

United States versus Lewis Bien for contempt

These two arrest warrants relate to the case of the United States vs. Lewis Bien for failure to answer a grand jury subpoena. The warrants were issued on February 29, 1860 and June 21, 1860 from the U. S. District Court for the Kansas Territory, Second District, in Leecompton. On the back of the first warrant, the U. S. marshal states the defendant was not found.

Date: February 29, 1860 and June 21, 1860

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TERRITORY OF KANSAS, } SS.
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

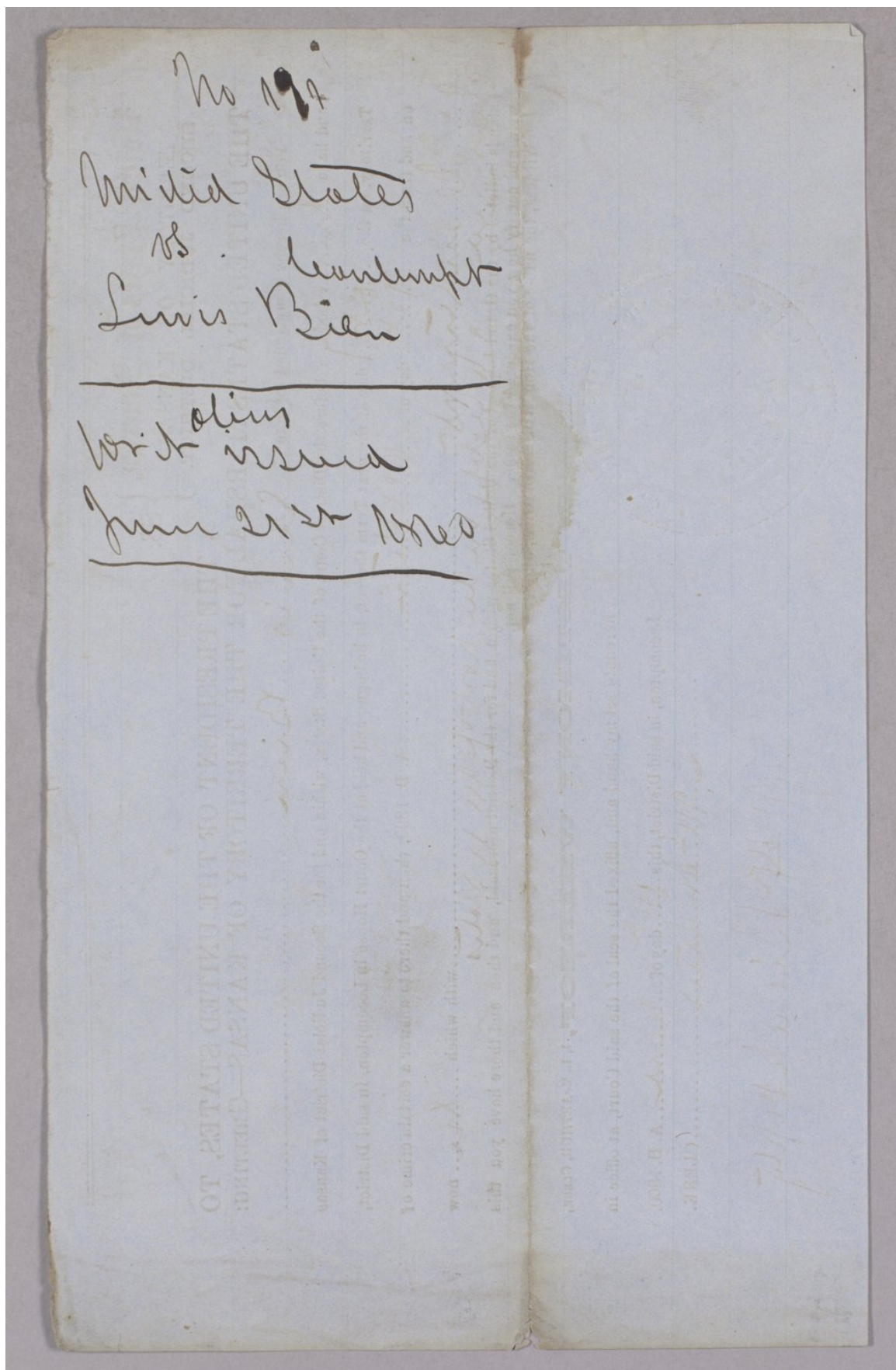
THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, TO
THE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE TERRITORY OF KANSAS—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to take Lewis Bien
and have him bod... before the District Court of the United States, within and for the Second Judicial District of Kansas
Territory, on the 1st day of the next Term thereof, to be begun and held at the Court House in Leocompton, in said District,
on and from the 1st day of October A. D. 1860, then and there to answer a certain crime of
Charles L. Bishop with which he now
stands indicted by the Grand Jurors of the United States within and for the District aforesaid, and then and there have you this
writ, and certify how you executed the same. Hereof fail not.
Witness, the name of the Hon. RUSHELMORE, Judge.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, L. McARTHUR, CLERK,
hereunto set my hand and, affixed the seal of the said Court, at office in
Leocompton, in said District, this 1st day of June A. D. 1860.
L. McArthur CLERK.

By M. P. Bishop

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United States of America, }
TERRITORY OF KANSAS, } SS.
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT. }
for the Territory of Kansas, Greeting:

The United States of America
County of *Decatur*
To *Philip J. Holly* U. S. Marshal

We command you to take *Lewis Bien*
so that you have *his* body before the District Court of the United States and Territory of Kansas, within and for the
County of *Decatur* Second Judicial District of said Territory, on the *10th*
day of the next Term thereof, to be begun and held at the Court House in *Decatur* and said county and
District, on and from the *4th* to *28th* Monday, and *28th* day of *May*, A. D. 18*60* then and there to answer
a certain crime of *Contempt* with which
now stand *charged* and to testify before the Grand Jury,
in our said Court, by the Grand Inquest of the United States and Territory of Kansas, for the body of the
said District. Hereof fail not, and have you then and there this Writ.

WITNESS, my hand and the seal of the said Court affixed at

Office this the *29th*
day of *February* A. D. 18*60*

J M Arthur CLERK.

DEPUTY.

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