

THE
LINCOLN LOG
ON THIS DAY,

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President Lincoln writes to General David Hunter and solicits Hunter's help with the situation in Missouri. Lincoln explains, "[General John Fremont] is losing the confidence of men near him...His cardinal mistake is that he isolates himself, & allows nobody to see him...He needs to have, by his side, a man of large experience...Your rank is one grade too high to be ordered to it; but will you not serve the country, and oblige me, by taking it voluntarily?"



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