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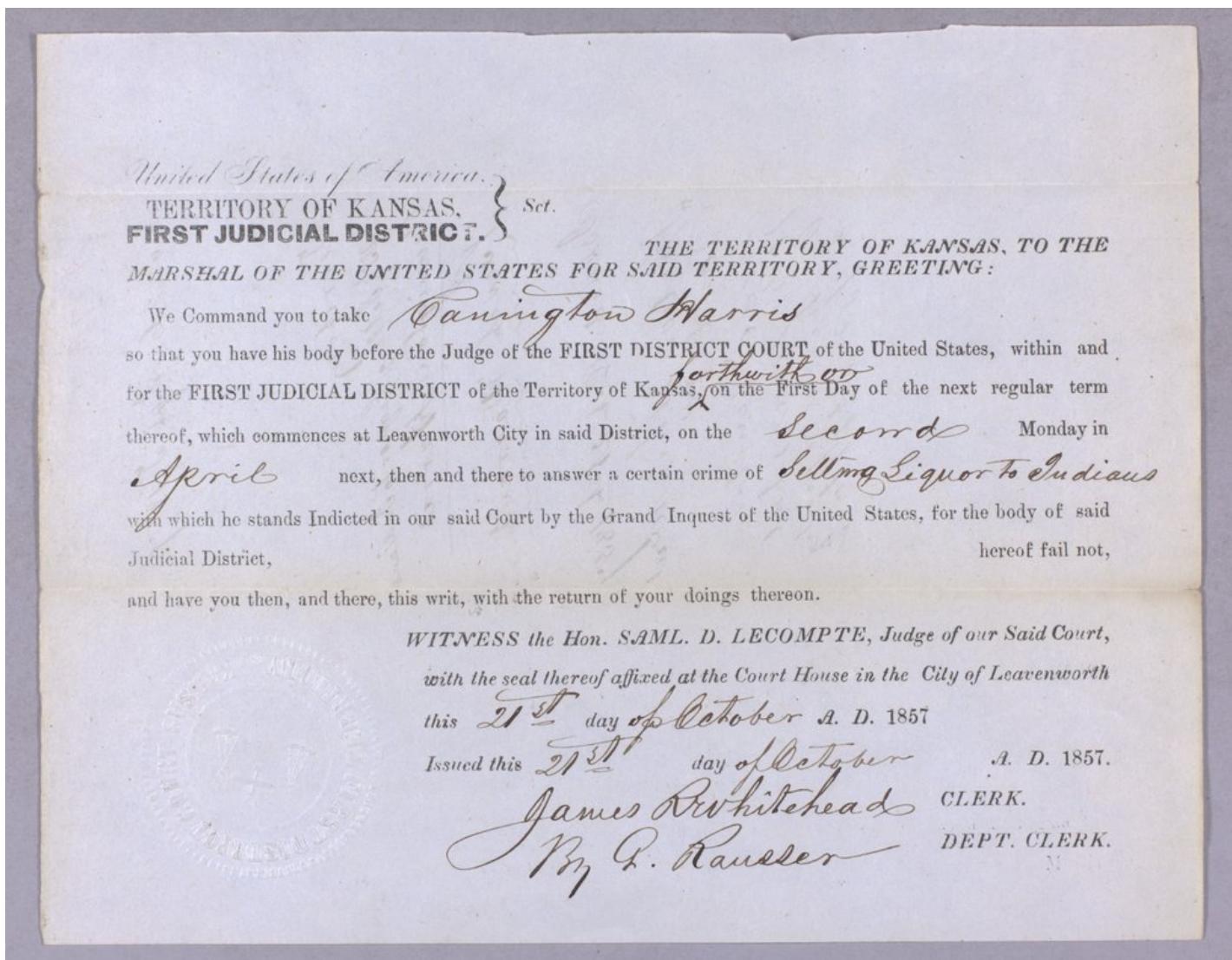
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Territory  
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# Beach Warrant

Issued Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1857.

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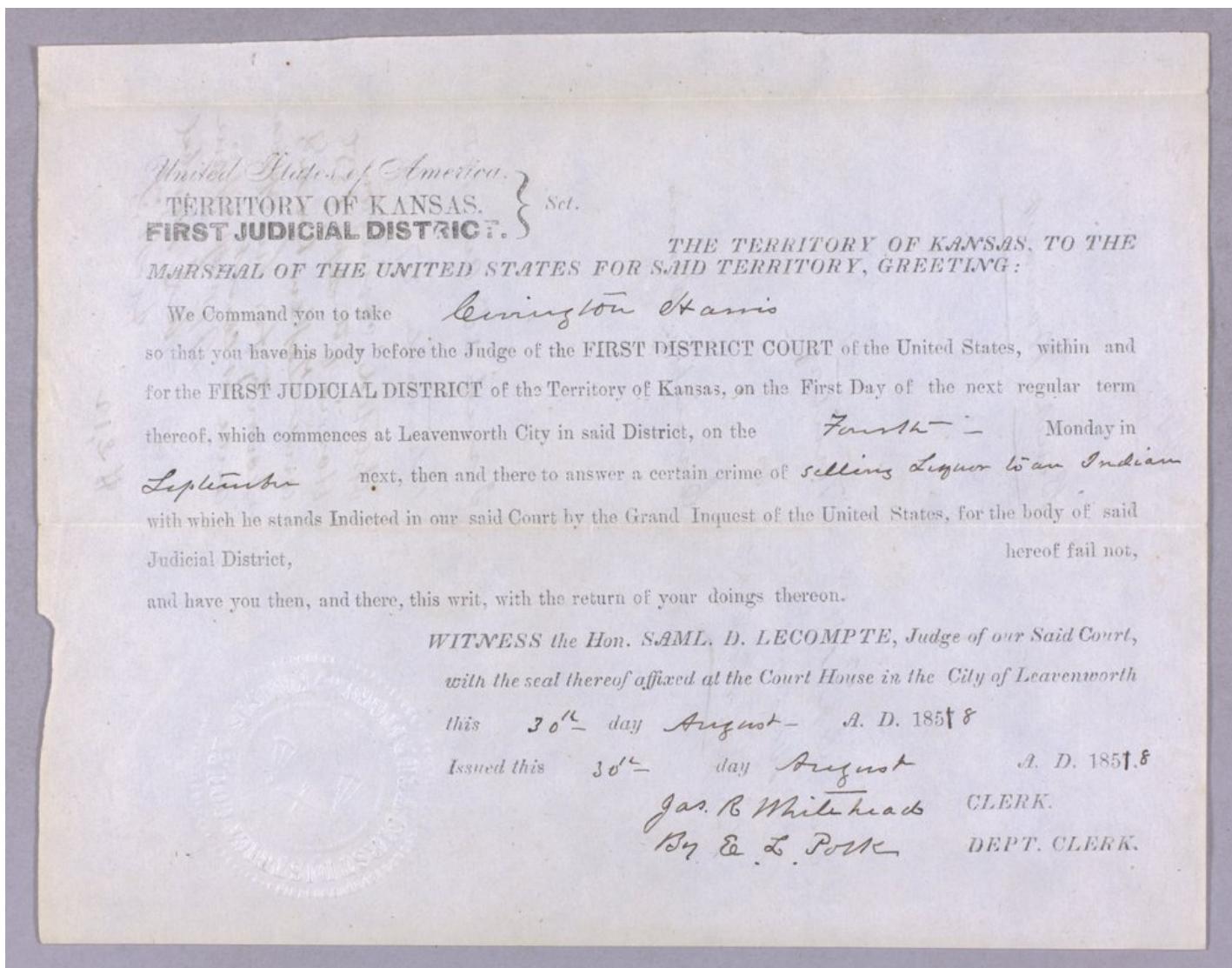
Dear Winston  
U.S. Marshall  
by his Deputy  
W. F. Smith

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### Bond Warrant

Issued Sep<sup>13</sup> 1858  
J.W. Whelchel Esq.  
By J.C. Rutherford

Territory  
vs.  
Covington Harris

Issued 30<sup>th</sup> Aug. 1858

Returnable 27<sup>th</sup> Sep.

Arrested Covington  
Harris 6<sup>th</sup> Sept 1858  
and taken bound  
Security for his appear  
ance at Court  
Wm. H. Coffey  
Deacon & Marshall  
for St. L.

\$2,00

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

TERRITORY OF KANSAS,  
First Judicial District. } ss.

THE TERRITORY OF KANSAS,

To Joseph Kellogg

We command you to be and appear in your own proper person before the Judge of the First District Court sitting for the trial of causes arising under the Constitution and laws of the United States, at the Court House in the City of Leavenworth on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the next Term of said Court, it being the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1859, then and there to testify on behalf of the Territory in a certain matter of controversy now depending and undetermined in said Court, wherein the Territory of Kansas is

Plaintiff, and Covington Harris

Defendant, and this do you in nowise omit, under penalty of the law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court at my office, in the City of Leavenworth, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May A. D. 1859.

James R. Whitham Clerk.

By J. A. Barlow Deputy Clerk.

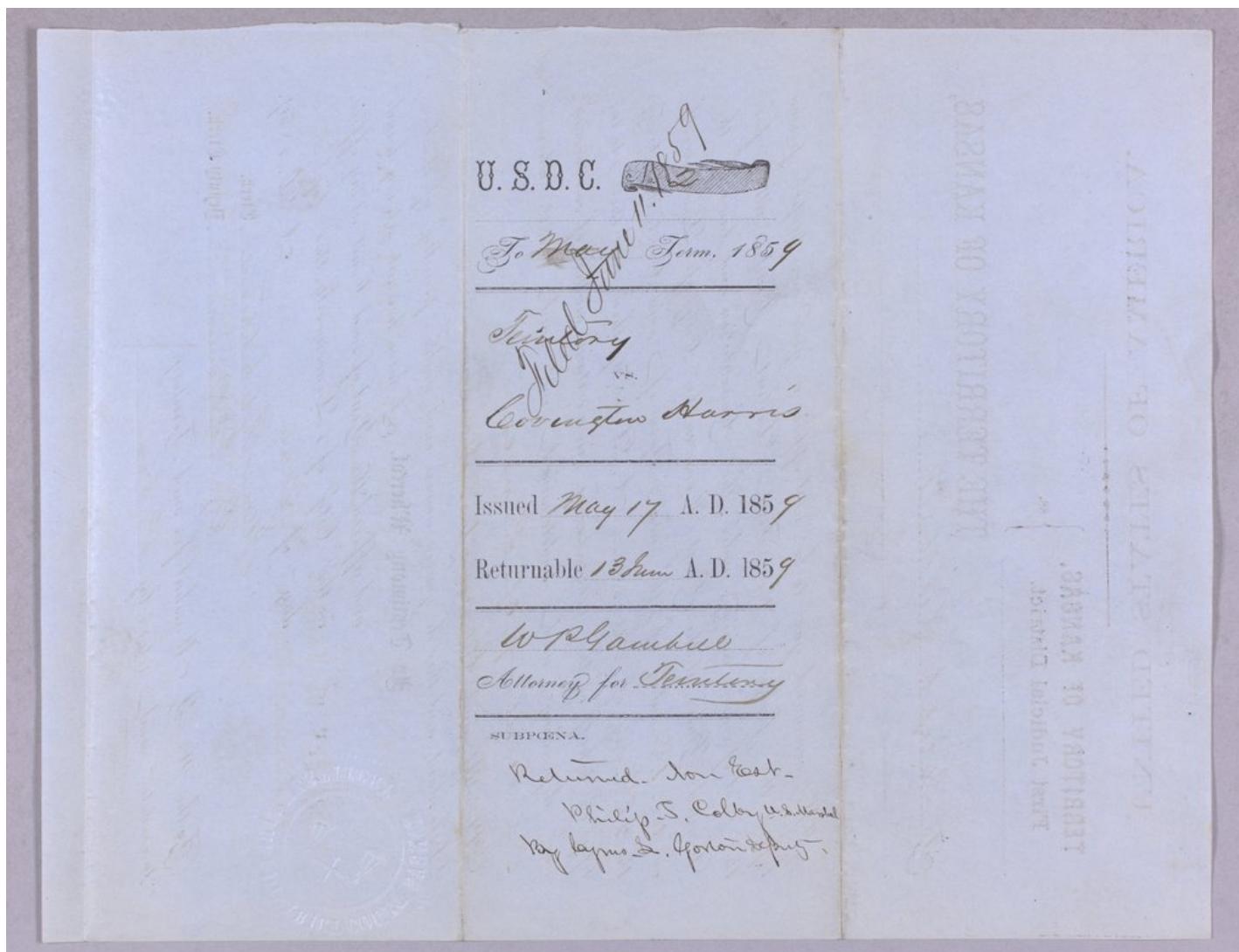
To the U. S. Marshal for said Territory,  
to execute and return by 13 June

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United States of America, Know all men by  
Territory of Kansas, That these presents that  
First judicial District, we Covington Harris  
as principal and  
as such are held and firmly  
bound unto the Territory of Kansas in the  
sum and full sum of five hundred dollars  
for which we bind ourselves to pay  
in good and lawful money, for the crime  
of selling Liquor to an Indian it doth appear  
the said Covington Harris makes his appear-  
ance in the court house on the  
Twenty-sixth of Sept 1838 and remain in  
court until discharged by the said  
court then the above obligation is to  
be null and void otherwise to remain  
in full force and virtue, This 6th  
day of Sept 1838

Attest  
W. P. Farn

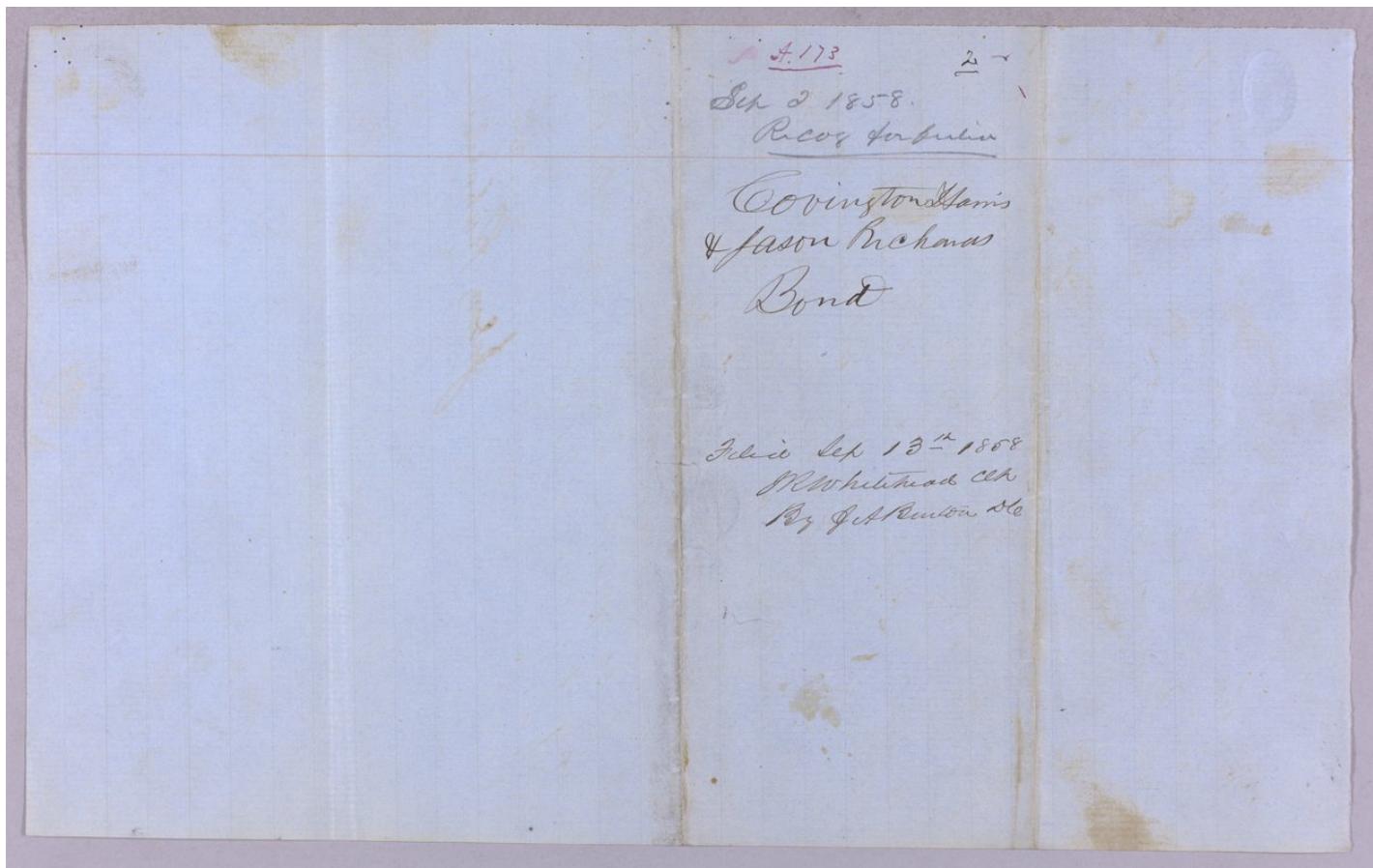
Covington <sup>his</sup> ~~mark~~ Harris  
J. Adam Kuhne

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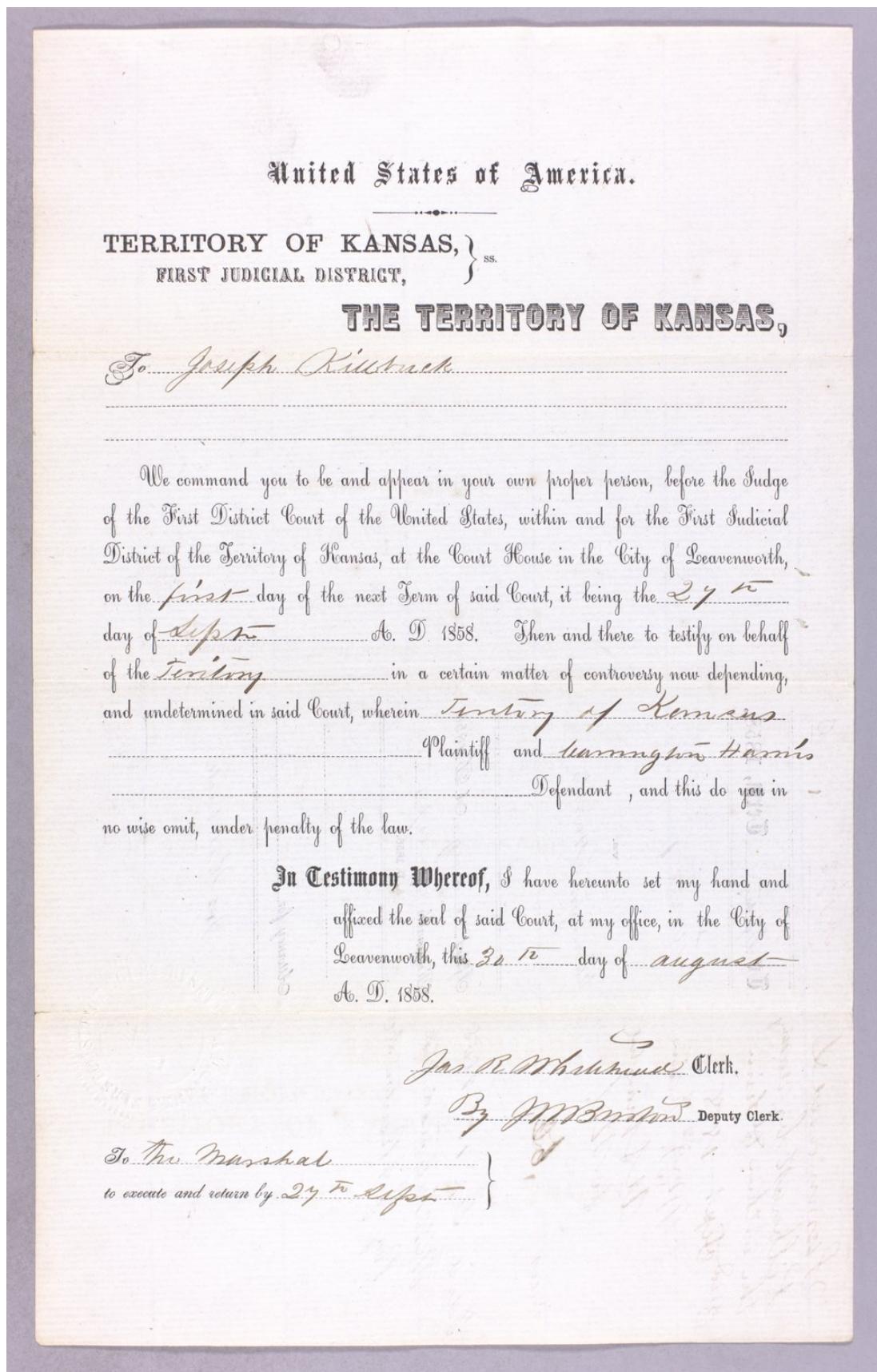


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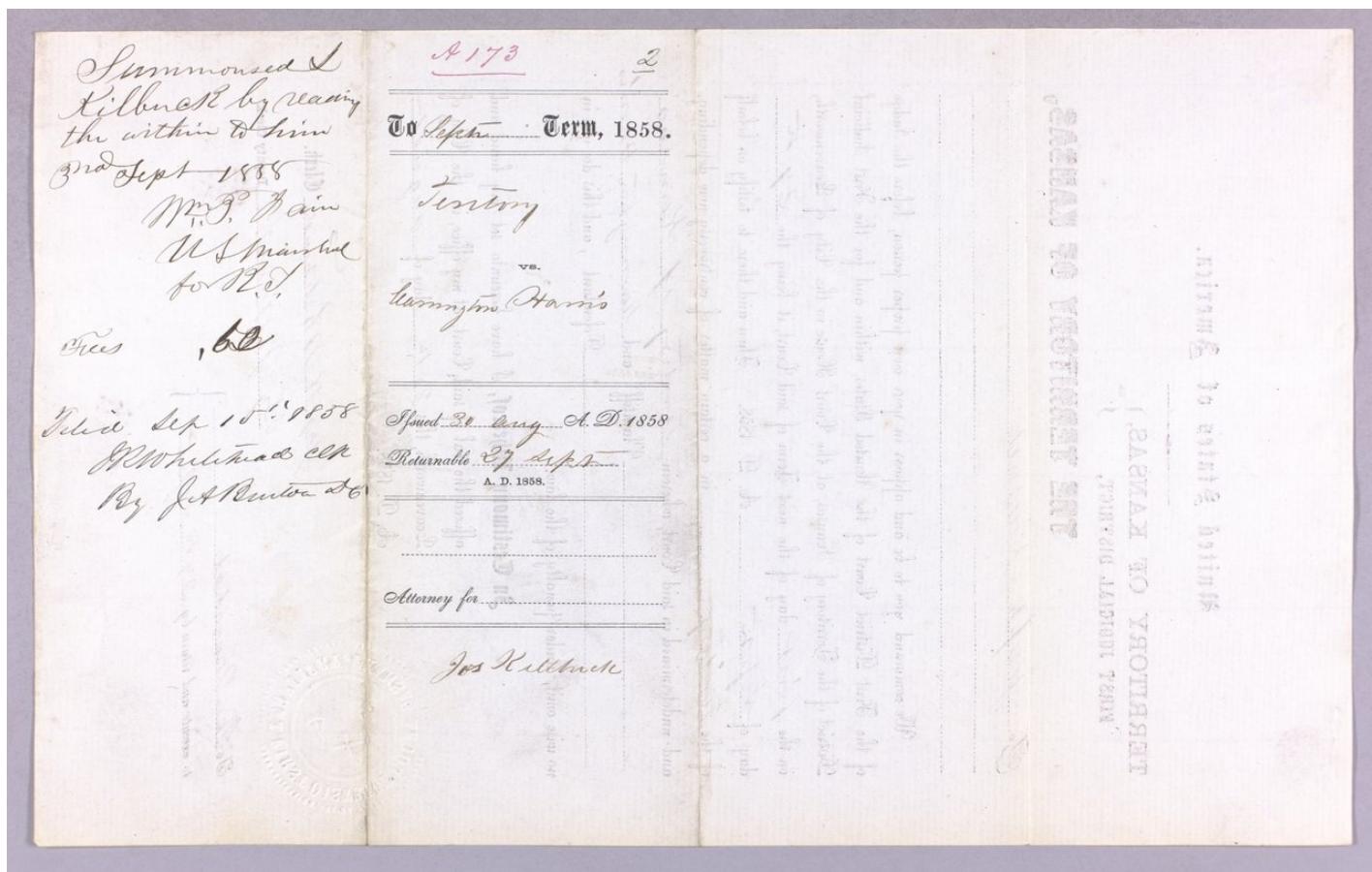


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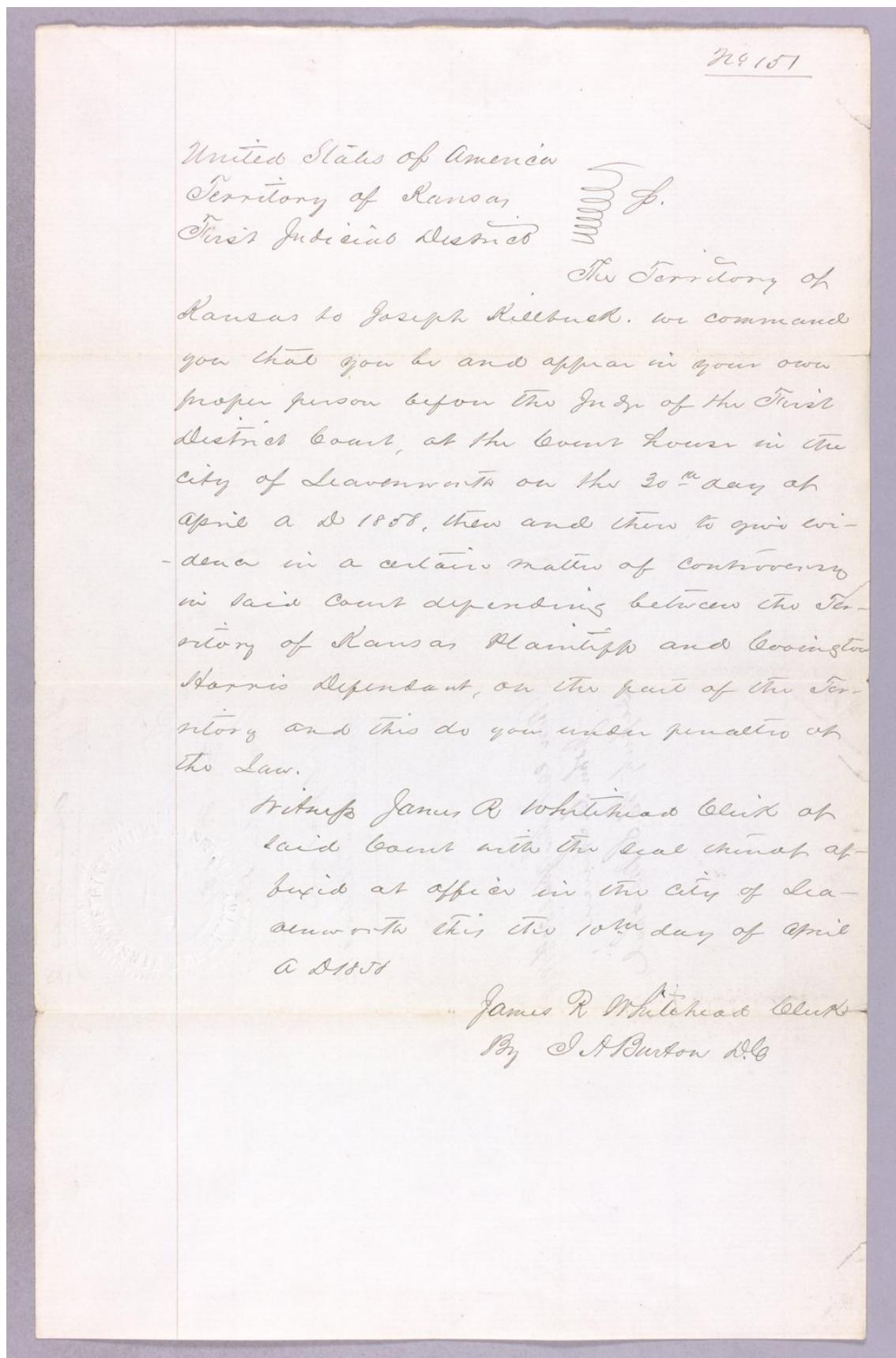


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