

beau, as mentioned in orders of the 28th inst., lest the express the Feuille sent should fail.

SEPTEMBER 1st.—Ordered that the Commissary tell the inhabitants, if they do not be more active in making flour for the use of the troops, that men will be placed in their barns and mills by the Commanding officer to thrash and grind their wheat, for the use of the garrison. That the men so employed will be paid from the produce of their flour, and for the balance the Government will be accountable to the different individual owners.

SEPT. 2d.—Ordered, that interpreter Grignon leave this place tomorrow morning with four men to take flour to the detachment gone to the Rock River.

SEPT. 3d.—Ordered, that the Commissary exchange with the inhabitants, as often as the opportunity may offer, whiskey for flour or wheat, till further orders.

SEPT. 4th.—Ordered, that no person be allowed to go into the fort, except those accustomed to do duty, without the permission of the officer of the day.

SEPT. 5th.—Ordered, that a mare and colt, belonging to one Fontaine, a Canadian, who left here three years ago, and ever since has resided in the Illinois, be taken and broken in, for the use of the garrison.

SEPT. 6th.—Ordered, that the fort gate be shut every evening at eight o'clock; and the guards be changed at seven in the morning, till further orders.

SEPT. 7th.—Ordered, that the four Sauks, who brought letters from Lieut. Graham, leave this place tomorrow morning, to return to the Rock River.

SEPT. 14th.—Ordered, that a barge leave this place under interpreter Rock's command, with eight Volunteers, and the three men that came in the wooden canoe from the Portage, to go and bring the ordnance stores, etc. Also, that Lance Corporal Heywood be attached to the guns, under Serg't Keating, and that the officers and men, from the detachment to the Rock River, return to their duty in the garrison, as usual.

SEPT. 18th.—Ordered, that the Michigan Fencibles, and Lance Corporal Heywood of the Tenth Volunteer band, with ten Volun-