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Chris Gist Collection

Gist, Chris. Papers, 1836–1841. 7 items.

Collector. Military papers (1836–1841) of Brig. Gen. Greenup White, concerning his commissions from the state of Missouri. White was the grandfather of Lysander Gist.

Item:

- 1. General Order to General White ordering him to proceed "with all possible expedition" to the Headquarters of the First Division, commanded by Major General John B. Clark (October 30, 1838).
- 2. General Order issued to "several General Officers, who have been engaged in the service of the State" (of Missouri) during the "Mormon disturbances", to forward payrolls and expenses to the Adjutant General's Office in Jefferson, Missouri (December 6, 1838).
- 3. General Order issued to General White ordering him to militarize his brigade (August 20, 1840).
- 4. Fragment of paper with General White's command listed as his address.

Outsized Materials:

- 1. Commission of Greenup White as Brigade Inspector of the Third Brigade, First Division of the Missouri Militiamen (February 17, 1836). Signed by Daniel Dunkin, Governor of Missouri.
- Commission of Greenup White as Brigade Paymaster of First Brigade, Sixth Division of the Missouri Militiamen (September 7, 1837). Signed by Lillburn W. Boggs, Governor of Missouri.
- 3. Commission of Greenup White as County Surveyor of Cole County, Missouri (November 1, 1841). Signed by Thomas Reynolds, Governor of Missouri.