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South Tunnell Team —
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Provost Marshal
Gallatin

I send you prisoners three, B. Balch, W. Hopkins, and J. W. Miller, were taken in the act upon the Rail Road on last Thursday near Richland — Thos Bunting, and Geo Blanes are citizens who live near where the attack was made, aided and abetted the same — ~~[illegible]~~ Settle. citizen has taken the oath and given bonds — but there are circumstances very much against him —

Evidence will be furnished in all the cases soon —

Col Smith, is sick to day — as soon as he recovers he will furnish you with the necessary witnesses —

Yours Truly
S. T. Wachley A.M.
Capt Commanding