



FREEDMEN'S BUREAU TRANSCRIPTION PROJECT

Texas Assistant Commissioners and Field Office Staff List

This list provides the names and dates of service of known Freedmen's Bureau personnel, including assistant commissioners and field office staff for Texas.

TEXAS HEADQUARTERS

Assistant Commissioner

Brig. Gen. Edgar M. Gregory	Sept. 1866–Jan. 1867
Maj. Gen. Charles Griffin	Jan. 1867–Sept. 1867
Lt. Charles Garretson (acting)	Sept. 1867–Nov. 1867
Maj. Gen. Joseph J. Reynolds	Nov. 1867–Dec. 1868
Maj. Gen. Edward R.S. Canby	Jan. 1869–Apr. 1869
Maj. Gen. Joseph J. Reynolds	Apr. 1869–Dec. 1870

Superintendent of Education

E. M. Wheelock	Oct. 1865–Feb. 1867
Lt. I. P. Kirkman	Mar.–Oct. 1867
Lt. Charles Garretson	Oct.–Nov. 1867
E. M. Wheelock	Nov. 1867–Apr. 1868
Rev. Joseph Welch & E. C. Bartholomew	1869–1870
Louis Stevenson	Mar.–July 1870
E. C. Bartholomew	July–Dec. 1870

Inspector of Schools

E. M. Wheelock	Feb. 1867–June 1867
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AUSTIN

Subassistant Commissioner

Byron Porter	Oct. 1866–Feb. 1867
James Oakes	Feb. 1867–Apr. 1868
Clarence Mauck	Apr.–June 1868 and Aug.–Dec. 1868
Ebenezer Gay	June–Nov. 1868

BASTROP

Subassistant Commissioner

Byron Porter	Feb. 1867–Apr. 1868
W. H. Horton	May–Aug. 1868
David S. Beath	Oct.–Dec. 1868

BEAUMONT

Subassistant Commissioner

J. H. Archer	June 1867–Nov. 1868
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BELTON**Subassistant Commissioner**

Mathew Young
Charles C. Stiles

July–Oct. 1867
Oct.–Dec. 1867

BOSTON**Subassistant Commissioner**

William G. Kirkman

July 1867–Oct. 1868

BRENHAM**Subassistant Commissioner**

F. P. Wood

Apr.–Dec. 1868

BROWNSVILLE**Subassistant Commissioner**

Charles H. Morse
Joseph J. Reynolds
R. S. Mackenzie

Apr.–Aug. 1867
Aug. 1867
Oct.–Dec. 1867

BRYAN**Subassistant Commissioner**

N. H. Handlett (at Courtney)
De Witt Brown (at Navasota)
N. H. Handlett (at Anderson)
N. H. Handlett
James Gillette

June–Dec. 1866
Feb. 1867
May 1867–Jan. 1868
Mar.–May 1868
Oct.–Dec. 1868

CENTERVILLE**Subassistant Commissioner**

Fred W. Reinhard
J. H. Bradford
Edwin Turnock

Mar.–July 1867
July 1867–Jan. 1868
Feb. 1868

CLARKSVILLE**Subassistant Commissioner**

Charls F. Rand (See Marlin)
George Sharkley

Dec. 1867–July 1868
Sept.–Dec. 1868

CLINTON**Subassistant Commissioner**

Hiram Clark

Apr. 1867–Dec. 1868

COLUMBIA**Subassistant Commissioner**

James Hutchison
John F. Stokes
P. F. Duggan
A. F. N. Rolfe

Jan. 1866–May 1867
May–June 1867
June–Oct. 1867
Oct.–Dec. 1867

Arthur B. Honer Jan.–Nov. 1868

COLUMBUS

Subassistant Commissioner

J. Ernest Goodman Apr.–July 1866
Enon M. Harris Nov. 1866 and Jan. 1867–Feb. 1868
Louis W. Stevenson Feb.–Dec. 1868

COTTON GIN

Subassistant Commissioner

A. F. Manning Apr.–June 1867
Charles E. Culver June–Oct. 1867
James T. Hill Dec. 1867
Robert P. Wilson Jan.–Mar. 1868
David S. Beath Aug.–Sept. 1868
T. M. K. Smith Oct.–Nov. 1868

CROCKETT

Subassistant Commissioner

Louis H. Jacobs May 1867
F. W. Reinhard Aug.–Oct. 1867
D. S. Hunsaker Sept.–Oct. 1867
Henry C. Lacy Sept.–Nov. 1868
James Gilchrist Nov. 1868

GALVESTON

Subassistant Commissioner

A. Doubleday Jan.–May 1867
Henry Norton June–July 1867
T. J. Kratz Aug. 1867
E. M. Wheelock Sept. 1867
G. M. Bascom Nov. 1867–Apr. 1868
George H. Cram May–Aug. and Nov. 1868

HALLETTSVILLE

Subassistant Commissioner

J. Albert Saylor May–June 1866
W. H. Hiestand Oct. 1866–Apr. 1867
Phineas Stevens May 1867–Mar. 1868

HOUSTON

Superintendent and Provost Marshal

I. C. De Gress Oct.–Dec. 1865
Subassistant Commissioner
George Gladwin Dec. 1865–Jan. 1866
Byron Porter Jan.–Sept. 1866
H. H. Edlefron Sept. 1866
I. C. De Gress Oct.–Dec. 1866

Walter B. Pease	Jan.–June 1867
J. D. O'Connell	June–Oct. 1867
William M. Van Horn	Oct.–Dec. 1867
Walter B. Pease	Jan.–Mar. 1868
William M. Van Horn	Mar.–June 1868
M. E. Davis	June–Dec. 1868

HUNTSVILLE

Subassistant Commissioner

James C. Devine	Oct. 1866–June 1867
James P. Butler	June 1867–May 1868

LIBERTY

Subassistant Commissioner

A. H. Mayer	Aug. 1866–Feb. 1868
A. H. Cox	Mar.–Dec. 1868

LOCKHART

Subassistant Commissioner

Thomas H. Baker	June–Dec. 1868
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MARLIN

Subassistant Commissioner

F. B. Sturgis	Jan.–Nov. 1867
Charles F. Rand (at Gilmer)	Aug.–Dec. 1867
Charles F. Rand (at Clarksville)	Dec. 1867–July 1868
Charles F. Rand	Oct.–Dec. 1868

MARSHAL

Subassistant Commissioner

Charles F. Rand	Dec. 1866–May 1867
Adam G. Malloy	May 1867–Mar. 1868
T. M. K. Smith	Apr.–Sept. 1868
H. Sweeney	Sept.–Oct. 1868
E. C. Henshaw	Oct.–Dec. 1868

MATAGORDA

Subassistant Commissioner

William Garretson	May–Sept. 1867
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MERIDIAN

Subassistant Commissioner

Philip Howard	Jan. 1866–Jan. 1868
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NACOGDOCHES

Subassistant Commissioner

T. M. K. Smith	Oct.–Nov. 1867
Alex Ferguson	May–Dec. 1868

PALESTINE**Subassistant Commissioner**

Alfred Hedberg

Dec. 1868–Jan. 1869

RICHMOND**Subassistant Commissioner**

Sam C. Sloan

Jan.–July 1866

Charles C. Hardenbrook

Oct.–Nov. 1866

William H. Rock

Aug.–Oct. 1866 and Dec. 1866–Dec. 1868

SAN ANTONIO**Subassistant Commissioner**

Joseph Ferguson

June–Sept. 1866

F. B. Sturgis

Nov. 1866

Edward W. Whittemore

Mar.–May 1867

John S. Mason

May 1867–Sept. 1868

J. W. Eckles

Sept.–Oct. 1868

J. R. Fitch

Oct.–Dec. 1868

SEGUIN**Subassistant Commissioner**

George W. Smith

Jan.–Oct. 1867

E. W. Whittemore

Oct. 1867–Mar. 1868

C. C. Raymond

June–Sept. 1868

STERLING**Subassistant Commissioner**

Lemuel K. Morton

Sept. 1866

J. L. Randall

Apr. 1867–Dec. 1868

SUMPTER**Subassistant Commissioner**

H. S. Johnson

Sept.–Nov. 1867

Charles Schmidt

Apr.–Dec. 1868

TYLER**Subassistant Commissioner**

David L. Montgomery

Mar. 1867–Mar. 1868

Gregory Barrett, Jr.

Mar.–Sept. 1868

W. T. Hartz

Oct.–Nov. 1868

Horace Jewett

Nov.–Dec. 1868

WACO**Subassistant Commissioner**

A. F. Manning

Jan.–Feb. 1867

Edwin Mauck

Feb.–Mar. 1867

A. W. Evans

Mar.–Apr. 1867

James Jay
Emerson D. F. Stiles
Charles Haughn

Apr.–Nov. 1867
Dec. 1867–Mar. 1868
Mar.–Dec. 1868

WHARTON

Subassistant Commissioner

J. W. McConaughy
Charles F. Rand
W. H. Horton
De Witt Brown
Ira H. Evans
Nesbit B. Jenkins

Jan.–July 1866
Nov. 1866
Dec. 1866–Feb. 1867
Apr.–May 1867
June 1867–Jan. 1868
Feb.–Dec. 1868