

## French Regime in Wisconsin

It is likewise Agreed between The said parties that Neither one of the Two can ask Anything upon his own account nor Draw out of The said partnership any funds until The Dissolution of The said partnership

The Commandant cannot for any Reason whatsoever carry on any Commerce Within All the Limits of the said post; the undersigned associates are Bound to Receive In the Canoes Only The amount of Two thousand weight Each year simply for his subsistence. If The said Commandant is called to missilimakinnac He shall make use of the ordinary means of conveyance which The partnership Employs for Its Commerce and not demand an especial conveyance, Likewise for His Return to Montreal. Mons<sup>r</sup>. De Rigault agrees to Settle with M. The Intendant for the Sums which have been advanced to Him out of the Returns that he will Receive from the said post next autumn, so that the present Partnership shall not Be Held To accept the debts that will be Contracted.

The undersigned associates shall be fed at the expense of The partnership without either of them being able to exact A Detailed Account of the expense of the food and Drink that they may Consume It will be permitted to Them also to procure on the account of the partnership The clothes that they wear, such As Shirts, Capots, mitasses, and other necessities of the said Place; They shall not be Required to pay rent for any Building for Lodging nor in Case it shall be necessary to construct a New one [shall they pay for it]. They have Nothing to Add to the above. It shall Be Allowable for One Of the Two associates to Descend to Montreal if he shall judge that his presence Is necessary there for the Welfare of The said Partnership.

The undersigned associates have Thus Agreed to faithfully observe the present Contract and have Signed at Montreal September thirtieth, one thousand Seven hundred and Fifty-Seven.

RIGAUD DE VAUDREUIL.

I. G. HUBERT.

JACQUE GIASSON.