

**Civil War & Reconstruction Resource Guide**

**Sources of Information Relating to the American Civil War and Reconstruction in Austin**

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## INTRODUCTION

*The purpose of the Austin History Center is to provide customers with information about the history and current events of Austin and Travis County by collecting, organizing, and preserving research materials and assisting in their use.*

The collections of the Austin History Center contain valuable research materials that document the history of the Civil War and Reconstruction in Austin. The materials in this resource guide are arranged by collection unit. Within each collection unit, items are arranged in shelf-list order.

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## BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE CIVIL WAR AND RECONSTRUCTION IN AUSTIN

At the time of Lincoln's election in 1860, Austin was a city of 3500 people, 1000 of whom were enslaved. It had only a dozen free Blacks. Many of those had fought for Texas independence and advocated joining the union in 1845. Nevertheless, Lincoln's election spawned parades and demonstrations in Austin in favor of Texas' secession from the union. Over the objections of Governor Samuel Houston, a Secession convention was held in Austin in January 1861. An Ordinance of Secession was put to popular vote and passed overwhelmingly, resulting in Texas joining the Confederacy in March 1861. Travis County, which contained a number of unionists, was one of the few counties to vote against secession.

After Texas seceded, hundreds of men from Austin and Travis County joined Confederate Army units. Notable examples were Terry's Texas Rangers (whose Company D was comprised of men from Travis county) and Hood's Brigade, which was the only Texas unit to fight in the Eastern Theater. Later in the war, the Confederacy instituted conscription, forcing others to join the army. Some who favored the union joined the Confederate army, but others fled Texas for Mexico or northern states. A few remained in Austin, but suffered harassment.

Although little fighting took place in Texas, and none at all in Austin, there was a constant fear of invasion. A home guard was formed and Austin was placed under martial law in May 1862. General John B. Magruder, commander of the Confederate forces in Texas, ordered a fort to be built on the southern approach to Austin.

A mayor and city council government continued to function in Austin during the war. Much of its business dealt with topics related to ordinances controlling the enslaved. Austin continued to be the home of the state government.

Life in Austin during the war was difficult. Austin was cut off from the rest of the world, greatly reducing the receipt of news. Routine consumer goods were in short supply and substitutes for such items as coffee were frequent. Runaway inflation exacerbated the shortages. Entertainment was in short supply, with no concert halls, theaters, or libraries. Women contented themselves with "calling" on neighbors and men with local saloons and gaming halls. Many local citizens worked in support of the war effort. Women sewed uniforms for soldiers, gathered supplies for the army, and worked in munitions factories.

After the surrender of Lee's forces in Virginia, Austin was left in a state of turmoil. Governor Pendleton Murrah and many other Confederates fled to Mexico. The "Treasury Guards," an Austin militia, was formed to protect Austin until union forces arrived on June 24, 1865. Reconstruction lasted 9 years, during which Texas was under military rule. Texas Democrats (mainly white secessionists and former confederates) and Radical Republicans (Union officials and scalawags) contended for dominance. The struggle to determine the

treatment of the formally enslaved was eventually won by the Democrats who passed severe laws restricting their movements. Many of those who were formally enslaved gathered in Freedman towns such as Pleasant Hill, Masontown, and Clarksville. The arrival of the railroad in Austin in 1871 contributed to growth in commerce and population. With the election of Richard Coke as Governor in 1874, defeating the Republican Edmund Davis, Reconstruction effectively came to an end.

## ARCHIVES & MANUSCRIPTS COLLECTION

The Archives and Manuscripts Collection contains primary research materials about people, organizations, governments, and businesses in Austin and Travis County. The collections below are arranged by call number. For detailed information about specific collections, please refer to the archives finding aids located in the Reading Room or online at Texas Archival Resources Online (TARO). Collections with a finding aid on TARO are noted in blue (and linked to the TARO website).

<b>AR.A.001</b>	<p><a href="#"><u>Pease-Graham-Niles Papers</u></a>            In the E. M. &amp; Lucadia Pease correspondence there is much about their pre-war and Reconstruction views, including E. M.'s time as provisional governor, 1867-1869. The collection also includes a copy of "To the People of Texas," an election broadside for E.M. Pease for governor; signed document from the formation of the Union Association (Pease chairman) and other materials related to the Union Party, and documentation on people they enslaved and views on slavery.</p>
<b>AR.A.003</b>	<p><b>John H. Robinson Papers</b>            John H. Robinson's cashbook, 1861-65, includes pages about his thoughts on the war, closing with telling of his losses.</p>
<b>AR.A.008</b>	<p><b>Bissell Family Papers</b>            News clipping of remembrance of W.D. Hademan, a student at the Texas Military Institute. Boys of TMI were instructed to arm themselves and forcibly seize the state archives from Davis during fight with Coke.</p>
<b>AR.A.020</b>	<p><b>McNeill-Hume papers</b>            Ambrotype of Mr. John Orr in Confederate uniform. Rare Format photo box 1 #6</p>
<b>AR.B.001</b>	<p><b>Black Family Papers</b>            Collection includes a series related to the Avery family from Georgia. It includes numerous wartime letters from Thomas and Richard Avery to their sister Mollie and other wartime letters. There is also documentation regarding the sale of enslaved people.</p>
<b>AR.B.006</b>	<p><b>Hilgartner and Palm Papers</b>            Collection includes war letters from Rufus Atwood, stationed in Arkansas, to his sister Adele in Austin. The misc. folder includes a \$10.00 Confederate note from Richmond, 1864.</p>
<b>AR.C.002</b>	<p><a href="#"><u>Edwin Miller Wheelock Papers</u></a>            Wheelock was a Unitarian Minister from New Hampshire and ardent abolitionist. He served as a chaplain in the 15<sup>th</sup> Regiment and later worked for the Freedmen's Bureau in New Orleans before settling in Austin in 1867. Included in the collection are some of his personal writings against slavery and reports from the Freedmen's Bureau.</p>

<b>AR.C.005</b>	<b>Seiders Family Papers</b> Edward Seiders had a small journal that includes information about Union troops encamped on his property during Reconstruction.
<b>AR.C.010</b>	<b>William Martin Walton Papers</b> William Martin “Buck” Walton was a Major in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Texas Cavalry. The collection includes letters he wrote from Little Rock, AS about the war and his handwritten memoirs.
<b>AR.D.007</b>	<b>Eugene Carlos Bartholomew Papers.</b> Eugene Carlos Bartholomew was an agent with the Freedman’s Bureau and came to Austin in 1867. Collection includes diaries from 1854 through 1923 and received letters from 1861 through 1898.
<b>AR.D.010</b>	<b><u>Bremond Family Papers</u></b> Receipts and ledgers from the Bremond store, one of few left in operation in Austin. Also includes wartime and Reconstruction correspondence and information on people who were enslaved. Some of the letters are from Lt. R.J. Lambert (Co. B, 4 <sup>th</sup> Texas Vol., Hood’s Brigade (Tom Green Rifles)) to John Bremond.
<b>AR.H.007</b>	<b>John Robert Williams Texana Collection</b> The Williams collection contains a large trove of Texana material, mostly collected by Alexander Dienst. The manuscripts series includes Civil War era letters. There is also a set of documents related to the 6 <sup>th</sup> US Cavalry while stationed in Austin after the Civil War and after the 5 <sup>th</sup> Military Headquarters moved to Fort Richardson during Reconstruction.
<b>AR.H.014</b>	<b>Ada Blackburn Papers</b> Contains a letter from 1861 from camp near Leesburg, VA, from Ferdinand to “father.”
<b>AR.H.019</b>	<b>Cunningham Family Papers</b> Includes a letter from Sergeant Thomas Randolph, Company B, 1 <sup>st</sup> Regiment, Texas Mounted Rifleman, and his discharge papers.
<b>AH.H.025</b>	<b>Johnson Family Papers</b> Collection contains a photocopy of John Orville Johnson’s ledger as quartermaster of Company G, 16 <sup>th</sup> Texas Infantry, 1862-1864.
<b>AR.I.001</b>	<b><u>John E. Shelton, Jr. Family Papers</u></b> One of the Sheltons was a member of Terry’s Texas Rangers, and the collection includes ribbons from two of the reunions of the group. The collection also includes the United Daughters of the Confederacy certificate for Willie Shelton.
<b>AR.J.016</b>	<b>J. F. Steussy Diary</b> Steussy was the Orderly Sergeant for the Austin City Light Artillery (Texas 6 <sup>th</sup> Light Artillery). His diary details the unit’s formation and early activities in the war (they were sent to Ft. Brown as part of coastal defense).
<b>AR.K.003</b>	<b>Wheeler Family Papers</b> Materials for Charles S. Brown (Joined Hood’s Brigade in 1861 near San Marcos): 1863 letter home to mother, 1864 letter home informing of his death, undated remembrance of Charles by his brother.

<b>AR.M.002</b>	<b>Eugene T. Digges Collection of the Fontaine Family.</b> Contains personal letters various members of the Fontaine family through the Civil War period, including one by Jefferson Davis, a Civil War pass, clippings, and poems.
<b>AR.M.013</b>	<b>Gethsemane Lutheran Church Committee Records</b> The photo files in the collection contains: photo of Douglas E. Jerrold painting of Coke/Davis incident taken by H.B. Hillyer; a photo of the Union forces encamped north of the Capitol.
<b>AR.S.002</b>	<b>Terry's Texas Rangers Association Records</b> Collection contains correspondence, ledgers, rosters, financial documents, and clippings of the Association, dating from 1892-1915.
<b>AR.S.015</b>	<b>Atkinson and Giles Family Papers</b> Photo of Confederate soldier Jon P. Atkinson, photo of John B. Hood United Confederate Veterans Camp in Austin. Isaac Stine and Val C. Gilles are identified. Large number of civil war era photos.
<b>AR.V.021</b>	<b>United Daughters of the Confederacy, Texas Division, Manor Chapter Records</b> Collection includes the constitution and bylaws of the organization, meeting minutes, membership lists, correspondence, and other materials relating to the founding and early activities of the organization.
<b>AR.W.007</b>	<b>Bertram E. Giesecke Papers</b> Collection includes a copy of the Civil War diary of Captain Julius Giesecke, 1861-1862, and 1863-1865. The copy is a translation from the original German by Oscar Haas. Capt. Giesecke was from New Braunfels and joined Company G, 4 <sup>th</sup> Texas Cavalry as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in 1861. He was promoted to Captain in 1862.
<b>AR.X.016</b>	<b>Frank Caldwell Texana Collection</b> Caldwell was a collector of Texas history related items. Included in his collection are a copy of the New York Herald newspaper, May 1863, detailing Grant's activities in Mississippi (qAR box 19/84) and a photo by H.B. Hillyer, 1870, identified as "James' Military School" on back of photo (C-15). The collection also includes a notebook from J. Y. McQuigg of San Antonio containing his "Reminiscences of the Civil War."
<b>AR.Y.002</b>	<b>Dewitt Clinton Baker papers</b> DeWitt Clinton Baker, b. 1833, settled in Austin, 1850. Collection contains a Confederate loan certificate for \$100; amnesty oath and loyalty oath required for citizenship.
<b>AR.Z.002</b>	<b><u><a href="#">Orr, Huberich, and Barton Families Papers</a></u></b> Collection contains some wartime and reconstruction era correspondence. John Orr, a Confederate veteran, also made a scrapbook in the 1870s that includes clippings and handwritten notes about the war.
<b>AR.Z.008</b>	<b>Thomas William Ward Papers</b> Ward was a Texas Ranger and veteran of the Texas War of Independence, as well as a 3-time mayor of Austin. The collection includes his order book from March 1862 when he served as the Colonel in charge of the Ordinance Department.

<b>AR.Z.030</b>	<b>Elizabeth Nagle Papers</b> Documents of sales of people who were enslaved in March 1861, July 1864, and March 1865 to/from Jonathan Caldwell of Travis County.
<b>AR.1991.004</b>	<b>Capitol Memorabilia Collection</b> Invitation and admittance card to “Grand State Ball.” June 2, 1870.
<b>AR.1991.052</b>	<b>William Pendleton Gaines Papers</b> Collection contains an 1863 Confederate Bond.
<b>AR.1991.062</b>	<b>United Daughters of the Confederacy, Albert Sydney Johnston Chapter #105</b> Collection contains clippings, programs, member rosters and photographs chronicling the group’s activities from 1912-1967.
<b>AR.1991.096</b>	<b>Mary Harriet Graham Family Papers.</b> Letters and documents related to the Austin Lunatic Asylum. Civil war letters of Daniel Murray (to J. D. McGary) from the Western Theater of the war. Also includes information about the sale of people who were enslaved in the Beriah Graham series.
<b>AR.1992.036</b>	<b><u>Emmett Shelton Johnson Family Papers</u></b> The Johnson family series contains correspondence during and after the Civil War, mostly letters between Confederate General John Hyde and his sisters Emma and Lizzie (in Box 1).
<b>AR.1994.012</b>	<b>Octavia Polk Atwood Bittle Scrapbook</b> Bittle was a teenager during the war, and this is the autograph album she had during this time. Contains notes, poems, etc. from people she visited around town during and immediately after the war.
<b>AR.1994.008</b>	<b>Will Lambert Scrapbooks</b> Lambert served as the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt., Company D, 1 <sup>st</sup> Texas Mounted Rifleman in the Confederate Army. Most of this collection pertains to his career as a printer and clerk of the Texas Legislature, but it does include the Confederate pension application filed by his widow. Letters from his brother Robert, also in the Confederate Army, can be found in the Bremond Papers (AR.D.010).
<b>AR.2000.013</b>	<b>Samuel James Redd Papers</b> Redd was a Texas rancher and attorney originally from Kentucky. The collection includes Redd’s 1865 oath of allegiance, an 1863 letter from C. M. Redd to her husband, an 1863 letter from John Fitzhugh to Redd describing events and needs in Austin, and an 1862 letter from his nephew S. R. McDowell, a soldier in the 12 <sup>th</sup> Mississippi Regiment (Vol.). Some of Redd’s business records cover the war years, and there is also an unsigned diary that appears to be from a soldier.
<b>AR.2001.014</b>	<b><u>Austin (Tex.). Office of the City Clerk Records</u></b> Record of the Mayor’s Office and Board of Alderman, Nov 15, 1862 – Oct 4, 1869
<b>AR.2003.031</b>	<b><u>Hall Family Papers</u></b> Collection of records related to Elisha Hall of Austin. Includes war tax receipts and an Oath of Amnesty.

<b>AR.2007.011</b>	<b>Carpenter Family Papers</b> Records related to W. E. Carpenter of Austin. Collection includes Confederate tax receipts.
<b>AR.2015.030</b>	<b><u><a href="#">University of Texas Department of American Studies Exhibiting Austin Project Records.</a></u></b> Annotated Resource Guide for the Civil War and Reconstruction periods by Keith Huffaker.
<b>AR.2016.007</b>	<b>Caleb V. Littlepage Papers</b> Littlepage was an inventor and farmer living in the Del Valle area. The collection includes wartime correspondence from Caleb to his wife, medical paperwork documenting that he was not fit for service, and 2 U. S. patents that include a countersign and seal from the Confederate Patent Office.
<b>AR.2016.013</b>	<b><u><a href="#">Sons of Confederate Veterans, Major George W. Littlefield Camp 59 Records</a></u></b> The collection contains the materials compiled while conducting the Oakwood Cemetery Confederate soldier documentation project in 2015
<b>AR.2016.016</b>	<b><u><a href="#">Roger A. Griffin Papers</a></u></b> Griffin was a history professor at Austin Community College. He wrote his Ph.D. dissertation on Governor E. M. Pease, and this collection includes drafts of his dissertation and his research notes. Pease's Civil War and Reconstruction experiences are documented in Griffin's notes.

## ARCHITECTURAL ARCHIVES

The Architectural Archives Collection contains drawings and renderings produced by local architectural firms and individuals donated to or acquired by the Austin History Center.

### Architectural Collections with drawings or files about buildings or sites with a connection to the Civil War or Reconstruction.

<b>AR.2009.009</b>	<p><b>Bell, Klein &amp; Hoffman Records and Drawings</b></p> <p>They were involved in a 1979-1987 renovation of the Neill-Cochran House. FF-006/BKH includes drawings for the renovation, including a set of copies of Abner Cook's drawings from the HAB survey of the building.</p>
<b>AR.2009.028</b>	<p><b>University of Texas School of Architecture Measured Drawings</b></p> <p>Collection contains a set of diazo drawings of the Neill-Cochran House at 2310 San Gabriel (FF-002/UT)</p>
<b>AR.2009.029</b>	<p><b>C. H. Page &amp; Son Drawings and Records</b></p> <p>The collection includes drawings for the Confederate Woman's Home Hospital Building from 1920. The drawings are in FF-001/CHP</p>
<b>AR.2009.037</b>	<p><b>John Volz and Associates Records</b></p> <p>Contains working drawings for a renovation to the Neill-Cochran Carriage House (R-1/VOL) and the room of the main building (FF-5/VOL).</p>
<b>AR.2009.043</b>	<p><b>August Watkins Harris Records</b></p> <p>Harris did some work on the Confederate Home for Men building. Box 5, folder 4 contains building specifications, correspondence and contracts for the Mother's Building at the Confederate Home. FF-011/HAR contains drawings of a 3-story residential facility at the Confederate Home. Harris also drew the Neill-Cochran House for his Minor and Major Mansion of Early Austin, and the original drawings are at FF-004/HAR</p>
<b>R-1/SBC</b>	<p>The State Board of Control created this set of blueprints from 1939-1943 and includes 24 blueprints and working drawings.</p>

## OVERSIZE ARCHIVES

The Oversized Archives contains items that are too large to store with the Austin Files or with the Archives and Manuscripts collection. It contains certificates, posters, broadsides, diplomas, artwork, and other oversized documents.

Box 001/022	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Laura Hirschfield, 11/1/1921 (AR.H.024)
Box 001/026	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Evelyn Carrington, 9/11/43. (AR.H.001)
Box 001/056	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. W. H. Foster, ca. 1910s. (AR.J.010)
Box 001/057	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Frances V. Foster. (AR.J.010)
Box 001/060	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, May Belle Brownlee Miller, 12/8/1943. (AR.O.015)
Box 002/026	1858 Texas Census returns (AR.A.001)
Box 003/019	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Willie Idela Greer Shelton 3/9/1951. (AR.I.001)
Box 003/035	Broadside: "To the People of Texas," <i>Southern Intelligencer</i> . EM Pease for governor, 5/1/1866. (AR.A.001)
Box 003/038	Union League of America charter. (AR.A.001)
Box 003/039	Broadside: Letter from Sam Houston "To the People of Texas," 3/16/1861. (AR.A.001)
Box 003/044	Broadside: An ordinance to dissolve the union between the State of Texas and the other states 2/1861 at the Secession Convention. 1861. (AR.A.001)
Box 005/025	Certificate, United Confederate Veterans, A. W. Taber, 9/22/1930.
Box 007/015	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. D. A. Lane, undated. (AR.G.005)
Box 013/017	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Robert Bacon, 1912. (AR.H.012)
Box 013/023	Certificate of appointment of William Fletcher to Sergeant, 6 <sup>th</sup> Regiment, US Cavalry, 1868.

Box 013/024	Certificate: appointment of D. Burland to state police, 1873
Box 016/017	Certificate for commission to the Sons of Confederate Veterans for Z. T. Scott, 1931. (AR.V.011)
Box 019/082	“The Photographic History of the Civil War” (19 items). (AR.X.016)
Box 019/084	Newspaper: <i>The New York Herald</i> , May 29, 1863. (AR.X.016)
Box 019/087	Broadside: “The Confession of H.G. Willis,” 1861. (AR.X.016)
Box 019/090	“A list of the names, with the number in families, of persons in the Service of Texas, and in the Confederate States of America whose residence is in Precinct No. 4, Brenham, Washington County.” (AR.X.016)
Box 041/007	Certificate of Membership United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Elliot McCaw. (AR.2007.022)
Box 074/027 and 028	2 U.S. Patent documents (1859 & 1860) for inventions by Caleb Littlepage with a countersign and seal from the Confederate Patent Office, January 1862.
FF 01/09/012	Texas Muster and Pay Roll, Capt. John Robinson’s Company C of the 33rd Regiment Cavalry (Duff’s Partisan Rangers), December 1863
FF 02/01/013	Supplement to the Texas Almanac Extra – Civil War legislation report, 1863.
FF 03/05/003	“The Democracy: States Rights in Camp;” political broadside, Democratic Party of Travis County, 1858

## ARTIFACTS

The AHC occasionally acquires 3-D artifacts, usually as part of a larger Archives & Manuscript collection.

<u>Box/Item#</u>	<u>Format</u>	<u>Description</u>
Box 020/020	Ribbon, Commemorative	Terry's Texas Rangers, 1907. Part of AR.I.001, Shelton Family Papers.
Box 020/022	Medal	Texas United Confederate Veterans
Box 020/026	Ribbon, Commemorative	Terry's Texas Rangers Annual Reunion, 1898. Part of AR.I.001, Shelton Family Papers.
Box 023/062	Pin, Lapel	Confederate Home
Box 100/057	Pin, Lapel	Emancipation Celebration Organization, Travis County (Juneteenth), 1904
Box 107/025	Fan	Juneteenth "A Texas Jubilee." (Austin History Center)

## **AUSTIN FILES – SUBJECT, TEXT, AND PHOTOGRAPHS**

The Austin Files – Subject contain a variety of clippings, photographs, and ephemera related to Austin public schools. Please note that photographs, if available, are filed separately from the text files. A “T” indicates a text file, and a “P” indicates a photo file.

### **African Americans A1300**

Early Communities (42) T

Early Politics (51) T

Emancipation Day – See Juneteenth A1300 (9)

Emancipation Park Association (34) P

Juneteenth (chronological by decade) (9) T

Reconstruction (57) T

### **Austin – Description – 1899 and Before A8250**

Austin – Description – 1860s (7) T

Austin – Description – 1870s (8) T

### **Austin – History A8500**

General (1) T

Austin – History: 1840 – 1890 & Undated (3) T

### **Austin – Pictures, Illustrations, Etc. (includes cityscapes, aerial views) A8703**

Austin – Pictures, Illustrations, Etc.: 1840-1879 (A8700) P T

### **Capitol (1853-1881) C1020**

General P T

### **Capitol – Grounds C1048**

General (1) P T

Confederate Monument (8) P T

Hood’s Brigade Monument (11) P

Terry’s Texas Rangers Monument (12) P T

**Churches - Episcopal - St. David's C3638**

General by year (1) P T

**Civil War C4700**

General (1) P T

Confederate States of America (5) T

Confederate States of America-Army-16<sup>th</sup> Texas Infantry (2) T

Hoods Brigade (8) P T

Money – Confederate States of America (6) P T

Reconstruction (4) T

Secession (3) P T

Terry's Texas Ranger (10) P T

Tom Green Rifles (aka Austin City Light Infantry) (9) P T

Travis Rifles (11) T

Union Sympathizers (7) T

**Confederate Home for Men C6400**

General P T

Volunteer Council (1) T

**Confederate Woman's Home C6600**

General P T

**Flags (includes seals, emblems, etc) F2000**

Flags – Confederacy (5) P T

**Forts F2900**

Fort Magruder (2) P T

**Hobbies H1700**

Civil War Reenactments (2) T

**Hotels, Taverns, Etc. - Avenue Hotel H3040**

General (1) P T

**Land Office Building (1856-1917), (1961 -) L1400**

General P T

Daughters of the Confederacy Museum (1) P T

**Military M4400**

SEE ALSO: Civil War (C4700), Confederate Home for Men (C6400) Confederate Woman's Home (C6600)

**Mills M5400**

Anderson Mill (12) P

**Monuments M7000**

Nineteenth Century Black Legislators Monument (13) T

**Mount Bonnell M8150**

1959 and Before; Undated T

General P

**Museums M9100**

Neill-Cochran House Museum (10) T

**Patriotic Societies P1900**

Children of the Confederacy (2) P T

Sons of the Confederacy (14) T

United Daughters of the Confederacy (U1000) T

**Postcards P6150**

Confederate Home for Men (19) T

**Slavery S2700**

General P

**Texas – Legislature T3500**

General (by year) T, P

**Texas School for the Blind T4800**

General (1) P

**U.S. Armed Forces U1500**

U.S. Army, 6<sup>th</sup> Calvary (4) P, T

**Veterans V0600**

General (1) P T

Camp Ben McCulloch, Hays County (17) P T

Confederate Veterans (2) P T

Sons of Confederate Veterans (2) T

## AUSTIN FILES – HOUSE BUILDING

The House Building files contain clippings, photos and ephemera about Austin buildings and locations that had connections to the Civil War and Reconstruction era in Austin. While most buildings with significant ties to this time period are included in the subject files listed above, some are noted in these files. This section needs further updating for the next iteration of this guide. These files are arranged by address.

<u>Address</u>	<u>Description</u>
1600 West 6 <sup>th</sup> Street	Texas Confederate Home for Men
113-115 West 8th Street	William Alexander's home; possible site of anti-Confederate meetings.
3708-3710 Cedar	Confederate Woman's Home
1801 Nelms Dr	Sneed home
2310 San Gabriel	Neill-Cochran House; used as Union Army hospital during Reconstruction.

## AUSTIN FILES – BIOGRAPHY, TEXT, AND PHOTOGRAPHS

The Austin Files – Biography contain clippings, photos, and ephemera about Austin and Travis County residents who were present during the Civil War. Names in italics note key figures located in other files noted in the description field.

<b><u>File name:</u></b>	<b><u>Description:</u></b>
<b>Alexander, William -1882</b>	Possible host of anti-confederate meetings and spy
<b>Allan, John T.</b>	Local attorney, comment on isolation of Austin during war, unionist, state treasurer after war, started industrial training program
<b>Anderson, Thomas</b>	Owner of grist mill converted to Travis Powder Co to produce gunpowder
<b>Barr, Amelia E. Huddleston</b>	Englishwoman living in Austin, described various events, wrote All The days of My Life after the war
<b><i>Barr, Robert</i></b>	Unionist Alderman during the war; info is in the Amelia Barr file
<b><i>Bittle, Octavia Polk Atwood</i></b>	Wartime autograph album (see AR.1994.012); info in the Bittle Family file
<b><i>Bremond, Eugene</i></b>	Unionist, accepted Confederacy; info is in the John Bremond file
<b>Brown, Frank</b>	Travis County clerk, pro confederate in Austin
<b>Byrd, William</b>	Austin lawyer, ran State Gazette when Marshall joined army; joined army and captured
<b>Carter, Benjamin Franklin</b>	Captain of Tom Green Rifles (Company B of 4th Texas Regiment (Austin City Light Infantry)
<b>Clark, Edward</b>	Lt. Gov. under Houston, became governor when Houston refused to take the Confederate oath

<b>Coke, Richard</b>	Elected Governor in 1874, replacing Davis and ending Reconstruction
<b>Darter, Ephraim Harkrader</b>	Brick mason working at Travis Powder Co.
<b>Davis, Edmund Jackson</b>	Brownsville Judicial District judge, fled Texas, May 1862 and became Colonel in Union Army in 1 <sup>st</sup> Texas Cavalry; Reconstruction era governor
<i>Duval, Thomas</i>	Fled to DC for war duration; info in William Pope Duval file
<b>Ford, John Salmon</b>	Former Austin mayor, led protest march after Lincoln election, issued proclamation for a secession convention
<b>Freeman, George Richard</b>	Captain of "Treasury Guards" tasked with defending Austin between surrender and arrival of Union troops
<b>Gillette, Charles</b>	Unionist, stayed in Austin for war; pastor of St. David's
<b>Graham, Beriah</b>	Offered free medical aid to families of servicemen
<b>Green, Thomas</b>	Namesake for Tom Green Rifles; died 1864 at Battle of Blair's Landing
<b>Hamilton, Andrew Jackson</b>	Democratic Austin attorney, opposed secession and moved to Washington, D.C. Home was burned
<b>Hancock, John</b>	Union Democrat, fled to Mexico, resumed law practice in Austin after war
<i>Haynie, S. G.</i>	Austin mayor during the war; info in John Haynie file
<b>Hood, John Bell</b>	Namesake of Hood's Brigade which included the 4th Texas regiment.
<b>Houston, Sam</b>	Texas governor, Unionist

<b><i>Kellersberger, Gettulus</i></b>	Engineer in Confederate Army, engineer building Fort Magruder; info in Kellersberger Family file
<b>Kincheon, Thomas W</b>	Founder of Kincheonville, a Freedman community.
<b>Lambert, Will</b>	Texas Ranger under Ford. Spoke against secession, but joined Confederate army, resumed newspaper career after war
<b>Lubbock, Francis Richard, 1815-1905</b>	Governor of Texas at war's start
<b>Marshall, John F.</b>	Editor & publisher <i>Texas State Gazette</i> , secessionist, Commander 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry regiment , Hood's Texas Brigade, killed in Battle of Gaines Mill, June 1862
<b>Morrill, Amos</b>	Unionist, fled Austin, chief justice Texas Supreme Court after war
<b>Murrah, Pendleton</b>	Governor of Texas at war's end; fled to Mexico
<b><i>Nagle, Joseph A.</i></b>	Served in Hood's Brigade, post-war opened book and stationary store on Congress; info in Nagle Family file
<b>Oldham, Williamson Simpson</b>	Marshall's partner; Confederate senator from Texas
<b>Oliphant, William J.</b>	Veteran of Travis Rifles, post-war photographer on 6th Street
<b><i>Palm, August</i></b>	Nephew to Swante Palm, served in confederate army, but hosted federal troops after war, brought young Swedes to work in cotton farming; info in Palm Family file
<b>Palm, Swante</b>	Unionist, accepted Confederacy
<b>Paschal, George W.</b>	Unionist, former Arkansas Supreme Court Chief Justice, member Constitutional Union Party, refused to carry Confederate passport

<b>Pease, Elisha Marshall</b>	Unionist, former Texas Governor, refused to take Confederate loyalty oath, remained in Austin during war, chair of Union Association
<i>Pease, Lucadia</i>	Wife of Elisha, described deprivations during war; info in E.M. Pease file
<b>Pickle, John Scott</b>	Austin resident, enlisted as private in Dallas' Company B, 18th Texas Cavalry (Darnell's Regiment)
<i>Preece, R. Lincoln</i>	Fled to Mexico and joined Davis' 1st Texas Cavalry, returned to Texas for occupation, became horse rancher in Austin; info in Preece Family file
<i>Randolph, C. H.</i>	Formed infantry unit in Austin for home defense; info in Randolph Family file
<b>Raymond, James Hervey</b>	Unionist, accepted Confederacy
<b>Roberts, Oran Milo</b>	Supreme Court Justice, led secession convention, Austin, Jan 1861, helped raise Walker's Texas Division
<i>Robinson, Alfred</i>	Son of John, private in 13th Texas; info in Robinson Family file
<i>Robinson, John H.</i>	Unionist, signed oath to Confederacy, served in army; post war partner to John Bremond; info in Robinson Family file
<b>Schutze, Julius</b>	Unionist, teacher to Houston & Murrah families, helped others avoid conscription, court martialled but escaped
<b>Smith, Ashbel</b>	Issued a proclamation for secession convention
<b>Smith, James W.</b>	Austin mayor during the war
<i>Sneed, Sebron G.</i>	Delegate to Secession Convention; Provost Marshall during war; 3 sons in army; President of home defense committee; info in Sneed Family file

<b><i>Sneed, Sebron Jr.</i></b>	Joined 6th Regiment, Texas Infantry, founder of Austin Graded School in 1876; info in Sneed Family file
<b><i>Sneed, Thomas F.</i></b>	Austin mayor in 1857; joined 33rd Regiment, Texas Cavalry (Duff's Partisan Rangers); info in Sneed Family file
<b><i>Sneed, William Jasper</i></b>	Enlisted in 6th Texas at 16; info in Sneed Family file
<b>Swenson, Svante Magnus</b>	Unionist flex to Mexico, later moved to New Orleans and New York
<b><i>Swisher, John M.</i></b>	Owner of company sending agents with US Treasury Bonds to Europe to buy supplies; info in Swisher Family file
<b>Terrell, Alexander Watkins</b>	Lt. Col in 34th Texas Reg; fled to Mexico after war
<b><i>von Rosenberg, William</i></b>	General Land Office draftsman, drafted into Confederate army, Union prisoner; info in Carl Wilhelm von Rosenberg file
<b>Walton, William Martin "Buck"</b>	Major, 21st Texas Cavalry, state attorney general after war; see Walton papers AR.C.010
<b>Ward, Thomas William</b>	Austin mayor during the war

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305.5670922 SL 1997	Murphy, Lawrence R. and Ronnie C. Tyler (eds.)	<i>The Slave Narratives of Texas</i> . Austin: State House Press, 1997.
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306.3620976 CA	Campbell, Randolph B	<i>An Empire for Slavery: The Peculiar Institution in Texas, 1821-1865</i> . Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 1989.
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323.1196073 SC	Schwartz, Rosalie	<i>Across the Rio to Freedom: U.S. Negroes in Mexico</i> . El Paso: Texas Western Press, 1975.
325.26 B758	Brewer, J. Mason	<i>Negro Legislators of Texas and Their Descendants: A History of the Negro in Texas Politics From Reconstruction to Disfranchisement</i> . Dallas: Mathis Publishing Co., 1935.

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325.26 DO 1981	Dorsett, Jesse	<i>Blacks in Reconstruction Texas, 1865-1877.</i> Fort Worth: TCU, 1981. (Ph.D. Dissertation)
326 TE		<i>A Report and Treatise on Slavery and the Slavery Agitation December, 1857.</i> Austin: J. Marshall, 1857.
326 WI	Williams, David A.	<i>Juneteenth, Unique Heritage: An Historical Analysis of the Origin and Evolution of the 19<sup>th</sup> of June Celebration in Texas.</i> Austin: David Williams, 1992.
326.09764 BU	Bugbee, Lester G.	<i>Slavery in Early Texas, Part 2.</i> Whitefish, MT: Kessinger Publishing, 2008.  *Reprinted from <i>Political Science Quarterly</i> , v. 13, no. 3, 1898.
326.09764 BU	Bugbee, Lester Gladstone	<i>Slavery in Early Texas.</i> Boston: Ginn, 1899.
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342.764087 LA	Campbell, Randolph B. (ed.); William S. Pugsley and Marilyn P. Duncan (comp.)	<i>The Laws of Slavery in Texas Historical Documents and Essays.</i> Austin: UT Press, 2010.
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362.6 KI 2011	Kirchenbauer, Amy Sue	<i>The Texas Confederate Home for Men, 1884-1970.</i> Denton: The University of North Texas, 2011.
362.6 TE	Texas Confederate Women's Home	<i>Report of the Board of Managers and Superintendent, Texas Confederate Women's Home.</i> Austin: State Printing Office.  *AHC has 1916 and 1918.
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369.17 UN	United Confederate Veterans (Tex.)	<i>Confederate Gray Book John B. Hood Camp No. 103, United Confederate Veterans, Austin, Texas.</i> Austin: 1914.
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769.569764 DE	Deaton, Charles	<i>The Great Texas Stamp Collection: How Some Stubborn Texas Confederate Postmasters, a Handful of Determined Texas Stamp Collectors, and a Few of the World's Greatest Philatelists Created, Discovered, and Preserved Some of the World's Most Valuable Postage Stamps.</i> Austin: UT Press, 2012.
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810 GA	Gavin, William G	<i>Accoutrement Plates: North and South, 1861-1865.</i> Philadelphia: Riling and Lentz, 1963.
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813 MO	Mortimer, John L.	<i>Song of the Pedernales: A Novel of Reconstruction Texas.</i> Austin: Madrona Press, 1976.
813 YO	Young, Stark	<i>So the Red Rose.</i> New York: Scribner, 1934.
813.4 HA	Harrington, George F.	<i>Inside: A Chronicle of Secession.</i> New York: Harper & Bros., 1866.
813.4 TO OHC 1879	Tourgee, Albion Winegar	<i>A Fool's Errand.</i> New York: Fords, Howard & Hulbert, 1879.
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920 HA	Hall, Charles Bryan	<i>Military Records of General Officers of the Confederate States of America.</i> Austin: Steck, 1963 (1898).
920 HA	Harwell, Thomas Fletcher	<i>Eighty Years Under the Stars and Bars, Including Biographical Sketches of "100 Confederate Soldiers I Have Known.</i> Kyle, TX: Estate of T. F. Harwell, 1947.
920 PH	Philpott, William Bledsoe	<i>The Sponsor Souvenir Album and History of the United Confederate Veterans' Reunion, 1895.</i> Houston: Sponsor Souvenir Co., 1895.
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921 C346C	Carter, William H	<i>The Life of Lieutenant General Chaffee.</i> Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1917.
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921 C967c	Custer, Elizabeth Bacon	<i>Tenting on the Plains: Or, General Custer in Kansas and Texas.</i> New York: Charles L. Webster & Co., 1893.
921 H1801W	Waller, John Leroy	<i>Colossal Hamilton of Texas: A Biography of Andrew Jackson Hamilton, Militant Unionist and Reconstruction</i>

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921 M139R	Rose, Victor M	<i>The Life and Services of Gen. Ben McCulloch</i> . Austin: Steck, 1958.
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929.2097643 R6581J	Dolce, Ann Johnston	<i>John H. Robinson: A Pioneer Austin Family</i> . Austin: Ann Dolce, 2010.
929.3764 GR	Green, Michael R.	<i>Confederate Resources in the Texas State Archives</i> . Austin: Michael Green, 1985.
929.3764 KI	Kinney, John M.	<i>Index to Applications for Texas Confederate Pensions</i> . Austin: Archives Division, Texas State Library, 1975.
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929.92 FL	United Confederate Veterans	<i>The Flags of the Confederate Armies Returned to the Men Who Bore Them by the United States Government</i> . St. Louis: Bruxton and Skinner, 1905.
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973.7 HE		<i>Heroes of the Civil War</i> . Durham: W. Duke & Sons, 1889.
973.7 LA	La Bree, Ben	<i>The Confederate Soldier in the Civil War, 1861-1865</i> . Louisville, KY: Courier-Journal Job Printing Company, 1895.
973.70922 HU	Huck, Phillips C.	<i>Ancestors in Gray: Civil Achievements and Military Service of Henry J. Huck, 1822-1905 (with Notes on the Service of Rev. James Webb Rogers, 1822-1896, Confederate Episcopalian Chaplain Upon the Staff of Maj. Gen Leonidas Polk, C.S.A.</i> [no publication statement].
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973.709764 LO	Wooster, Robert (ed.)	<i>Lone Star Blue and Gray: Essays on Texas and the Civil War</i> . Denton: Texas State Historical Association, 2015.
973.71 VA	Varhola, Michael J.	<i>Everyday Life During the Civil War</i> . Cincinnati: Writer's Digest Books, 1999.
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973.742 WI	Wiltshire, Betty Couch	<i>Confederate Casualties of the War for Southern Independence.</i> Carrollton, MS: Pioneer Pub. Co., 2008.  4 volumes
973.74 TO	Todd, George T	<i>First Texas Regiment.</i> Waco: Texian Press, 1963.
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973.7463 WE	West, John C.	<i>A Texan in Search of a Fight: Being the Diary and Letters of a Private Soldier in Hood's Texas Brigade.</i> Waco: Texian Press, 1969 (1901).
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973.7464 FA	Grear, Charles D. (ed.)	<i>The Fate of Texas: The Civil War and the Lone Star State.</i> Fayetteville: University of Arkansas Press, 2008.
973.7464 GA	Garrett, David R.	<i>The Civil War Letters of David R. Garrett.</i> Marshall, TX: Port Caddo Press, 1963.
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973.7464 PO	Polk, J. M.	<i>Memories of the Lost Cause: Stories and Adventures of a Confederate Soldier in General R. E. Lee's Army, 1861 to 1865: And Ten Years in South America: Its Resources, Trade and Commerce, and Business Intercourse With Other Countries.</i> Austin: J. M. Polk, 1905.  Also a 1907 edition with different illustrations.
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Title	Organization	Date Range	Note
<i>Austin Civil War Round Table: News and Information</i>	Austin Civil War Round Table	Oct. 1992 – current	
<i>The Guardian</i>	Sons of Confederate Veterans, Capitol Guards Camp #1263	May 1997 – Feb. 2005	87 issues. Filed under organization name.
<i>Johnston's Journal</i>	United Daughters of the Confederacy, Albert Sydney Johnston Chapter No. 105	Winter 2001 – Sept. 2005	13 issues
<i>Littlefield Legend</i>	Sons of Confederate Veterans, Maj. George Washington Littlefield Camp No. 59	April 1999- July 2002	36 issues. Filed under organization name.
<i>Littlefield Letters</i>	Sons of Confederate Veterans, Maj. George Washington Littlefield Camp No. 59	Jan. 1988- Dec. 1998	107 issues. Continues as <i>Littlefield Legend</i> . Filed under organization name.
<i>The Southern Intelligencer</i>		1856-1867	Microfilm Reel #121
<i>Texas State Gazette</i>		1849-1878	Microfilm Reels #98-104
<i>Tri-Weekly Intelligencer</i>		6/22/1857 – 2/21/1866	Microfilm Reel #121
<i>Tri-Weekly State</i>		1861-1868	Microfilm Reel #120

<i>Gazette</i>			
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## MAP COLLECTION

The Map Collection contains items that illustrate the boundaries and features of Austin and Travis County and trace changes in the growth of the area.

<b>U-5</b>	Map of the United States showing boundaries of Union and Confederate. Julius Bien & Co.	1895
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