Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,
Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Cowan, Davis, Doolittle, Harlan, Howard, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Powell, Simmons, Ten Eyck, Wade, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

On motion by Mr. Wilkinson.

Ordered, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to request the attendance of absent Senators.

On motion by Mr. Anthony,
The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles H. Sherman, of Michigan; George M. Welles, of New York; and Charles H. Daniels, of North Carolina; to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps, to fill existing vacancies.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 20 June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant William A. Gordon, of the 12th Missouri Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. P. J. Osterhaus).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Henry Buckmaster, of Kansas, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States:

Edmund J. Porter, of New York.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

James G. Johnson, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Augustus Morse, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 23, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

John Welch, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Charles E. Russ, of the 30th New York Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Frank C. Ford, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the cadets named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Army of the United States as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 23, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 23, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor respectfully to propose for your approbation the following-named graduates of the Military Academy to be attached to the Army of the United States as second and brevet second lieutenants, to take rank respectively from June 17, 1862, in conformity with the fourth section of the act approved April 29, 1812, entitled "An act making further provision for the Corps of Engineers."

Corps of Engineers.

- Cadet Ranald S. Mackenzie to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet George L. Gillespie, jr., to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet George Burroughs to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet Charles R. Suter to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet Jared A. Smith to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet Samuel M. Mansfield to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
- Cadet Henry C. Wharton to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Ordnance Department.

Cadet Clemens C. Chaffee to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Morris Shaff to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Jasper Myers to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet William A. Marye to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

First Regiment of Cavalry.

Cadet Clifton Comly to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Cadet Frederick J. James to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

First Regiment of Artillery.

Cadet Tully McCrae to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet John Egan to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet James A. Sanderson to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Second Regiment of Artillery.

Cadet Isaac Arnold to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet James H. Lord to be brevet second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Charles N. Warner to be brevet second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Third Regiment of Artillery.

Cadet Frank B. Hamilton to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet James M. Lancaster to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Asa Bolles to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet William C. Bartlett to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Fourth Regiment of Artillery.

Cadet James H. Rollins to be brevet second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

Fifth Regiment of Artillery.

Cadet J. Eveleth Wilson to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet John H. Calef to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Samuel B. McIntire to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.
 Cadet Albert M. Murray to be second lieutenant, June 17, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Frederick F. Cavada, of the Twenty-third Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. W. B. Birney).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 24th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 24th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional paymasters in the service of the United States:

John Jameson, of Maine; James Mann, of Maine.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 24, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William L. Palmer, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 24th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington. June 24, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for regular promotion in the Army of the United States:

EIGHTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenants.

First Sergeant John J. Adair, of Company E, 3rd Battalion, 18th Infantry.

First Sergeant Henry G. Litchfield, of Company G, 2d Battalion, 18th Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, June 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brigade Surgeon Thomas F. Perley to be medical inspector-general with the rank of colonel, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Thayer Melvin, of the First Regiment Virginia Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General B. F. Kelley).

Lieutenant William H. Conner, of the Wisconsin Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. E. A. Paine).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 25th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Robert T. Dunham, adjutant of the Third Regiment New Jersey Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. George W. Taylor).

Raymond Burr, of Ohio, to be assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Robert O. Selfridge, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers with the rank of captain, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major (for Major-General Pope).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, June 25, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 25, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Ira F. Payson, of Colorado Territory, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 25th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 25th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant George W. Wiley, of the 39th Regiment Indiana Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain, to date from November 2d, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for promotion in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 26, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 26, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named assistant surgeons for promotion in the Medical Department, to fill the original vacancies in the grade of surgeon created by the act approved April 16, 1862:

To date from April 16, 1862.

Assistant Surgeon Jonathan Letterman to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon Robert O. Abbott to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon Thomas M. Getty to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon David L. Magruder to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon William J. H. White to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon John J. Milhan to be surgeon,

Assistant Surgeon Horace R. Wirtz to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon Charles Page to be surgeon,

Assistant Surgeon Charles Sutherland to be surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon Basil Norris to be surgeon.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, June 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of regular promotions in the Army of the United States:

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon John Moore to be surgeon, May 12, 1862, vice Jarvis, deceased.

Assistant Surgeon Andrew K. Smith to be surgeon, June 11, 1862, vice Cuyler, appointed medical inspector.

Assistant Surgeon Richard H. Alexander to be surgeon, June 11, 1862, vice Coolidge, appointed medical inspector.

Assistant Surgeon Joseph R. Smith to be surgeon, June 11, 1862, vice Keeney, appointed medical inspector.

First Cavalry.

First Lieutenant Josiah H. Kellogg to be captain, May 20, 1862, vice Wheeler, cashiered.

Second Artillery.

Second Lieutenant John A. Darling to be first lieutenant, May 31, 1862, vice Bailey, killed in battle.

Third Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Henry F. Brownson to be first lieutenant, vice Thomas, declined, and Morgan, who vacates his regimental commission, to date from February 28th, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

The accompanying treaty, made and concluded at the city of Washington on the 24th day of June, 1862, between the United States and the united bands of the Ottawa Indians of Blanchard's Fork and of Roche de Boeuf, in Kansas, is transmitted for the consideration and constitutional action of the Senate, agreeably to recommendation of inclosed letter from the Secretary of the Interior of this date.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,

Washington, June 26, 1862.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry Buckmaster; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry Buckmaster, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles H. Sherman and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of William A. Gordon, Edmund J. Porter, James G. Johnson, Augustus S. Morse, John Welch, Charles E. Russ, Frank C. Ford, Ranald S. Mackenzie and others, Frederick F. Cavada, John Jameson, James Maun, William L. Palmer, John J. Adair, Henry G. Litchfield, Thomas F. Perley, Thayer Melviu, William H. Conner, Robert T. Dunham, Raymond Burr, Robert O. Selfridge, Ira F. Payson, George W. Wiley, Jonathan Letterman and others, and John Moore and others, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The treaty between William P. Dole, commissioner on the part of the United States and the chief and councilmen of the united bands of the Ottawa Indians of Blanchard's Fork and Roche de Bouef, concluded at the city of Washington June 24, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty, together with the message and accompanying documents, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana, that the Senate adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, {	Yeas.....	10
	Nays.....	25

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Chandler, Foster, Henderson, Lane of Indiana, Morrill, Pomroy, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkiuson.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Howard, Howe, King, Lane of Kansas, Nesmith, Powell, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Missouri.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Isaac Newton; and

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Indiana, The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Henry Johnson, of Pennsylvania, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, from the 22d June, 1862, vice Assistant Surgeon Joseph O. Burnett, placed on the retired-list.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 27 June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Assistant Paymaster Wm. H. Thompson to be a paymaster in the Army, to fill an existing vacancy.

Frederick R. Curtis, of California, to be an assistant paymaster, vice Wm. H. Thompson, nominated for promotion; and

Jones Pile, of Pennsylvania, to be a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps, to fill an existing vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 30 June, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Billington C. Whiting, of California, to be attorney of the United States in and for the southern district of California, in place of Benjamin C. Whiting, and to take date of February 4, 1862, this being merely to correct an error in the Christian name of Mr. Whiting, and to give his appointment the date of his original commission.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

JUNE 30, 1862.

The messages were read.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of Billington C. Whiting; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Billington C. Whiting, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred, on the 6th instant, the nominations of Benjamin F. Whidden and Erastus D. Culver, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 18th instant, the nomination of Charles Stebbins, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles Stebbins, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Isaac Newton; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Isaac Newton,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 29
Nays 7

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlile, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Fessenden, Foot, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, King, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilson of Missouri.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Clark, Collamer, Foster, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Sumner, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Isaac Newton, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William B. Campbell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William B. Campbell, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Carlile, the 14th instant, to reconsider the vote on the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Moses C. Green; and it appearing that a similar motion had previously been submitted and acted upon in this case, the President *pro tempore* decided that the motion of Mr. Carlile is not in order, and that the appointment stands confirmed as of the date of the previous confirmation of the 14th instant.

The Senate proceed to consider the nominations of Theodore Miller, William Goldie, Moses S. Gibson, Hiram C. Bull, John Earnshaw, Calvert W. Cowan, Udo von Francois, Walter B. Scates, George W. Burns, John R. Atkinson, John L. Cocks, Ellery W. Eddy, Silas B. A. Haynes, Samuel B. Henry, Hoel K. Lawrence, Samuel A. Law, C. M. Terrell, James M. Wilson, George P. Webster, George Dwight, John J. Bowen, Deming N. Welch, Charles Mundee, Joseph W. Robinson, Friend S. Rutherford, James G. Edwards, Samuel Black, John R. Cravens, D. C. Trewhitt, John M. Wright, W. L. M. Burger, John B. Howard, John R. Crockett, Samuel Adams, John S. Billings, Edward de W. Breuneman, Jeremiah B. Brinton, Cyrus Bacon, jr., Phineas S. Conner, Robert B. Cruice, Joseph R. Gibson, S. H. Horner, Thomas J. Mackenzie, George M. McGill, William N. Notson, John T. Riley, Ezra Webb, Asa Holt, jr., George E. Baldwin, I. Howe Watts, J. G. Willis, Horace Turner, Thomas S. Dennett, John W. Mott, Thomas S. Doebler, Wright Staples, Frederick de Hauteville, Hiram C. Rodgers, Richard B. Owen, Greene Durbin, William G. Pinckard, Edward Ball, Richard Brindley, Dorus E. Bates, William T. H. Brooks, Frederick H. Brown, George B. Eckert, Henry B. Freeman, William Griffin, William Hoffman, William C. Ide, Adolph W. Kroutingier, Robert P. King, jr., Edgar R. Kellogg, Charles L. Kneass, Richard G. Lay, Samuel B. Lawrence, Woods McGuire, David M. Meredith, John H. Page, Gabriel R. Paul, Joseph B. Plummer, James B. Pratt, Frederick Phisterer, George H. Ringgold, Leslie Smith, Alfred Sully, Charles D. Viele, Edward D. Whittemore, John W. Fell, J. Wheeler Smith, William S. Mann, D. Colden Ruggles, A. J. Allen, Robert G. Campbell, Richard M. Edwards, Henry S. Camblos, William M. Ferry, Henry C. Peck, Charles G. Smedberg, John K. Clay, William Douglas, William R. Taylor, James B. Sample, Nelson Plato, Richard P. Johnson, Edward C. Kemble, William S. Pope, Charles Dodge, and Lewis Humphreys; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nominations of John Jameson, James Mann, and Edward J. Porter.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the said nominations; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Howard,

Ordered, That the nomination of William S. Biddle be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion submitted by Mr. King, the 14th instant, to reconsider the resolution that the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Asaph S. Bemis.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1862.

The following message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

In pursuance of the fourth section of the act of the sixteenth of January, 1857, entitled "An act to amend an Act entitled 'An act to promote

the efficiency of the Navy," providing that reserved officers may be promoted on the reserved list, I nominate Lieutenant Peter Turner to be a commander in the Navy, on the reserved list, to take rank next after Commander James M. Watson.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 30, 1862.*

The message was read.

Ordered, That the nomination of Peter Turner be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 28th June last, the nominations of William A. Gordon, James G. Johnson, Augustus Morse, John Welch, Charles E. Russ, Frederick F. Cavada, William L. Palmer, John J. Adair, Thomas F. Perley, Thayer Melvin, William H. Conner, Jonathan Letterman and others, Robert T. Dunham, Raymond Burr, Robert O. Selfridge, Ira F. Payson, George W. Wiley, Henry G. Litchfield, Ranald S. Mackenzie and others, and John Moore and others, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were recommitted, on the 14th June last, the nominations of Louis Blenker, Joseph P. Santmyer, and Samuel S. Smoot, reported.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the motion submitted by Mr. King, the 14th instant, to reconsider the resolution advising and consenting to the appointment of Asaph S. Bemis, and it was not agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Thomas F. Perley; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Thomas F. Perley, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Jonathan Letterman, Robert O. Abbott, Thomas M. Getty, David S. Magruder, William J. H. White, John J. Milhan, Horace R. Wirtz, Charles Page, Charles Sutherland, and Basil Norris; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *June 27, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major John H. Kiug, of the Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

W. H. H. Crandall, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.
ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 27, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

George Wallace, of California, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Charles H. Hempstead, of California, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *June 27th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, June 27, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of John Jamison, of Maryland, to be military storekeeper in the Ordnance Department, vice Green, resigned.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

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To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, July 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel Ralph P. Buckland, of the 72d Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

Theodore McGowan, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for General A. P. Howe).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 1, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, July 1, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Charles E. Wendt, of Wisconsin, to be commissary of subsistence, with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Frank L. Church, of Illinois, to be a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps, to fill an existing vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 3 July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Leonard Lottridge to be deputy postmaster at La Crosse, in the county of La Crosse and State of Wisconsin, in place of William C. Rogers, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 3, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John H. King, W. H. H. Craudall, George Wallace, Charles H. Hempstead, John Jamison, Ralph P. Buckland, Theodore McGowan, and Charles E. Wendt be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Frank L. Church be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Leonard Lottridge be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 6th instant, the nomination of William Wines, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William Wines, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of James G. Johnson, Isaac Arnold, George Burroughs, Asa Bolles, William O. Bartlett, Clemens C. Chaffee, Olifton Comly, John H. Calef, John Egan, George L. Gillespie, Frederick J. James, James H. Lord, James M. Lancaster, Banald S. Mackenzie, Samuel M. Mansfield, Jasper Myers, William A. Marye, Tully McCrae, Samuel B. Intyre, Albert M. Murray, James H. Rollins, Charles R. Suter, Jared A. Smith, Morris Shaff, James A. Sanderson, Henry O. Wharton, Charles N. Warner, and J. Eveleth Wilson; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull that the nominations of William F. Smith, Ward B. Burnett, J. H. Stahel, J. B. S. Todd, Catherinus P. Buckingham, Robert Williams, Alfred Pleasonton, James B. McPherson, John P. Slough, Crafts J. Wright, John T. Sprague, Francis J. Herron, Geo. W. B. Tompkins, Charles Craft, Jacob Ammen, Wm. B. Hazen, J. W. Sill, Stanley Mathews, W. W. Duffield, James S. Jackson, Morgan L. Smith, August Willich, Frederick Salomon, John M. Thayer, Fitz-Henry Warren, James Steedman, Benjamin W. Brice, Josiah W. Bissell, Anselm Albert, A. E. Jones, Benjamin S. Roberts, Hugh B. Reed, Robert Allen, Joshua B. Howell, C. T. Robbins, Wm. T. Magruder, Cadwallader C. Washburne, James D. Morgan, William Chapman, Henry D. Terry, M. M. Crocker, Henry I. Hunt, Samuel S. Carroll, Wm. E. Woodruff, George Crook, Thomas I. C. Amory, Dudley Donnelly, Henry S. Briggs, Edward N. Kirk, Benjamin O. Grider, Gustavus A. Scroggs, John Cochrane, John B. Turchin, and Louis Blenker be recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate adjourned

MONDAY, JULY 7, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 2, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 2, 1862.

SIR : I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Lieutenant S. W. Waldron, of the U. S. Volunteers, to be assistant

adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General Henry Prince).

I am, sir, with respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 3d*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

William H. Martin, of ———, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Lieutenant Harrison O. Weir, of the New York State Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Ethan A. Brown, of ———, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Edward H. C. Hooper, of Maine, to be additional paymaster.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON.
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 2*, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 2, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for regular promotion in the Army of the United States :

FOURTEENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

To be second lieutenant.

Sergeant Augustus H. Bainbridge, of Company A, Second Battalion, Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Joseph P. Sanford to be a commander in the Navy, from the 6th June, 1861, to take rank next after Commander Fabius Stanley, and to fill a vacancy occasioned by Commander T. D. Shaw being placed on the retired list.

Selim E. Woodworth to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 17th January, 1853, to take rank next after Lieutenant N. B. Harrison, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Richard T. Renshaw to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 9th September, 1853, to take rank next after Lieutenant Pierce Crosby, and to fill an existing vacancy.

E. Ross Calhoun to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 15th January, 1854, to take rank next after Lieutenant A. K. Hughes, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Charles H. Baldwin to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 20th January, 1854, to take rank next after Lieut. E. Ross Calhoun, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Robert W. Shufeldt to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 25th January, 1854, to take rank next after Lieutenant Charles H. Baldwin, and to fill an existing vacancy.

John Van Ness Philip to be a lieutenant in the Navy from the 14th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant John H. Upshur, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Edward Y. McCauley to be lieutenant in the Navy, from the 14th of September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant S. L. Phelps, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Pendleton G. Watmough to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 15th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Milton Haxton, and to fill an existing vacancy.

James Parker, junior, to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Ralph Chandler, and to fill an existing vacancy.

Edgar Brodhead to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th September, 1855, to take rank next after Lieutenant Louis E. Kimberly, and to fill an existing vacancy.

John N. Quackenbush to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 26th December, 1856, to take rank next after Lieutenant J. G. Maxwell, and to fill an existing vacancy; and

John S. Barnes to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 16th March, 1860, to take rank next after Lieutenant J. N. Miller, and to fill an existing vacancy.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 4 July, 1862.

I send the above nominations with a letter from the Secretary of the Navy explanatory of the object of making them.

A. LINCOLN.

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit herewith, for the constitutional action of the Senate thereon, a treaty negotiated in this city on the 3d instant, with the Sac and Fox Indians of the Mississippi.

Letters from the Secretary of the Interior and Commissioner of Indian Affairs accompany the treaty.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying communication for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named officers for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States:

Brigadier-General Edwin V. Sumner to be brevet major-general, May 31, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia.

Colonel Samuel P. Heintzelman, of the Seventeenth Regiment of Infantry, to be brevet brigadier-general, May 31, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia.

Colonel Erasmus D. Keyes, of the Eleventh Regiment of Infantry, to be brevet brigadier-general, May 31, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle of Fair Oaks, Virginia.

Colonel John-Fitz Porter, of the Fifteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be brevet brigadier-general, June 27, 1862, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle of Chickahominy, Virginia.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons to be major-generals of Volunteers, to date from July 4, 1862.

Brigadier-General Edwin V. Sumner, of the United States Army.

Brigadier-General Samuel P. Heintzelman, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General Erasmus D. Keyes, of the United States Volunteers.

Brigadier-General Fitz-John Porter, of the United States Volunteers.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Theoron Woolverton, of New York, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, vice Assistant Surgeon Thomas H. Whitney, dismissed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officer named in the accompanying communication for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Colonel William B. Franklin, of the Twelfth Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general by brevet, for gallant and meritorious conduct in the battle before Richmond, Virginia, to date from June 30, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Brigadier-General William B. Franklin, of the United States Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Brigadier-General William B. Franklin, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general of Volunteers, to date from July 4, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for regular appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 7, 1862.

SIR: By your order, I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Edward P. Bigelow, of New York, for the appointment of second lieutenant in the First Regiment of Cavalry, Army of the United States, vice Alexander, deceased.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Truman Smith, of New York, to be judge on the part of the United States in that city, under the treaty with Her Britannic Majesty of the 7th of April last for the suppression of the African slave trade.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of S. W. Waldron, William H. Martin and others, Augustus H. Bainbridge, Edwin V. Sumner and others

(for brevet promotion in the Army of the United States), Edwin V. Sumner and others (for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States), William B. Franklin (for brevet promotion in the Army of the United States), William B. Franklin (for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States), and Edward P. Bigelow be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Joseph P. Sanford and others and Theodor Wolverton be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Truman Smith be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The articles of agreement and convention concluded at the city of Washington, July 3, 1862, between William P. Dole, commissioner on the part of the United States, and delegates of the Sac and Fox tribe of Indians of the Mississippi, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said articles be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, and, together with the message and accompanying documents, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 1862.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 24th December last, the nominations of Henry L. Taliaferro, John M. Stephenson, Howard Reeder, and Ambrose Thompson; on the 1st April, that of John H. Purcell; on the 2d June last, that of John H. Nichols; on the 9th June, that of Alfred B. Farnsworth; on the 14th May last, that of James D. Crolly; on the 3d instant, those of W. H. H. Crandall, George Wallace, Charles H. Hempstead, John Jamison, Theodore McGowan, and Charles E. Wendt; and on the 7th instant, the nominations of S. W. Waldron, Harrison C. Wier, Edward H. C. Hooper, Augustus H. Bainbridge, Edwin V. Sumner and others (for promotion by brevet in the Army of the United States), Edwin V. Sumner and others (for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States), William B. Franklin (for promotion in the Army of the United States), William B. Franklin (for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States), and Edward P. Bigelow, reported.

On motion by Mr. Foot,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William F. Smith; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of William F. Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Harlau that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the nomination of Fitz-Henry Warren,

On motion by Mr. Rice,

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 4, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 4, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Charles P. Horton, of the 2d Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen. George S. Green).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 5, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Thomas G. Pitcher, of the Eighth Regiment of Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 5, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 5th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant Abraham Edwards, of the Fourth Regiment Cavalry, Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, to date from April 1, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
 E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 5th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 5th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

R. C. Webster, regimental quartermaster of the Kentucky Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, to date from September 30th, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 5th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 5th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant William H. Vallance, of the Harris Light Cavalry, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, to date from June 10, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 5, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 5, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant John Morris, of the 7th Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, May 23, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 7, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Thomas H. Harris, of Indiana, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain, vice Walker, declined (for Brig. Gen'l J. C. Sullivan).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 7, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 7, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant William W. Cantine, of the Third Michigan Cavalry, to be commissary of subsistence of Volunteers with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Colonel J. H. Hobart Ward, of the 38th New York Volunteers, for appointment in the Volunteer force, as recommended by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 8, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 8, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Col. J. H. Hobart Ward, of the 38th New York Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 8, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 8, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant quartermasters with the rank of captain.

Thompson T. Eckert, of Ohio; T. B. A. David, of Pennsylvania; Randall P. Wade, of Ohio; George H. Smith, of Missouri.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 8th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 8, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Randolph Botts, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in service in the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 8, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 8, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of J. H. Boucher, of Iowa, an examined and approved candidate, to be brigade surgeon of Volunteers, to date from April 4, 1862, and to stand on the Army register next below Brigade Surgeon Alexander L. Watson, such being the place to which he is entitled in the order of relative merit, as determined by the Examining Board.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 8th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 8th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Sergeant-Major Thomas E. Collins, of the Second Battalion of the Fourteenth Infantry, for regular promotion as second lieutenant in the Fourteenth Regiment of Infantry, U. S. Army, to fill an original vacancy.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 9th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Conrad Feger Jackson, of the Ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be brigadier-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 9th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 9th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

George W. Burton, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 10, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 10, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant Isaac N. Mason, of the Sixth Wisconsin Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

First Lieutenant James S. Drum, of the Nineteenth Indiana Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 9th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 9th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

J. M. Robinson, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Orlando J. Hopkins, of Kentucky, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I transmit to the Senate for consideration, with a view to ratification, a postal convention with Costa Rica, concluded at San José on the 9th June last.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 9th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 10th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 10th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Lieutenant D. D. Jones, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON July 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Brigadier-General Schuyler Hamilton to be major-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officer named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Captain John Pope, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers and major-general of Volunteers, to be brigadier-general in the Army of the United States, vice Wool, appointed major-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant.
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

In pursuance of the act of Congress, approved 5 July, 1862, to reorganize the Navy Department, I nominate Captain Joseph Smith to be Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks;

Captain Andrew H. Foote to be Chief of the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting;

Captain Charles Henry Davis to be Chief of the Bureau of Navigation;
Commander John A. Dahlgren to be Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance;

John Lenthall to be Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair; Engineer-in-Chief B. F. Isherwood to be Chief of the Bureau of Steam-Engineering;
 Paymaster H. Bridge to be Chief of the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing; and
 Surgeon Wm. Whelan to be Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate William Walton Murphy, of Michigan, to be consul-general of the United States for the Hanseatic and Free Cities, to reside at Frankfort-on-the-Main.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 11, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Truman Smith, of New York, to be judge on the part of the United States, in that city, under the treaty with her Britannic Majesty of the 7th of April last for the suppression of the African slave trade.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, 11th July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I transmit to the Senate, for its constitutional action thereon, a treaty negotiated at the Kickapoo Agency, on the 28th of June, 1862, between Charles B. Keith, commissioner on the part of the United States, and the chiefs, headmen, and delegates of the Kickapoo Indians of Kansas.

A letter of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, of the 10th instant, is also transmitted suggesting amendments to the treaty for the consideration of the Senate.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11th, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles P. Horton, Thomas G. Pitcher, Abraham Edwards, R. O. Webster, William H. Vallance, John Morris, Thomas H. Harris, William H. Cantine, J. H. Hobart Ward, Thompson T. Eckert and others, Randolph Botts, J. H. Boucher, Thomas E. Collins, Conrad Feger Jackson, George W. Burton, Isaac N. Mason, James S. Drum, J. M. Robinson, Orlando J. Hopkins, D. D. Jones, Schuyler Hamilton, and John Pope, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Joseph Smith and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of William Walton Murphy be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Truman Smith be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Costa Rica for the better regulation of communication by post, concluded at the city of San José on the 9th day of June, 1862, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr Collamer,

Ordered, That the said convention be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads and, together with the message, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The treaty concluded at the agency of the Kickapoo tribe of Indians, on the 28th day of June, 1862, between Charles B. Keith, commissioner on the part of the United States, and chiefs, headmen, and delegates of the Kickapoo Nation, was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaty be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, and, together with the message and accompanying papers, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 6th June last, the nomination of Clinton Cullum, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 18th June last, the nomination of Edward S. Matthews, on the 28th June those of Charles H. Sherman and others, on the 30th June those of William Henry Johnson and William H. Thompson and others, on the 1st instant that of Peter Turner, and on the 3d inst. that of Frank L. Church, reported.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 24th June last, the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States for a loan to the latter, concluded at the City of Mexico on the 6th of April, 1862, reported it without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaty lie on the table.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, on the 24th June last, the treaty between the United States of America and the United Mexican States fixing the compensation of commissioners to be appointed under the treaty between the two Governments for a loan to the latter, reported it without amendment.

On motion by Mr. Sumner,

Ordered, That the said treaty lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That the report of the Secretary of War of the 18th instant in reply to the resolution of the Senate of the 9th instant, relating to the number of general officers required for the Army of the United States, be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

EVENING SESSION—7 O'CLOCK, SATURDAY, July 12, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary :

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George S. Boutwell, of Massachusetts, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5th, 1862.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William W. Hinkley to be surveyor of the customs for the port of Beverly, in the State of Massachusetts, in the place of Samuel Porter, whose commission has expired.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 11th, 1862.

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To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Clement T. Rice, of Nevada Territory, to be register of the land office for the district of Nevada.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George M. Pinney to be marshal of the United States for the Territory of Dakota, in place of William F. Shaffer, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, 11th July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Charles W. Rand, of California, to be marshal of the United States for the northern district of California, in the place of Wm. Rabi, removed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 12 July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William S. Blunt, of New York, aged 24 years; William H. Sells, of Iowa, aged 25 years; Charles S. Perley, of Massachusetts, aged — years; Edwin Putnam, of Maine, aged — years; Horatio L. Wait, of Illinois, aged 25 years, and Arthur Burtis, jr., of New York, aged 21 years, to be assistant paymasters in the Navy, to fill existing vacancies; and Edgar C. Waples, of Delaware, aged 22 years, to be a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 12 July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Isaac Marsh, to be deputy postmaster at Lockport, in the county of Niagara and State of New York, in place of George Reynale, deceased.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 12, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Horace A. Tenney, of Wisconsin, to be an additional paymaster in the Volunteer service of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 12, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nomination of William H. Hinkley be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nomination of Clement T. Rice be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Ordered, That the nominations of George M. Pinney and Charles W. Rand be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Ordered, That the nominations of William S. Blunt and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nomination of Horace A. Tenney be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nomination of Isaac Marsh be referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nomination of George S. Boutwell; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George S. Boutwell, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred, the 7th instant, the nomination of Truman Smith, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Truman Smith, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, this day, the nomination of William Walton Murphy, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 3d March last, the nominations of Lewis G. Arnold and others, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 6th March last, the nominations of William C. Kise and Gustavus Kammerling, and on the 4th April those of Alvan C. Gillem and others, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 7th instant, the nominations of William H. Martin and Ethan A. Brown, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 7th instant, the nominations of Joseph P. Sanford and others, reported.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 7th instant, the nomination of Theoron Wolverton, reported.

Mr. Wade, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of Henry Connelly, reported.

Mr. Harlan, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 11th June last, the nomination of Jehoida J. Ware, reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 23d December last, the nominations of George G. Baker, Andrew I. Stevens, Franklin Olcott, Alvan M. Mothershead, Henry B. Hammond, H. R. Helper, Thomas Adamson, jr., Henry Boernstein, James W. Marshall, Francis J. Klauser, Samuel Whiting, Zebina Eastman, Manuel Barcena, Julius Bing, Charles A. Mouroe, Thomas Fitnam, William A. Chapman, Marimus J. Levison, Ladislaus Ujhazi, Alexander Thompson, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 23d December last, the nominations of John S. Prettyman, James De Long, J. P. M. Epping, and Charles A. Leas, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of either of the said persons.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d December last, the nomination of Thaddeus Hyatt, reported.

Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom

was referred, on the 12th December last, the nomination of Gwinn H. Heap, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Gwinn H. Heap, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Alonzo S. Upham.

On motion by Mr. Sherman that the said nomination lie on the table,

On motion by Mr. Trumbull that the Senate adjourn,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 5
Nays 30

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Grimes, Trumbull, Wilkinson, Wilmot.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Clark, Collamer, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Pomeroy, Powell, Rice, Saulsbury, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Willey, Wilson of Mass., Wright.

The question recurring that the said nomination lie on the table,

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 18
Nays 17

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Clark, Collamer, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Hale, Henderson, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Stark, Sumner, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Doolittle, Foster, Harlan, Harris, Howard, King, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Rice, Saulsbury, Simmons, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wright.

So it was

Ordered, That the nomination of Alonzo S. Upham lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That a list of all nominations of general officers heretofore made to the Senate and not acted upon be printed in confidence for the use of the Senate.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of James B. Curran; and,

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Benjamin F. Whidden, Erastus D. Culver, William Henry Johnson, William H. Thompson, Frederick R. Curtis, Jones Pile, Peter Turner, Frank L. Church, Charles H. Sherman, George M. Willis, and Charles H. Daniels; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Wilmot,

Ordered, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Philip Fraser; and

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,
Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed to tomorrow.

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States :

I hereby nominate the following-named persons to be commissioners under the "Act for the collection of direct taxes in insurrectionary districts within the United States, and for other purposes," approved June 7th, 1862, for the several districts as hereinafter named :

For the district within the State of Virginia: John Hawkshurst, John Lewis, and Lewis Ruffner.

For the district of Tennessee: Oliver P. Temple, John B. Rogers, and William H. Wisner.

For the district of Florida: Lyman D. Stickney, John S. Sammis, and Harrison Reed.

For the district of Louisiana: William L. Hodge, William Parker, and Adolphe Rozier.

For the district of Arkansas: Jonas M. Tibbitts, Samuel H. Hempstead, and David Walker.

For the district of Texas: Lemuel D. Evans, James Throckmorton, George W. Paschal.

For the District of South Carolina: Abram D. Smith, William E. Wording, and William Henry Brisbane.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 14, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Henry S. Pitkin, of New York, to be an assistant surgeon in the Navy, vice Assistant Surgeon John Wilson, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 14 July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Robert Townsend to be a lieutenant in the Navy, from the 18th October, 1850, to take rank next after Lieutenant Egbert Thompson, and to fill an existing vacancy.

This nomination was intended to have been included in the list of nominations transmitted to the Senate, dated 4th instant, but was inadvertently omitted.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 14 July, 1862.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John Hawkshurst and others be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ordered, That the nominations of Henry S. Pitkin and Robert Townsend be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of Thomas E. Collins, Schuyler Hamilton, John Pope, and Horace A. Tenney, reported.

Whereupon

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Thomas E. Collins, John Pope, and Horace A. Tenney; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom were referred, on the 3d instant, the nomination of Leonard Lottridge, and on the 12th instant that of Isaac Marsh, reported.

Mr. Collamer, from the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, to whom was referred, on the 12th instant, the convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Costa Rica, for the better regulation of communication by post, concluded at the city of San José on the 9th day of June, 1862, reported it without amendment.

The said convention was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment being made, it was reported to the Senate.

Mr. Collamer submitted the following resolution; which was considered, by unanimous consent, and unanimously agreed to :

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the convention between the United States and the Republic of Costa Rica, for the better regulation of communication by post, concluded at the city of San José on the 9th day of June, 1862.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Henry Van Rensselaer as brevet brigadier-general in the Army of the United States.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of George W. Roberts.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of William S. Blunt, William H. Sells, Charles S. Perley, Edwin Putnam, Horatio L. Wait, Arthur Burtis, jr., and Edgar C. Waples, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 12th instant, the nomination of Charles W. Rand, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Charles W. Rand, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Joseph P. Santmyer; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Joseph P. Santmyer.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Samuel S. Smoot; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Samuel S. Smoot, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William A. Gordon, Augustus Morse, John Welch, Charles E. Russ, Frederick F. Cavada, William L. Palmer, John J. Adair, Henry G. Litchfield, Thayer Melvin, William H. Conner, Robert T. Dunham, Raymond Burr, Robert O. Selfridge, George W. Wiley, John Moore, Andrew K. Smith, Richard

H. Alexander, Joseph K. Smith, Josiah H. Kellogg, John A. Darling, Henry F. Brownson, Henry L. Taliaferro, John M. Stephenson, Howard Reeder, Ambrose Thompson, John H. Purcell, John H. Nichols, jr., W. H. H. Cranwall, George Wallace, Charles H. Hempstead, John Jamison, Theodore McGowan, Charles E. Wendt, S. W. Waldron, Augustus H. Bainbridge, Edwin V. Sumner (for brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and for major-general of Volunteers), Samuel P. Heintzelman (for brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and for major-general, Volunteers), Erasmus D. Keys (for brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and for major-general Volunteers), Fitz-John Porter (for brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and for major-general Volunteers), William H. Martin, Harrison C. Weir, Ethan A. Brown, and Edward H. C. Hooper, Wm. B. Franklin (for brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and for major-general Volunteers), and Edward P. Bigelow; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

That the resolution of the Senate advising and consenting to the appointment of John H. Nichols, jr., and Edward P. Bigelow be reconsidered.

Ordered, That the said motion be postponed to to-morrow.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William C. Kise, Gustavus Kammerling, Alvan C. Gillem, Andrew S. Burt, George E. Flynt, George S. Roper, Michael G. Garber, John P. Croxton, James George, Phileman B. Hunt, Alexander Wilkin, Charles Joseph, Frederick Schroeder, Marsh B Taylor, John W. Perkins, Samuel H. Shortle, and George H. Harries; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the said nominations lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Cowan that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the nomination of Benjamin S. Roberts,

After debate,

On motion by Mr. Hale,

The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JULY 15, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Major John Buford, assistant inspector-general U. S. Army, to be brigadier general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

EDWIN M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Jay Hazel Sherman, of New York, to be consul of the United States at Prince Edward Island.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Warner L. Underwood, of Kentucky, to be consul of the United States at Glasgow, in the place of John S. Prettyman, whose nomination has been rejected.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Benjamin F. Tefft, of Maine, to be consul of the United States at Stockholm, in the place of Charles A. Leas, whose nomination has been rejected.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15th, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Colonel E. Parker Scammon, of the Twenty-third Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, to be brigadier general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 12th, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, July 12, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

J. Speed Play, of Kentucky, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General G. Clay Smith).

Lieutenant O. B. Mervine, of the Fourteenth Regiment New York Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General Charles Griffin).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Brigadier-General Alexander McD. McCook, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general.

Brigadier-General William Nelson, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general.

Brigadier-General Thomas L. Crittenden, of the United States Volunteers, to be major-general.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Colonel Philip H. Sheridan, of the Second Michigan Cavalry (captain Thirteenth U. S. Infantry), to be brigadier-general, to date from July 1, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Henry Curtis, jr., of the Thirty-seventh Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 14, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

A. L. Austin, of Massachusetts, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States :

Adjutant-General's Department.

Lieutenant H. B. Scott, 2nd Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brig. Gen'l Geo. H. Gordon).

Quartermaster's Department.

Lieutenant M. M. Hawes, 2nd Massachusetts Volunteers, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

James S. Hall, of Maine, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

Lieutenant C. Wheaton, jr., 2nd Massachusetts Volunteers, to be commissary of subsistence, with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant William O. Turner, of the 49th Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General B. W. Johnson).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Captain Simon F. Barstow, assistant adjutant-general of Volunteers, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major (for Maj. Gen'l McDowell).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 15, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 15th, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Edwin H. Webster, of Maryland, to be brigadier-general.

Reuben Griffith Porter, of New Jersey, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 15th, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Henry L. Bevans, of Minnesota, to be additional paymaster.

Orloff M. Dorman, of Florida, to be additional paymaster.

Henry C. Weir, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

B. F. Winchester, of New York, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Medical Department of the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named examined and approved candidates for appointment as assistant surgeons in the Army of the United States, the first four to fill vacancies created by the act of April 16, 1862, and all of them to date from July 11, 1862:

William W. Keen, of Pennsylvania.

George L. Porter, of Pennsylvania.

David L. Huntington, of Pennsylvania.

T. W. Williams, of the District of Columbia.

Charles M. Colton, of Virginia, vice William A. Hammond, promoted.

T. M. Brown, of Ohio, vice John Moore, promoted.

Charles S. DeGraw, of New York, vice A. K. Smith, promoted.

Edward C. Strode, of Illinois, vice Vollum, appointed medical inspector.

Andrew H. Smith, of New York, vice Alexander, promoted.

Van Buren Hubbard, of Ohio, vice J. R. Smith, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George K. Pomeroy, of ———, for appointment in the Regular Army, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 15, 1862.

SIR: By your direction I have the honor to submit the name of George K. Pomeroy, of Massachusetts, for appointment as second lieutenant in the Third Regiment of Infantry.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate Hanson E. Weaver, of the District of Columbia, for re-appointment and promotion in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 15, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Hanson E. Weaver for reappointment as second lieutenant in the Eighth Regiment of Infantry, to date from June 25, 1861, his original date of rank, and for promotion as first lieutenant, February 27, 1862, to take place on the Army register where he stood before, that is to say, next below First Lieutenant Samuel P. Ferris.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read.

Ordered, That the nominations of John Buford, E. Burker Scammon, Alexander D. McCook, William Nelson, Philip H. Sheridan, Henry Curtis, jr., A. L. Austin, H. B. Scott and others, Edwin H. Webster, Reuben Griffith Porter, Henry L. Bevans and others, William W. Keen and others, and George K. Pomeroy be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia.

Ordered, That the nominations of Jay Hazel Sherman, Warren L. Underwood, and Benjamin F. Tift be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of J. Speed Play, C. B. Mervine, William O. Turner, Simon F. Barstow, and Harrison E. Weaver; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred, on the 12th instant, the nomination of George M. Pinney, reported.

Whereupon

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of George M. Pinney, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of Joseph Smith, Andrew H. Foote, Charles Henry Davis, John A. Dahlgren, H. Bridge, and

William Whelan, and on the 14th instant those of Henry S. Pitkin and Robert Townsend, reported.

Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred, on the 23d June last, the nomination of George Gordon de Luna Byron, reported.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 9, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 9, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

A. H. Robinson, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 11, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 11, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional paymasters in the service of the United States:

William M. Caldwell, of New York, vice Platt, cashiered.
Charles J. F. Allen, of Kentucky.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 15, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Daniel L. Eaton, of Pennsylvania, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment as additional aides-de-camp, under the act approved August 5, 1861, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, July 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons to be additional aides-de-camp:

James D. Fessenden, of ———, on the recommendation of Major-General Wool, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, July 16, 1862.

John B. Frothingham, of ———, on the recommendation of Major-General Wool, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, July 15, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, July 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment as additional paymaster in the service of the United States:

Wesley S. Mann, of Pennsylvania.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the person named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 16, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Edward S. Convers, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *July 16, 1862.*

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 16, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

Quartermaster's Department.

William H. Daniels, of New York, to be assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain.

Subsistence Department.

William D. Wesson, of Ohio, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

Archibald C. Voris, of Indiana, to be commissary of subsistence with the rank of captain.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States:

I hereby withdraw the nomination of George Gordon de Luna Byron, of New York, who was heretofore nominated for the consulate at Asuncion.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, *16 July, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Connally F. Trigg, of Tennessee, to be judge of the United States district courts for the district of Tennessee.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *July 16, 1862.*

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Samuel F. Miller, of Iowa, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *July 16, 1862.*

The messages were read.

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of A. H. Robinson, W. M. Caldwell, Charles J. F. Allen, Daniel L. Eaton, James D. Fessenden, John B. Frothingham, Wesley S. Mann, Edward S. Convers, William H. Daniels, Archibald C. Voris, William D. Wesson, and Samuel F. Miller; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Mr. Pomeroy, from the Committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred, on the 12th instant, the nomination of Clement T. Rice, reported.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia, to whom was referred, on the 12th instant, the nominations of Charles P. Horton, Abraham Edwards, R. C. Edwards, William H. Vallance, John Morris, Thompson I. Eckert, T. B. A. David, Randall P. Wade, George H. Smith, Randolph Botts, Thomas H. Harris, William W. Cantine, George W. Burton, Isaac N. Mason, James S. Drum, J. M. Robinson, Orlando J. Hopkins, and D. D. Jones, and on the 15th instant those of Henry Curtis, jr., A. L. Austin, H. B. Scott, M. M. Hawes, James S. Hall, C. Wheaton, jr., Henry L. Bevans, Orloff M. Dorman, Henry C. Weir, B. F. Winchester, William W. Keen, George L. Porter, David L. Huntington, T. W. Williams, Charles M. Colton, T. M. Brown, Charles S. De Graw, Edward C. Strode, Andrew H. Smith, Van Buren Hubbard, George K. Pomeroy, J. H. Boucher, and Reuben Griffith Porter, reported.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, the nomination of William W. Hinkley, and on the 15th instant those of Jay Hazel Sherman, Warner L. Underwood, and Benjamin F. Tefft, reported.

Mr. King, from the Committee on Commerce, to whom were referred, on the 14th instant, the nominations of John Hawkshurst and others, reported.

On motion by Mr. Collamer,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Leonard Lott-ridge and Isaac Marsh; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Clinton Cullum; and

On motion by Mr. Anthony,

Ordered, That it lie on the table.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom were referred, on the 12th instant, a treaty between the United States and chiefs, headmen, and delegates of the Kickapoo Nation; on the 15th April last articles of agreement and convention between the United States and delegates of the Sacs and Foxes, of Missouri, and on the 7th instant articles of agreement and convention between the United States and delegates of the Sac and Fox tribe of Indians of the Mississippi, reported the said treaties respectively without amendment; and

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

Ordered, That the said treaties respectively lie on the table.

Mr. Doolittle, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred, on the 28th June last, the treaty between the United States and the chief and councilmen of the Ottawa Indians of the united bands of Blanchard's Fork and of Roche de Boenf, now in Franklin County, Kansas, reported the same with an amendment.

The said treaty was read the second time and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and the reported amendment having been unanimously agreed to, the treaty was reported to the Senate and the amendment was unanimously concurred in.

Mr. Doolittle submitted the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the articles of agreement between the United States and the chief and councilmen of the Ottawa Indians of the united bands of Blanchard's Fork and of Roche de Boeuf, now in Franklin County, Kansas, concluded on the 24th day of June, 1862, with the following amendment:

Strike out the following proviso of the first article:

"Provided further, That John T. Jones, now a member of the Ottawas, being an educated and experienced man withal, having given many evidences of devotion and loyalty to the Government of the United States, he is, at his request and that of the Ottawas, hereby declared to be a citizen of the United States, exempt from the restrictions hereinafter provided concerning the purchase, alienation, or incumbrance of the Ottawa lands, and after all the selections and allotments herein provided for are made he is hereby authorized to locate and purchase of the Secretary of the Interior any of the remaining lands of the said Ottawas at one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre; but this article shall not deprive the said Jones of any of the pecuniary benefits of this treaty as an Ottawa Indian."

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the said resolution, and unanimously agreed thereto.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay the said resolution before the President of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion submitted by Mr. Sherman on the 14th instant, that the Senate reconsider its votes on the resolutions advising and consenting to the appointment of John H. Nicols and Edward P. Bigelow; and it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Ten Eyck, the Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Reuben Griffith Porter; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Reuben Griffith Porter, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Pomeroy, the Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Ira F. Payson; and

Resolved, That the Senate do not advise and consent to the appointment of Ira F. Payson.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Lewis G. Arnold, John McL. Hildt, Zealous B. Tower, Harvey A. Allen, Samuel F. Chalfin, Henry W. Closson, James M. Robertson, Mathew M. Blunt, Richard C. Duryea, Loomis L. Langdon, Walter McFarland, Alexander N. Shipley, Richard H. Jackson, Alexander C. M. Pennington, Francis W. Seeley, Frank E. Taylor, John W. Todd, Ward B. Burnett, John B. S. Todd, Robert Williams, James B. McPherson, Crafts J. Wright, John T. Sprague, John P. Slough, George W. B. Tompkins, August Willich, John M. Thayer, James Steedman, Benjamin W. Brice, William B. Hazen, Stanley Mathews, Josiah W. Bissell, Anselm Albert, A. E. Jones, Hugh B. Read, Robert Allen, Joshua B. Howell, C. T. Robbins, William T. Magruder, and W. W. Duffield; and

Ordered, That the said nominations lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry Connelly; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry Connelly ?

It was determined in the affirmative. { Yeas 29
Nays 7

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Cowan, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, McDougall, Morrill, Powell, Rice, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of Mo.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Howe, King, Pomeroy, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wright.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry Connelly, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Catherimus P. Buckingham, Alfred Pleasonton, Francis J. Herron, Charles Craft, Morgan L. Smith, Frederick Salomon, Fitz-Henry Warren, Jacob Ammen, J. W. Sill, Benjamin S. Roberts, and Cadwalader C. Washburne; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James S. Jackson; and

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, that the said nomination lie on the table,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 16
Nays 19

On motion by Mr. McDougall,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Foot, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Howard, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Cowan, Doolittle, Fessenden, Harris, Henderson, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Powell, Rice, Sherman, Stark, Ten Eyck, Wilson of Mo., Wright.

So the motion was not agreed to.

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James S. Jackson ?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 21
Nays 14

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Collamer, Cowan, Doolittle, Foster, Hale, Harris, Henderson, Howe, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Morrill, Powell, Rice, Sherman, Stark, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Wilson of Mo., Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Fessenden, Foot, Harlan, Howard, King, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Sumner, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James S. Jackson, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Julius H. Stahel; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Julius H. Stahel, agreeably to the nomination.

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1862.

The following messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Nicolay, his secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Walter Edwards, of Missouri, to be United States attorney for the eastern district of Missouri, in place of James O. Broadhead, resigned.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the following captains to be rear-admirals in the Navy, on the retired list, viz:

Charles Stewart, George C. Read, William B. Shubrick, George W. Storer, Joseph Smith, Francis H. Gregory, Elie A. F. Lavallette, Silas H. Stringham, and Hiram Paulding.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 17 July, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 16 July, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 16, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States:

To be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain.

Captain W. H. Kinsman, 4th Iowa Volunteers (for Brig. Gen. G. M. Dodge).

Jesse Elliott Jacobs, of Pennsylvania (for Brig. Gen. W. L. Elliott).

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,

Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the officer named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the name of Captain John P. Sherburne, of the Nineteenth Regiment of Infantry, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, vice Drum, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the officers named in the accompanying list for promotion in the Adjutant-General's Department of the Army of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of promotions in the Adjutant-General's Department of the Army, to fill the vacancies in the Department, by the act approved July 17, 1862, the date of the approval of the act. Promotions to date from the approval of the act:

Lieutenant-Colonel Don Carlos Buell, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of colonel, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Seth Williams, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Julius P. Garesché, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Major Richard C. Drum, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, July, 1862, vice Buell, promoted.

Captain George S. Hartsuff, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Nathaniel H. McLean, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain John C. Kelton, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Robert Williams, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain William D. Whipple, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Chauncey McKeever, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Albert V. Colburn, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain George D. Ruggles, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Thomas M. Vincent, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, to fill an original vacancy.

Captain Oliver D. Greene, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, vice Williams, promoted.

Captain Samuel Breck, assistant adjutant-general, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of major, July, 1862, vice Garesché, promoted.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
EDWIN M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the person named in the accompanying communication for appointment in the Volunteer force, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named person for appointment in the Volunteer force now in the service of the United States.

William M. Boone, of Pennsylvania, to be assistant adjutant-general with the rank of captain (for Brigadier-General Henry H. Lockwood.)

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,
E. M. STANTON.

Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the following-named persons to be commissioners to revise and codify the laws of the District of Columbia :

Richard S. Coxe, John A. Wills, P. R. Fendall.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment as additional aides-de-camp in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of additional aides-de-camp for appointment under the act of August 5, 1861 :

To be colonels.

Captain John C. Kelton, assistant adjutant-general to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 14, 1861.

Captain John C. Kelton, assistant adjutant-general to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, January 4, 1862.

Major Edward H. Wright, of the Sixth Cavalry, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, January 15, 1862.

Wilson Shaffer, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, January 30, 1862.

Daniel E. McCallum, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, February 11, 1862.

Major Robert Allen, quartermaster to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Department of the Mississippi, February 19, 1862.

Major John V. D. Du Bois, of the First Regiment of Missouri Light Artillery (first lieutenant, Third Cavalry), to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, February 19, 1862.

Captain Lewis B. Parsons, assistant quartermaster of Volunteers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, February 19, 1862.

Gustave Paul Cluseret, of Italy, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, March 10, 1862.

Anseleme Albert, of Missouri, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

John T. Fiala, of Missouri, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Captain Albert Tracy, of the Tenth Infantry, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

J. P. C. Shanks, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Robert N. Hudson, of Indiana, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Charles Zagonyi, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Phillip Figyelmesy, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Captain William F. Reynolds, of the Topographical Engineers, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

N. P. Chipman, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, April 17, 1862.

Herman Haupt, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 27, 1862.

Lieutenant-Colonel James B. McPherson, additional aide-de camp (captain, Corps of Engineers), to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 1, 1862.

Captain John W. Turner, commissary of subsistence, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 31, 1862.

Clarke B. Lagoon, of Illinois, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 3, 1862.

W. S. Hillyer, of Missouri, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 3, 1862.

John Riggan, junior, of Missouri, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 3, 1862.

Lieutenant Colonel John N. Macomb, additional aide de camp (major Corps of Topographical Engineers), to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, May 15, 1862.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Schriver, Eleventh Infantry, to Major-General Fremont, commanding Mountain Department, May 18, 1862.

Philip Daum, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 26, 1862.

Amos B. Jouis, of New Hampshire, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 31, 1862.

Major Daniel T. Van Buren, assistant adjutant-general of volunteers, to Major-General Wool, commanding Department of Southeastern Virginia, June 1, 1862.

Lieutenant-colonels.

Augustus Schroer, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

John Pilsen, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

James W. Savage, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Captain William D. Whipple, assistant adjutant-general, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding Army of Southeastern Virginia, February 10, 1862.

Alfred W. Ellet, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 28, 1862.

Captain Joseph S. Conrad, of the Second Regiment of Infantry, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 5, 1862.

Ambrose Thompson, of ———, to Major-General Wool, commanding Department of Southeastern Virginia, May 19, 1862.

Charles H. R. Shriber, of ———, to Major-General Wool, commanding Department of Southeastern Virginia, May 19, 1862.

Majors.

Henry Z. Hayner, of New York, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Va., Nov. 1, 1862.

John J. Key, of Indiana, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., March 5, 1862.

A. H. Gillespie, of California, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., March 20, 1862.

B. M. Corwine, of Ohio, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

T. J. Weed, of Kansas, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

Augustus Hain, of Prussia, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 11, 1862.

Champion Vaughan, of Kansas, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., April 11, 1862.

Clinton H. Meneely, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 11, 1862.

T. I. Kinney, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, April 17, 1862.

Verplank Van Antwerp, of Iowa, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 19, 1862.

D. Henry Burtnete, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 22, 1862.

Adolf Carlsson Warberg, of Sweden, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 24, 1862.

Addison S. Norton, of Illinois, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 1, 1862.

Ernest Von Vegesack, of Sweden, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, May 8, 1862.

First Lieutenant David C. Houston, Corps of Engineers, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 16, 1862.

Ernest F. Hoffman, of Prussia, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 31, 1862.

Burr Porter, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, June 2, 1862.

Captains.

W. L. B. Jenney, of Mass., to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., August 19, 1861.

Arnold Hoepfner, of Mo., to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., August 19, 1861.

William Hoelcke, of Mo., to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., August 19, 1861.

William Cossack, of Mo., to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., Aug. 19, 1861.

W. Willard Smith, of Iowa, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Miss., Dec. 9, 1861.

Philip Lydig, of New York, to Major-General Wool, commanding Department of Southeastern Virginia, January 9, 1862.

John A. Bolles, of Massachusetts, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, January 30, 1862.

William Biddle, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, January 31, 1862.

William R. Rowley, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, February 26, 1862.

William E. Dole, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, March 18, 1862.

Isaac H. Marrow, of Ohio, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, March 18, 1862.

Frederick R. Munther, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, March 18, 1862.

Henry C. Lockwood, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, March 31, 1862.

John R. Howard, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., March 31, 1862.

Rossiter W. Raymond, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., March 31, 1862.

J. C. Hopper, of New Jersey, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., March 31, 1862.

Jacob Von Oederstrom, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., March 31, 1862.

Earl S. Goodrich, of Minnesota, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, April 1, 1862.

Cyrus Hamlin, of Maine, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 3, 1862.

First Lieutenant Andrew S. Burt, of the Eighteenth Infantry, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, April 3, 1862.

Hupter Brooke, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Dept. of the Mississippi, April 3, 1862.

Duncan A. Pell, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 4, 1862.

George R. Fearing, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 4, 1862.

James M. Rice, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 5, 1862.

Daniel J. Keily, of Ireland, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 9, 1862.

Miles W. Keogh, of Ireland, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 9, 1862.

Timothy E. Elsworth, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 11, 1862.

William Fisher, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 11, 1862.

Benjamin W. Richards, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 12, 1862.

Volney Hickox, of Illinois, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 14, 1862.

Franklin Haven, jr., of Massachusetts, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 15, 1862.

First Lieutenant George W. Vanderbilt, of the Ninth Infantry, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 17, 1862.

William A. Keyser, of Missouri, to Maj. Gen'l Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Miss., April 18, 1862.

Henry J. Doolittle, of Wisconsin, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 19, 1862.

Gustavus St. Albe, of Austria, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, April 21, 1862.

Daniel W. Van Horn, of New York, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 22, 1862.

Hamilton Lieber, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Dept. of Miss., April 22, 1862.

Joseph O. Keefe, of Ireland, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 24, 1862.

George Ward Nichols, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 26, 1862.

Charles C. Barton, of New York, to Maj. Genl. Halleck, commanding Dept. of Miss., April 26, 1862.

Henry S. Spear, of Ohio, to Major-General McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac April 26, 1862.

W. H. Paine, of Wisconsin, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 28, 1862.

Adam Padeau, of New York, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Dept. of Miss., April 29, 1862.

S. William Saxton, of ———, to Major General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., April 30, 1862.

Edward O. Brown, of Indiana, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, April 30, 1862.

Uladislas Leski, of Poland, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 1, 1862.

Julius Fosses, of Belgium, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 1, 1862.

Augustus Backt, of Belgium, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 1, 1862.

Joseph Gruwe, of Belgium, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 1, 1862.

Mortimer C. Mizner, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., May 1, 1862.

William H. W. Krebs, of Maryland, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 3, 1862.

Nehemiah Merritt, of New Jersey, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 13, 1862.

Charles W. Morgan, of New York, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 14, 1862.

Thomas H. Greene, of Maine, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 14, 1862.

Daniel W. Hughes, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General Wool, commanding Dept. of Southeastern Virginia, May 15, 1862.

T. E. Greenwood, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Mississippi, May 16, 1862.

First Lieutenant Joseph B. Campbell, Fourth Artillery, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 16, 1862.

Hngo Von Poblotski, of Prussia, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 16, 1862.

Richard L. Shelley, of the District of Columbia, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 17, 1862.

John S. Slosson, of New York, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 17, 1862.

John Jewett, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 19, 1862.

Second Lieutenant George B. Drake, of the Sixth Infantry, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 22, 1862.

First Lieutenant James P. Drouillard, Sixth Infantry, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 23, 1862.

John Markoe, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 23, 1862.

James DeW. Cutting, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, May 23, 1862.

Craig W. Wadsworth, of New York, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 23, 1862.

Edward Valentins, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 24, 1862.

John Charles Anderson, of New York, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 24, 1862.

Albert G. Slow, jr., of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 24, 1862.

Ulric Dahlgren, of the District of Columbia, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 29, 1862.

William M. Lewis, of Indiana, to Maj. Genl. Wool, commanding Dept. of Southeastern Virginia, May 30, 1862.

Zebulon Baird, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 30, 1862.

Charles Spraul, of Bavaria, to Maj. Gen'l Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., May 31, 1862.

George G. Lyon, of ———, to Maj. Gen'l Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 2, 1862.

Adolphe Ernest Bauer, of ———, to Maj. Gen'l Wool, commanding Dept. of Southeastern Virginia, June 3, 1862.

Edward P. Brownson, of New Jersey, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 3, 1862.

First Lieutenant Wright Rives, of the Sixth Infantry, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Dept. of the Mississippi, June 4, 1862.

Isaac K. Casey, of District of Columbia, to Maj. Gen'l Wool, commanding Dept. of Southeastern Virginia, June 4, 1862.

Second Lieutenant George A. Custer, Fifth Cavalry, to Maj. Gen'l McClellan, commanding Army of the Potomac, June 5, 1862.

Henry C. Freeman, of ———, to Maj. Gen'l Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Mississippi, June 6, 1862.

Daniel Hall, of New Hampshire, to Maj. Gen'l Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 7, 1862.

Howard Stockton, of New Jersey, to Maj. Gen'l Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 9, 1862.

Flamen Ball, of ———, to Maj. Gen'l Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., 9, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment as additional aides-de-camp, under the act of August 5, 1861, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following-named persons to be additional aides-de-camp, under the act of August 5, 1861 :

To be colonels.

Thomas M. Key, of Ohio, to Maj. Gen'l McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 19, 1861.

Major Thomas J. Cram, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, Sept. 25, 1861.

Major Henry J. Hunt, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Major Daniel H. Rucker, of the Quartermaster's Dept., to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Major Henry F. Clarke, of the Subsistence Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain George Thom, of the Corps of Topographical Engineers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, Nov. 16, 1861.

Richard D. Cutts, of the District of Columbia, to Major-Gen'l Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, November 16, 1861.

John S. Clark, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, November 18, 1861.

Charles F. Havelock, of ———, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, November 23, 1861.

Joseph C. McKibbin, of California, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of Missouri, Nov. 29, 1861.

To be lieutenant-colonels.

Captain Rufus Ingalls, of the Quartermaster's Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain William B. Hays, of the Second Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain George W. Getty, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Barton S. Alexander, of the Corps of Engineers, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain James A. Hardie, of the Fifth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Nelson B. Sweitzer, of the First Cavalry, to Maj. Gen'l McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, Sept. 28, 1861.

Captain Edward McK. Hudson, of the Fourteenth Infantry, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Captain Albert V. Colburn, of the Adjutant-General's Department, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 28, 1861.

Paul Von Radowitz, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 30, 1861.

To be majors.

William P. Jones, of Connecticut, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, September 20, 1861.

Herbert Von Hammerstein, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, September 20, 1861.

Charles John Von Herman, of Connecticut, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, November 5, 1861.

Captain Delavan D. Perkins, of the Fourth Artillery, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, Novr. 18, 1861.

William H. Ludlow, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, November 18, 1861.

To be captains.

Richard B. Irwin, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 22, 1861.

Joseph Kirkland, of Illinois, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 26, 1861.

Arthur McClellan, of Pennsylvania, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, August 26, 1861.

William Jay, of New York, to Brevet Major-General Wool, commanding the Army of Southeastern Virginia, August 28, 1861.

Martin T. McMahon, of California, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, October 25, 1861.

Edward A. Raymond, of New York, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, October 30, 1861.

William P. Mason, of Massachusetts, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 12, 1861.

William Scheffer, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army of the Potomac, November 16, 1861.

Gustavus Von Eickstedt, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, November 16, 1861.

Achille M. B. de Villarceau, of France, to Major-General McClellan, commanding the Army, November 23, 1861.

John Hoskin, of ———, to Major-General Halleck, commanding the Army of the Missouri, November 29, 1861.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying list for appointment as additional aides-de-camp in the service of the United States, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, July 17, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to submit for your approbation the following-named persons for appointment as additional aides-de camp under the act of August 5, 1861:

To be colonels.

Captain Thomas J. Haines, commissary of subsistence, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, May 1, 1862.

George P. Ihrie, of California, to Major-General John E. Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., May 7, 1862.

Captain William Myers, assistant quartermaster, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Mississippi, June 14, 1862.

Captain George D. Ruggles, assistant adjutant-general, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Department, June 28, 1862.

Captain Speed Butler, commissary of subsistence of Volunteers, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 30, 1862.

C. A. Morgan, of Ohio, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 30, 1862.

To be lieutenant-colonels.

J. B. Kinsman, of Massachusetts, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 24, 1862.

Major Joseph A. Haskin, of the Third Artillery, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 26, 1862.

To be majors.

Silas Ramsay, of Illinois, to Major-General Wool commanding the Middle Dept., June 12, 1862.

Franz Kappner, of Missouri, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 14, 1862.

Leonidas Haskell, of California, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, June 16, 1862.

Captain William Painter, assistant quartermaster of Volunteers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Mississippi, June 16, 1862.

First Lieutenant Charles H. Brightly, of the Fourth Infantry, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 17, 1862.

James F. Meline, of the District of Columbia, to Major-General Wool, comd'g the Middle Dept., June 30, 1862.

Captains.

A. S. Dean, of ———, to Major-General Wool, commanding Middle Department, April 1, 1862.

Cavil Heintz, of Prussia, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 10, 1862.

Jules C. A. Schenossky, of Belgium, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 11, 1862.

C. S. Szabad, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, June 16, 1862.

Lieutenant A. B. Sharpe, of the Penna. Volunteers, to Major-General Halleck, commanding Department of the Miss., June 16, 1862.

Lieutenant Samuel S. Seward, of the New York Vols., to Major-General Halleck, commanding Dept. of the Miss., June 16, 1862.

James Benkard, of New York, to Maj. Gen'l Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 16, 1862.

Edward W. Hooper, of ———, to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Department, June 17, 1862.

James E. Thorndike, of Mass., to Major-General Fremont, commanding the Mountain Dept., June 17, 1862.

Aaron Seeley, of ———, to Maj. Gen'l. Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 21, 1862.

William C. Rawolle, of New York, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 21, 1862.

Henry B. Sturgis, of ———, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 21, 1862.

James S. Grier, of ———, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Dept., June 21, 1862.

First Lieutenant Charles H. Hale, of the Nineteenth Infantry, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Department, June 25, 1862.

Douglass Pope, of ———, to Major-Genl. Wool, commanding the Middle Department, June 30, 1862.

George G. Lott, of ———, to Maj. Genl. Wool, commanding the Middle Department, July 2, 1862.

Csaky Sauer de Nordendorf, of Austria, to Major-General Wool, commanding the Middle Department, July 3, 1862. (Assigned to duty with Major-General Banks.)

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

To the Senate of the United States :

I nominate the persons named in the accompanying communication for appointment as additional aides-de-camp, under the act of August 5, 1861, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1862.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *July 17, 1862.*

SIR: I have the honor to propose for your approbation the following list of persons for appointment as additional aides-de-camp, under the act of August 5, 1861:

To be colonels.

Major Robert E. Clary, of the Quartermaster's Department, to Maj. Gen'l John E. Wool, commanding the Middle Department, July 5, 1862.

Captain Edward G. Beckwith, of the Third Artillery, to Maj. Gen'l John E. Wool, commanding the Middle Department, July 5, 1862.

Major Amos Beckwith, of the Subsistence Dept., to Major Gen'l John E. Wool, commanding the Middle Department, January 1, 1862.

Captain Samuel Holabird, of the Quartermaster's Department, to Major-General John E. Wool, commanding Middle Department, July 11, 1862.

Major James Belger, of the Quartermaster's Dep't, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g. Middle Dep't, July 11, 1862.

To be lieutenant-colonels.

Isaac C. Elston, jr., of——, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 9, 1862.

Captain Frederick Myers, of the Qr'master's Dep't, to Maj. Gen'l H. W. Halleck, com'd'g Dep't of the Miss., July 15, 1862.

To be majors.

Captain Louis H. Pelouse, of the 15th Infantry, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 3, 1862.

J. Lyman Van Buren, of——, to Maj. Gen'l G. B. McClellan, com'd'g Army of the Potomac, July 7, 1862.

James C. Biddle, of——, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 8, 1862.

Joseph C. Willard, of District of Columbia, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 15, 1862.

Captain James M. Sanderson, com. of sub. of Vols., to Maj. Gen'l H. W. Halleck, com'd'g Dep't of the Miss., July 15, 1862.

To be captains.

Lewis Livingston, of——, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't July 3, 1862.

George F. Tannatt, of Massachusetts, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 5, 1862.

Walter Cutting, of ——, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 9, 1862.

George S. Shaw, of Pennsylvania, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 9, 1862.

Stephen E. Jones, of——, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 9, 1862.

Edgar W. Dennis, of New York, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 11, 1862.

John H. Piatt, of Ohio, to Maj. Gen'l J. E. Wool, com'd'g Middle Dep't, July 11, 1862.

George P. Edgar, of——, to Major General J. E. Wool, commanding Middle Department, July 10, 1862.

James S. Gould, of ———, to Major General J. E. Wool, commanding Middle Department, July 14, 1862.

I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

The messages were read. .

The Senate, by unanimous consent, proceeded to consider the nominations of William Walter Edwards, W. H. Kimsman, Jesse Elliott Jacobs, John P. Sherburne, Don Carlos Buell, Seth Williams, Julius P. Garésch, Richard C. Drum, George L. Hartsuff, Nathaniel H. McLean, John C. Kelton, Robert Williams, William D. Whipple, Chauncey McKeever, Albert B. Colburn, George D. Ruggles, Thomas M. Vincent, Oliver D. Greene, Samuel Breck, William M. Boone, James B. Fry, John C. Kelton, Edward H. Wright, Wilson Shaffer, Daniel E. McCallum, Robert Allen, John V. D. DuBois, Lewis B. Parsons, Gustave Paul Cluseret, Anselm Albert, John T. Fiala, Albert Tracy, J. P. C. Shank, Robert N. Hudson, Charles Zagonyi, Philip Figyelmesy, William F. Reynolds, N. P. Chipman, Herman Haupt, James B. McPherson, John W. Turner, Clark B. Lagoon, W. S. Hillyes, John Riggins, jr., John N. Macomb, Edward Schriver, Philip Daum, Amos B. Jones, Daniel F. Van Buren, Augustus Schroer, John Pilsen, James W. Savage, William D. Whipple, Alfred W. Ellet, Joseph S. Conrad, Ambrose Thompson, Charles H. R. Shriver, Henry Z. Hayner, John J. Key, A. H. Gillespie, E. M. Corwine, T. J. Weed, Augustus Hain, Champion Vaughan, Clinton H. Meneely, T. J. Kinney, Verplank Van Antwerp, D. Henry Burtneet, Adolph Carlsson Warberg, Addison S. Norton, Ernest Von Vegesack, David O. Houston, Ernest F. Hoffman, Burr Porter, W. L. B. Jenny, Arnold Hoëppner, William Hoelcke, William Cossack, W. Willard Smith, Philip Lydig, John A. Bolles, William Biddle, William R. Rowley, William R. Dole, Isaac H. Morrow, Frederick R. Munther, Henry C. Lockwood, John E. Howard, Rossiter W. Raymond, J. C. Hopper, Jacob Von Cederstrom, Earl S. Goodrich, Cyrus Hamlin, Andrew S. Burt, Hunter Brooke, Duncan A. Pell, George R. Fearing, James M. Rice, Daniel J. Keily, Miles W. Keogh, Timothy E. Elsworth, William Fisher, Benjamin W. Richards, Volney Hickox, Franklin Haven, jr., George W. Vanderbilt, William A. Keyser, Henry J. Doolittle, Gustavus St. Albe, Daniel W. Van Horn, Hamilton Lieber, Joseph O. Keefe, George Ward Nichols, Charles C. Barton, Henry S. Spear, W. H. Paine, Adam Badeau, S. Willard Saxton, Edward O. Brown, Uladislav Leski, Julius Fosses, Augustus Beckt, Joseph Greene, Mortimer C. Mizner, William H. W. Krebs, Nehemiah Merritt, Charles W. Morgan, Thomas H. Greene, Daniel W. Hughes, T. E. Greenwood, Joseph B. Campbell, Hugo Von Poblotski, Richard L. Shelley, John S. Slosson, John Jewett, George B. Drake, James P. Drouillard, John Markoe, James D. W. Cutting, Craig W. Wadsworth, Edward Valentinis, John Charles Anderson, Albert G. Sloo, Ulric Dahlgren, William M. Lewis, Zebulon Baird, Charles Spraul, George G. Lyon, Adolph Ernest Bauer, Edward P. Brownson, Wright Rives, Isaac K. Casey, George A. Custer, Henry C. Freeman, Daniel Hall, Howard Stockton, Flamen Ball, Thomas M. Key, Thomas J. Crane, Henry J. Hunt, Daniel H. Rucker, Henry F. Clarke, George Thom, Richard D. Cutts, John S. Clark, Charles F. Havelock, Joseph C. McKibben, Rufus Ingalls, William B. Hays, George W. Getty, S. Alexander, James A. Hardie, Nelson B. Sweitzer, Edward McK. Hudson, Albert V. Calburn, Paul Von

Radowitz, William P. Jones, Herbird Von Hammerstein, Charles John Von Hermann, Daeavau D. Perkins, William H. Ludlow, Richard B. Irwin, Joseph Kirkland, Arthur McClellan, William Jay, Marten T. McMahon, Edward A. Raymond, William P. Mason, William Scheffer, Gustavus Von Eickstedt, Achille M. B. de Villarceau, John Hoskin, Thomas J. Haines, George P. Ihrie, William Myers, George D. Ruggles, Speed Butler, C. A. Morgan, J. B. Kinsman, Joseph A. Haskin, Silas Ramsay, Franz Kappner, Leonidas Haskill, William Painter, Charles H. Brightley, James F. Melins, A. S. Dean, Carl Heintz, Jules C. A. Schenossky, C. S. Szabad, A. B. Sharpe, Samuel S. Seward, James Benkerd, Edward W. Hooper, James E. Thorndike, Aaron Seeley, William C. Rawolle, Henry B. Sturgis, James S. Grier, Charles H. Hale, Douglass Pope, George G. Lott, Csaky Sauer de Nordendorf, Robert E. Clary, Edward G. Beckwith, Amos Beckwith, Samuel B. Holabird, James Belger, Isaac C. Elston, Frederick Myer, Louis H. Pelouze, J. Lyman Van Buren, James C. Biddle, Joseph C. Willard, James M. Saunderson, Lewis Livingston, George F. Tannett, Walter Cutting, George S. Shaw, Stephen E. Jones, Edgar W. Dennis, John H. Piatt, George P. Edgar, and James S. Gould; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nominations of Charles Stewart and others be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Ordered, That the nominations of Richard S. Cox and others be referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

On motion by Mr. Sherman,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of James Steedman; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of James Steedman, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wright,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of August Willich; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of August Willich, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of Henry D. Terry, James D. Crolly, Thaddeus Hyatt, James D. Morgan, Alfred B. Farnsworth, Jehoida J. Ware, Theoron Wolverton, Charles P. Horton, R. C. Webster, William H. Vallanse, John Morris, Thomas H. Harris, William W. Cantine, Thompson T. Eckert, T. B. A. David, Randall P. Wade, George H. Smith, Randolph Botts, J. H. Boucher, George W. Burton, Isaac N. Mason, James S. Drum, J. M. Robinson, Orlando J. Hopkins, D. D. Jones, Joseph Smith, Andrew H. Foote, Charles Henry Davis, John A. Dahlgren, H. Bridge, William Whelan, William Walton Murphy, William W. Hiukley, Clement T. Rice, Henry S. Pitkin, Jay Hazel Sherman, Warner L. Underwood, Benjamin F. Teft, Henry Curtis, jr., A. L. Austin, H. B. Scott, M. M. Hawes, James S. Hall, C. Wheaton, jr., Henry L. Bevans, Orloff M. Dorman, Henry O. Weir, B. F. Winchester, William W. Keen, George L. Porter, David L. Huntinton, T. W. Williams, Charles M. Colton, T. M. Brown, Charles S. De Graw, Edward C. Strode, Andrew H. Smith, Van Buren Hubbard, and George K. Pomeroy; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of William Chapman and Schuyler Hamilton; and

Ordered, That the said nominations lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nomination of Conrad Feger.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nomination; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Conrad Feger Jackson, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John Cochrane; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John Cochrane, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

Ordered, That the Committee on Military Affairs and the Militia be discharged from the further consideration of the nominations of Alexander McD. McCook, William Nelson, and Thomas S. Crittenden.

The Senate proceeded to consider the said nominations; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Seth Williams; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Seth Williams, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Henry S. Briggs; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Henry S. Briggs, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Trumbull,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John B. Turchin.

On motion by Mr. Harris that the nomination lie on the table,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 18
Nays 20

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Carlile, Collamer, Davis, Doolittle, Harris, Henderson, King, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Powell, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of Mo., Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Browning, Chandler, Clark, Cowan, Fessenden, Grimes, Hale, Harlan, Howard, Howe, Lane of Indiana, McDougall, Morrill, Rice, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Willey, Wilmot.

So the motion was not agreed to; and

After debate,

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of John B. Turchiu, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Harris,

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of Louis Blenker; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Louis Blenker?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 22
Nays 14

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Browning, Collamer, Cowan, Doolittle, Foot, Foster, Harris, Howe, King, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Rice, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Ten Eyck, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass., Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Davis, Fessenden, Grimes, Henderson, Howard, Powell, Saulsbury, Sumner, Trumbull, Wade, Wilkinson, Wilson of Mo.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Louis Blenker, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. King that the Senate resume the consideration of the nomination of Alonzo S. Upham,

It was determined in the negative, { Yeas 16
Nays 21

On motion by Mr. McDougall,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Browning, Carlisle, Cowan, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Grimes, Harris, Howard, King, McDougall, Powell, Stark, Trumbull, Wilson of Mo., Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Anthony, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Davis, Foster, Hale, Harlan, Howe, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morrill, Pomeroy, Sherman, Simmons, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Wade, Willey, Wilmot, Wilson of Mass.

So the motion was not agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of Connelly F. Trigg; and

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Connelly F. Trigg, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Grimes,

Ordered, That the Committee on Naval Affairs be discharged from the further consideration of the nominations of John Lenthal and B. F. Isherwood; and

Ordered, That the said nominations lie on the table.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of John Hawkshurst, John Lewis, Lewis Ruffner, Oliver B. Temple, John B. Rogers, William H. Wisner, Lyman B. Stickney, John S. Sammis, Harrison Reed, William L. Hodge, William Parker, Adolph Rozier, Jonas M. Tibbitts, Samuel H. Hempstead, David Walker, Lemuel D. Evans, James Throckmorton, George W. Paschal, Abram D. Smith, William D. Wordington, and William Henry Brisbane; and

On the question, Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons?

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas 26
Nays 10

On motion by Mr. Doolittle,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present, Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Anthony, Browning, Carlisle, Clark, Cowan, Davis, Doolittle, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howe, Lane of

Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Pomeroy, Sherman, Simmons, Stark, Sumner, Wade, Willey, Wilson of Mass., Wilson of Mo., Wright.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Chandler, Collamer, Grimes, Howard, King, Morrill, Powell, Saulsbury, Ten Eyck, Trumbull.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of the said persons, agreeably to their nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Fessenden,

The Senate proceeded to consider the nominations of John Lenthal and B. F. Isherwood; and

On motion by Mr. Hale,

Ordered, That the nomination of John Lenthal lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Lane, of Kansas,

Ordered, That the nomination of B. F. Isherwood lie on the table.

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