

Greene County Missouri Militia Exemption Records (R0321)

Collection Number: R0321

Collection Title: Greene County Missouri Militia Exemption Records

Dates: circa 1863

Creator: Greene County Clerk

Abstract: The Greene County Missouri Militia Exemption Records contains a photocopy of an "Assessment Roll of Exemptions from Military Duty," for Greene County, Missouri, circa 1863. The list bears the names of individuals who paid a tax in lieu of militia service during the Civil War, the fees paid, and the units from which exemptions were granted. Most exemptions were from duty in the 72nd and 74th regiments of Enrolled Missouri Militia.

Collection Size: 0.01 cubic foot (1 folder)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

Restrictions on Access: Collection is open for research. This collection is available at <u>The State</u> <u>Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Rolla</u>. If you would like more information, please contact us at <u>rolla@shsmo.org</u>. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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Donor Information: The records were donated to the University of Missouri by Greene County Clerk's office on October 12, 1987 (Accession No. RA0388).

Processed by: Processed by John Bradbury, July 21, 1988. Revised by Donovan Mefford, June 4, 2021.

Historical Note:

The 72nd and 74th regiments were raised in accordance with Missouri militia laws of 1862. The units were organized in December 1862 at Springfield, the headquarters of the 4th Military District of Missouri. They were commanded by Colonels Henry Sheppard and Marcus Boyd, respectively. Both regiments served during Marmaduke's raid into southwestern Missouri and were engaged at the Battle of Springfield on January 8, 1863.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged in its original order.

Scope and Content Note:

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