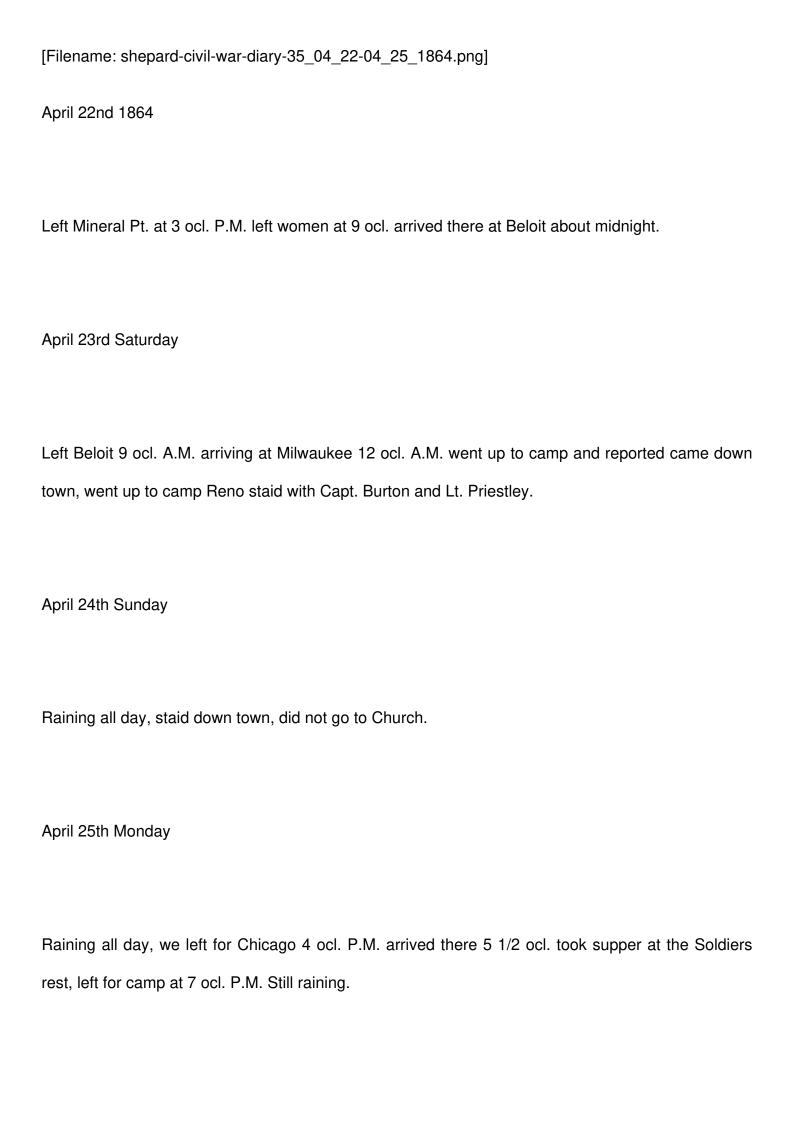
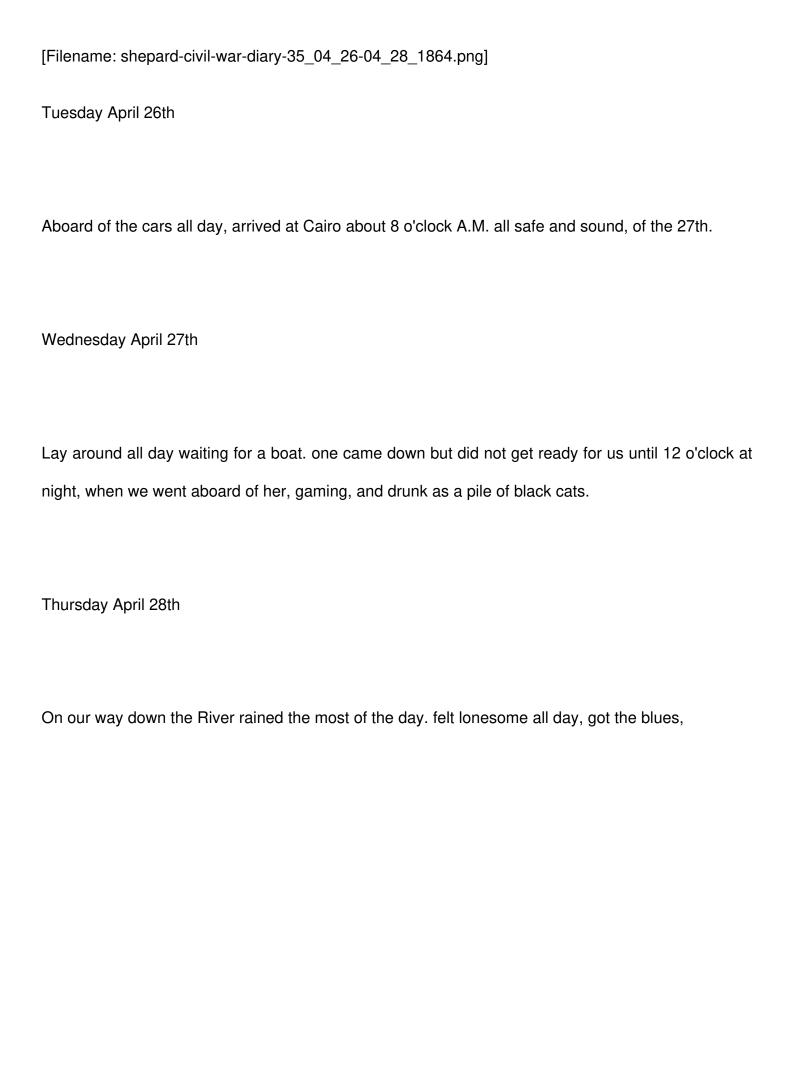
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Friday 29th

Arrived at Memphis about 10 o'clock this morning, went ashore and marched out about 1½ miles from the city, and went into camp. Drew new tents but did not get them up until after it commenced to rain very hard. Water run into our tent. Capt. Powell on guard. It is not one year ago to day that the bombardment of Grand Gulf took place.

Saturday, April 30th

All is quiet in Camp. has been raining the most of the day. had the blues all day. Col. W. came in and spent the evening with us. had a pleasant chat of home & friends. It is 'just a year ago to day that I've marched from Bladensburg to Pat Gibson.

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Sunday May 1st

Has been a beautiful day wrote two letters, took a long walk with Cap, Lewis, enjoyed it very much, could not help thinking of home and wondering if they were thinking of us. We have orders to be ready to march at Doyle's Pit tomorrow morning, with three days rations,

Monday May 2d

Marched to the Depot at the Cars and started down the road to Corinth, went 34 miles to where a bridge was burnt over Hiersons Creek & went into Camp, but were ordered forward in about an hour marched 6 miles, went into camp about dark Camp near Woolf River, went on picket

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Wednesday May 11th

Received orders to be ready to move at 11 o'cl, packed up my things, wrote a few lines home, went aboard of the R.E. Davis about noon, left down the river about 2 o'cl, arriving at Helena 7½ o'cl, boat very much crowded, fastest boat ever traveled on. night quite cool.

Thursday May 12

Has been a very fine stay comfortably warm, arrived at Vicksburg 7½ o'cl, did not go ashore, went over to the Cool Guard, laid there until morning. took a coal, left at 9 o'cl.

Thidan May 13th I awas on policine duty boot, dept Vicksbrug at in the afternoon, die not lay there but a town, it is the March al City a sownould like Saturday May 14 th Chrivell at New Orleans about 1 och to day, went into camp above att Corlton, hove a very nice comp, got an old most to day, letters from home witten morch 12to rother the state news, areather quite warn,

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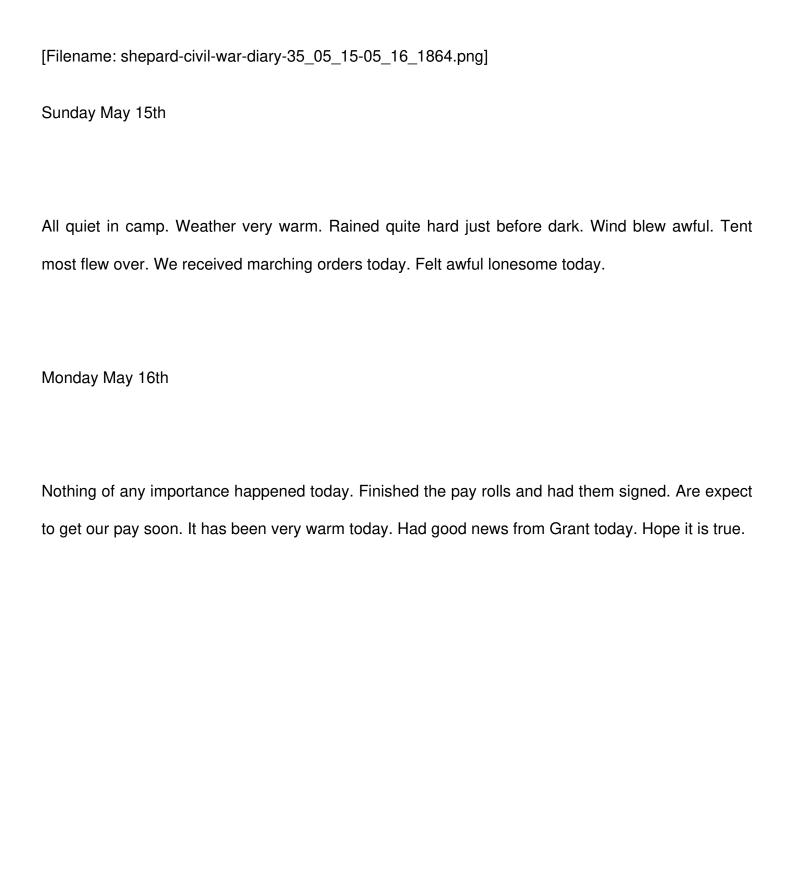
Friday May 13th

I was on fatigue duty, loading rebel & for the boat, left Vicksburg at 8 ocl, arriving at Natchez in the afternoon, did not lay there but a few minidits. all of the officers went up to look at the town, it is the most beautiful city that I ever saw, & would like to live there.

Saturday May 14th

Arrived at New Orleans about 1 ocl to day, went into Camp about at Carlton, have a very nice camp, got an old mail to day, letters from home written March 1st, rather news, weather quite warm,

Dunday may 15th all gipet in comp. weather very worm ramed quate hord just before dork wind bleve awful, Lent most flew over me received morthing nglers to day felt swful monday may 16th nothing of dry importence hopened to day, finished the pay rolls, and had them signed. are expect to jet our Joy soons it hos ben very room to glay, had good I peros from Crant to day hope it is true,



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Tuesday May 17th

Nothing of importance transpired today, had a small Mail today, did not get anything felt disappointed. weather very warm,

Wednesday May 18th

we were paid off today the men are all in fine spirits. for all we that broke, we start for Brashear City tomorrow.

Thursday May 19th

Struck tents 7½ ocl, moved over to Algieve, left there about 10 ocl, arrived at Brashear City 4 ocl, just got our tents fixed up when it commenced to blow and rain quite hard but did not last long.

Friday may 20th all oquet in comp. had a general inspection to day pos very worm have had no moil yet, Saturday may 21 pt the Rebels fried en our perkets last night, Tho every is reported near & as and advancing, Sunday may 22d all has bent quest in canh to day toad amoil, Recod two letters, but none fugne forme, felt ver, much dien-Sported. feel There that & will get some som, it has ben very worm to day, it is just one year. ago the me asculted the works at Vickesburg, the thought is auful

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Friday May 20th.

All quiet in camp. had a general inspection to day. was very warm have had no mail yet,

Saturday May 21st.

It has been quite warm, the Rebels fired on our pickets last night, the enemy is reported near & is and advancing,

Sunday May 22d.

All has been quiet in camp to day. had a mail. Recd two letters, but none from home. felt very much disappointed. feel sure that I will get some soon. it has been very warm to day. it is just one year. ago the we assaulted the works at Vicksburg. the thought is awful

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Monday 23d

was on Picket Guard last night, Rebs fired on our men, created excitement in Camp. had mail to day but did not get any, the weather is very warm.

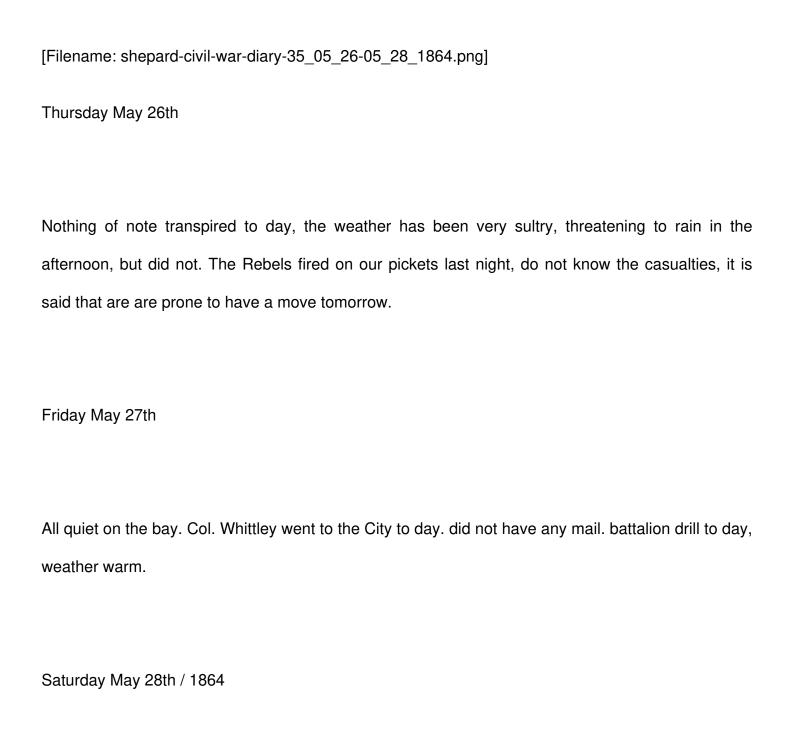
Tuesday May 24th

all quiet in Camp not any mail to day, news from Grant rather despondent, weather quite nice and cool to day. had nice breeze,

Wednesday May 25th

Every thing quiet in camp. Co. D. was sent down to Bayou Lewis to guard bridge no further news from Grant, expected mail to day but did not get any. there has been a nice breeze blowing all day,

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leave at 7½ ocl in the morning.

Sunday may 29th was up and had break fast before six old tents strick and stuff looded on to the Cars at roll, ham' left at 12 oct, we arrived at Figerville palace of destipotion, went inte camp, hove good Quarters, in house, mas turing all day friging. who and finding out how the ground long around to town Bronday May 30 th Had a gleat there with no of the men, got drumby while on grand we arested Luis, otherwise all is quiet, FP rade out, in the Country and took lear very pleasant side indud. gotar moil this morning but letter from tone, all well

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Sunday May 29th

was up and had breakfast before six o'clock. tents struck and stuff loaded onto the cars at 7 o'clock. train left at 7:30 o'clock. we arrived at Tigerville place of destination, went into camp, have good quarters, in house, was busy all day fixing up and finding out how the ground lay around the town.

Monday May 30th

Had a great time with part of the men, got drunk while on guard we arrested. So far, otherwise all is quiet. Took a ride out in the country and took tea. very pleasant ride indeed. got a note this morning. Had letter from home, all well.

Tensday may 31 st. last last might one of our pickets fired, had the men all up in line. Capt, or my-self ded not go to sleep at all until doglight, during the day all has ben quiet, arested se veral men about 300 cavaly come up last night, we feel relieved siments ded not get any moil today, Wednesday Dune pat 1864 They thing has ben quet in camp, cap. Sowell went to the City, N.O, will to not be book white tomorow perhaps got there, had a mail to day but die not get any things wrote a letter to uncle Thile to day, the news from grant avas nother good. There will probily be more fighting before long, ...

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Tuesday May 31st

Had quite a scare in the night one of our pickets fired, had the men all up in line. Capt. or myself did not go to sleep at all until daylight. During the day all has been quiet, arrested several men about 300 cavalry come up last night, we feel relieved somewhat and did not get any mail today.

Wednesday June 1st 1864

Every thing has been quiet in camp, Cap. Powell went to the city, N.O. will be not be back until tomorrow perhaps got there, had a mail today but did not get any thing. wrote a letter to Uncle Will today, the news from Grant was rather good. There will probably be more fighting before long.

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Thursday, June 2d

Every thing quiet in camp today. Capt. Powell did not come back to day as I expected, had one letter for the Co, is all the mail we had, it has rained considerable to day, but still has been very warm.

Friday June 3d

All quiet on the bayou. Capt. Powell came back to day. weather has been very warm. feel very lonesome.

Saturday June 4th

Nothing of any importance has happened to day commenced to rain to day.

Sunday June 5th

Still aching roads very muddy. weather quite warm and sultry. the rain does not seem to cool the air.

monday June 6th The Telegraf Wirne was cut about 2 miles below here last night, sent out an extre suoul about 12 all Pm Coft. I. or my-self, die not suff much ofter that until dog light Cope Lewis with "Come down last might got here about one home often daste I went out with boot after luns to get quite a mumber, Justay Dune 7th The Company of Cavaly stationed here was ordered away this morning but were sent batte during the night, cont carre down this brung, are over glad to Att two as it would make our grand much earier weather has ben quite worm of late. all of we are during for Lome more

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Monday June 6th

The Telegraph line was cut about 2 miles below here last night, sent out an extra Guard about 12 oclk P.M. Capt. P. or my self did not sleep much after that until day light. Col. Lewis with Col. K. came down last night got here about one hour after dark. I went out with boat after him &c. got quite a number.

Tuesday June 7th

The Company of Cavalry stationed here was ordered away this morning but were sent back during the night. Col. K. came down this evening, we were glad to see him as it would make our guard much easier. weather has been quite warm of late. All of us are owing for some more

Wednesday Durus. Has bed draining the most of the day, tell is Gull in Carry, no news from hant. arested some presmoves to day, Thursday Dune 9th Received a mail to day get letter from mother and I one from Charlotte, was glad to hear from them they were all well, had no round to day good serve from sen, hant Friday Dune 10 th. all quet to day, weather vey around, good news from hour Saturday June 11, 15 to day Ranged the most of

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Sunday June 12th

Every thing is quiet in camp. no excitement to drive away the long hours, feel quite lonesome.

Expected a mail to day, but was disappointed, continued to rain, weather very warm, Grant all right.

Monday June 13th

Has been as dull to day as a quake or meeting, thought I would answer Hatys letter to day but did not.

Tuesday June 14th

Same old routine of duty to day as usual, was busy all day finding men who can guide us through the swamps. we intend to make a scout. was up several times last night.

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Wednesday June 15th

Got up about half past one. The patrol on the R.R. fired at some men, which alarmed the camp. All turned out. Went back to bed, got up again at 4 o'clock, had breakfast. Started into the swamp by five and half o'clock. Guides got lost, did not get out until six o'clock P.M. Captured six men, one Captain and five privates, got back to Camp about 8 o'clock.

Thursday June 16th

Feel very tired this morning. Feet very sore, have been quite unwell, weather very warm. Rommel came today. Good news from Grant.

Friday Dune 17th 1864 Has bon I very worm all day, two compy, of the 8th and came up and renforced us, there was no news from s. Srant of any importance. It is reported to day that Studges as whiled by Forest, Saturday Dune 18. Every thing quet in Comb, hose then very worm to day Mercury stood 88, decrees. the report of ben, strugte defeat so binfument, Sunday June 19th (Ill gelet in earny, had a moil to day, letter from mother and one from mollie. all well at home my draft reached all right, had no news from Ser, Gerent, the Co. went out on a scout today, I did not go, they did not get any thing

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Friday June 17th 1864

Has been very warm all day, two Compy. of the 8th Ind. came up and reinforced us, there was no news from S. Grant of any importance, it is reported today that Sturgis is whipped by Forrest.

Saturday June 18.

Every thing quiet in Camp, has been very warm today Mercury stood 88 degrees, the report of Gen. Sturgis' defeat is confirmed.

Sunday June 19th

All quiet in camp, had a move to day. letter from Mother and one from Mollie. all well at home. my draft reached all right. had no news from Gen. Grant, the Co. went out on a scout today. I did not go. they did not get any thing. S. E. S

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Monday June 20th

Nothing new in Camp today. Capt. Powell went to N.C. this morning. weather warm rained towards night, nothing farther from E. Grant, was out spending the evening, to a Mr. Caroline.

Tuesday June 21st

All quiet in camp. rained the most of the day. weather cool & comfortable. Co. "K" is ordered back to Breaghear City. I am sorry to have them leave, nothing of importance from Gen. Grant, was out spending the evening.

Wednesday June 22d

Every thing quiet in camp. Forbell did not come home, rained the most of the day very muddy. Co. "K" left for Breashear City.

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Thursday June 23d

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Friday June 24th

Nothing of importance transpired to day. Billy Bennett came back to the camp, to day. he is looking very well. weather cool and comfortable.

Saturday June 25th

Has been quite warm to day nothing important from Grant. had a small mail letter from Fannie, musquetoe awful bad

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Sunday June 26

All quiet in camp. has been quite warm today. no news from Gen. Grant.

Monday June 27th

Nothing new today. weather very warm. had small mail but there was none for me. had little excitement last night but it did not amount to any thing. S. E. S

Tuesday June 28th

All quiet on the bayou. Capt. Powell went up to Brashear City this evening; whether there has been very warm. doing news from Grant, nothing decisive yet. have been making out pay rolls today. it is the opinion that we will stay here all summer hope so.

Hednesday June 29th /64 The inspetor sen, gave us a call to day, he intended to Ruphpise rek. but we hapened to hear of his comming and prepared for it, the Co. was doopening very well Quarters all cleaned up. enery thing complimented we the other, Co, of the & Ind were taken by supprise and moèle a very poor appearence. Caft, Towell Come down from Breashea this morning Thursday June 30th bol Whit carrie down to muster the Co. for pag. complimented us on our fine appearance. be took dinner joth us we had a very pleasant tyme melecell it romed just before night, quite Cool ofter.

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Wednesday June 29th

The inspector Begy, gave us a call to day. he intended to surprise us. but we happened to hear of his coming. and prepared for it. the Co. was looking very well. Quarters, all cleaned up. every thing looks nice. for which, he complimented us, the other Co. of the 8 Regt. were taken by surprise. and made a very poor appearence. Capt. Powell came down from Breashea this morning.

Thursday June 30th

Col. Whit! came down to muster the Co. for pay. complimented us on our fine appearence. he took dinner with us we had a very pleasants time indeed. it rained just before night. Quite cool after.

Friday Buly / pt I all quet mi comp. the caveley co, which was here left lost might, the quarel duty is very fearey now, romed the short of the day, the mos quetoes sot we up almost, Saturday July 2. Has benjeboles to day than usual, had mail leceived letter from home. they were all well, answered let to day, Cap. Towell have gone to a Megro wedding Dam, glone my deffice, thinking hove had the blues all day, Ramey some tiday not news of any importers from very Frosto, Rome of The 2 " mon Cavolry Camped with us to night,

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Friday July 1st

All quiet in Camp. cheering news from front. the cavalry Co. which was here left last night, the guard duty is very heavy now, somed the short of the day, the musquetors call us up almost,

Saturday July 2d

Has been cooler to day than usual, had mail Received letter from home. they were all well, answered it to day, Cap. Powell has gone to a Negro wedding & am alone in my office, thinking of home and friends I have had the blues all day. Ramey came to day no news of any importance from Gen. Grant. Some of the 2d Mo. Cavalry Camped with us to night,

Sunday July 3d Some rain to fley, our old Rutter was who to see us left this morning. Thornday Puly 4th. It won any other day Capt Lewis came down to sprend the day with us had a social offot and a good dupmer, had some flagot shooting in the evening. Towarday Duly 3th.
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Sunday July 3d

All quiet in camp. had some rain to day. our old sutter was up to see us left this morning.

Monday July 4th

Has not been any different from any other day. Capt Lewis came down to spend the day with us. had a social chat and a good dinner, had some target shooting in the evening.

Tuesday July 5th

Every thing quiet in camp. no news of any kind. no papers to day. large mail went up last night. I shall expect a letter in the morning. I was on duty to day. it has been awful warm.

Wednesday Duly 8th We had to femall moil to day, chel sut get any has ben very warm round some to day & carried my fromt to shight. Thursday Duly 7th all quet and I camp, had letter from "Lovi, went up to Breaklear City hod a pleasant evering Starle with Dr. Evenett another during the night felt quite unwell, Friday July 8th /1 Came blowh home felt quite Rick all day Igel better this evening, hall letter from uncle Will, folkes all well exer I aunty. day for hen quite warm, roshed some, this enenny is quite cool & pleane ant, Och, Towell out shending Every

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Wednesday July 6th

We had the female mail to day, did not get any. has been very warm rained some to day. Carried my point to night.

Thursday July 7th

All quiet in camp, had letter from "Lori", went up to Breashear city had a pleasant evening still with Dr. Everett reported during the night felt quite unwell.

Friday July 8th /64

Came down home felt quite sick all day feel better this evening. had letter from Uncle Will, folks all well except aunty. day has been quite warm, rained some. This evening is quite cool & pleasant.

Oh, Powell out Thursday Evening

Saturday Duly 9th /64 all quet in Camp, have felt Quite unwell to day. In Came down took some medicine, went to bed early, Rained some, musquet oce very bad, telegraph operator came to day and started an office good wella, Sunday July 10th / 54 To deferent from yesterday very worm with some little rami fell a little fetter to day, retired early, thought of to me & fuencle consequently had to blue monday July 11th Tothund her in camp, has been very worm. romed suite parel, wrote two letters one to Will, one to Low, felt a great deal better to day, In. Came down Caft, Towell broke my worten to day

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Saturday July 8th 1864

All quiet in Camp. have felt quite unwell to day. Dr Came down took some medicine, went to bed early. Rained some. Musquet see very bad. telegraph operator Came to day and started an office good idea.

Sunday July 10th /64

No different from yesterday. very warm with some little rain. fell a little better to day, retired early, though of some friends consequently had the blues.

Monday July 11th

Othmid men in camp. has been very worn. romed quite hard, wrote two letters one to Will, one to Lou, felt a great deal better to day, Dr, Came down, Capt, Powell broke my watch to day

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Tuesday July 12th 1864

Everything quiet on camp. Rained most of the day. Had small mail, did not receive any. The Officers at Breachen had a party did not attend it.

Wednesday July 13th 1864

Have not remitted today for a wonder, the only day missed during the last forty, did not have any mail or wrote letter to Clarke, having beautiful moon light evening, sat out on the gallery until nine o'clock, had had Chat with Captain P. & Mr. Brown, could not help thinking of home and friends. Consequently had a touch of the blues, was reminded while gazing at the moon of the many pleasant walks taken in days gone by. The remembrance of which was very sweet.

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Thursday July 14th

Every thing has been quiet in Camp, no rain to day, very warm all day. had no mail except one letter, Capt. Powell went away yesterday but returned again. the evening has been one of the finest that we have had in a long time. did not retire until about 10. ocl. had chat and smoke. enjoyed both very much. had the Dr down to see me to day. One of our men by the name of Doughty, Sergeant, died last evening at Brashear City.

Friday July 15th /64

Had been very warm to day. had no rain. Capt Powell went up to Brashear City this evening. nothing unusual in Camp. was out on a lark last night. got up at one ocl. got back about half past two. did not succeed very well.

Saturday July 16 !! 194 all quet on Camp Coft, Towell carrie down with Three Officere of the Bect. leofe dinner with us, twe of them seturned, one sloged over might with use dieather very worm, sained very hand about two od, Illan, Sunday Phyl !! had a letter from phome all well, extreamely hot to day was out spending the afternoon, had pleasant time. Monday July 18: peried to dog, we arested a deserter from 18 My, poly had letter from mollie and one frem Courn' austeen. robote home and to mollie,

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Saturday July 16th 1864.

All quiet in Camp. Capt. Powell came down with three Officers, of the Regt. took dinner with us, two of them returned, one stayed over night with us. Weather very warm, rained very hard about two ocl, P.M,

Sunday July 17th

Every thing quiet in camp had a letter from home all well, extremely glad to day was out spending the afternoon. had pleasant time.

Monday July 18th

nothing of any interest happened to day. we are glad a deserter from 18 N.Y. had had letter from Mollie and one from Cousin Arasteen. wrote home and to Mollie,

Tourday Duly 19" /64 Capt. Lewie dame down and pard us a visit, returned in the evening, had pleasant line. rained very hard about noon, Received order this morning to moone back to the Boy to moon row, we all feel provoked te think that we have to leave so good quartere, Woodnesday Duly 20"/64 Had every thing packed whand boaded on the care ready to leure as four as the trani came along, the co. to relieve us came down on the morning train, went around and bidow bady friends parewall they all scened Long that werever leaving me arrived at the Bog half pasts & och, Pon ranning very hard men wet this righ. had to fix up quartire. all rvere ni boel humor, had

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Tuesday July 19" /64

Capt. Derbie came down and paid me a visit. returned in the evening. had pleasant time. rained very hard about noon. Received orders this morning to move back to the Bay to-morrow. we all feel provoked to think that we have to leave so good quarters.

Wednesday July 20" /64

Had every thing packed up and loaded on the cars ready to leave as soon as the train came along. The Co. to relieve us came down in the morning train. went around and bid our Lady friends farewell. they all seemed sorry that we were leaving. we arrived at the Bay half past 13 ocl. P.M. raining very hard men wet thro. aigh. Had to fix up quarters. all were in bad humor. had

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Thursday July 21

Busy all day fixing up our quarters. have them fixed very nicely. men have not finished yet. got some lumber this evening for that purpose. will have it done tomorrow. weather very warm indeed. have not been well today had diarrhea very bad. had letter from Dr. Thomas,

Friday July 22d /64

All quiet in Camp our chaplain Mr. Wells arrived today fetched package and letter for me from home received some today, weather quite warm, good news from the north.

Saturday July 23d /1 Nothing India I'm Camp. the Epaplam, fell out of bed last night received no myry, shad quite a lough witht him about it, good news in poper to day, all feel encouraged, have been quite unwell for several days past bod diarrhea, passed a micesos able might Sunday July 24"/64 on picket on the later, mice cool day and would have had a plea. Sant time, onely the murguetoes were so bad took several boat rider on the lake dwering the day, the boys went over to an Island and presed quite the service, did not show any moil, new chaplain presached to day for the first from

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Saturday July 23rd 1864

Nothing new in Camp. The Chaplain fell out of bed last night, received no injury, had quite a cough with him about it, good news in hopes to day, all feel encouraged, have been quite unwell for several days past. bad diarrhea, passed a miserable night.

Sunday July 24th 1864

was on officer of the guard on picket on the lake, nice cool day and would have had a pleasant time, only the Musquetose were so bad, took several boat rides on the lake during the day, the boys went over to an Island and pressed quite a number of Mellons into the service, did not prove any more, new Chaplain preached to day for the first time.

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Monday July 25

came off from guard this morning. got into camp about 10 ocl, feeling tired sleepy and disgusted with all the world. Cap. P is Officer of the day. I spent the most of it in making up what I lost last night in sleep, weather warm, the Regt. was inspected to day at 4 ocl. P.m. had to take charge of Co. had no mail.

Tuesday July 26.

went down to Segerville this morning on a visit. found friends all well. enjoyed myself very well. slept with the Telegraph Operator. rose out quite late,

Wednesday July 27. all quiet in Ligerville this morning, look the train for Frashear City, arving there formed the co, gone, went out on a gun bout with two other cos, on a scout, Cap. I went with Co. Capt, Lewis Comols, expedition expedient them book last night but did not come some feare theat they are all prisnore, major miller had a party at his quarter this evening, aten ded it, had very pleasant time lote of girle, danced until about 3 oel, rained all night, Berviele City July 28" (Ill. quiet in Catron, Catt, 9, and co. came bock about 10, och, this a, m, scout diel not amount to much, su no rebele while gone, ramed very heavey to day, red, poper from William, glad to get them Ika

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Wednesday July 27.

All quiet in Tigerville this morning, took the train for Brashear City, arriving there found the co. gone. went out on a gun boat with two other Cos, on a scout. Capt. P. went with Co. Capt. Lewis Comdg. expedition expect them back last night but did not come. some fear that they are all prisoners. Major Miller had a party at his quarters this evening. attended it. had very pleasant time lots of girls. danced until about 3 ocl. rained all night,

Berwick City July 28"

All quiet in Camp. Capt. P. and Co. came back about 10 ocl. this A.M. scout did not amount to much, see no rebels while gone. rained very heavy to day. recd. papers from William. glad to get them &c.

July 29th /14 "Friday" all quet in Camp as for as ribs concurred, one of the co, died to day John Brennan, disease. Congestine Chille buried him this evening with millitary fronarg. hur. Welle our new Chaplain officiated, the day has ben dieful warm! great number of Regt, siete. no was news to day, Saturday July 30 ... all quilt in camp weather very worm. Capt, Powell and Belly came from Tigesmalle to say, had no mail to dog week letter to Lysie, had dress parade, 13 men ni Co, Siete,

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July 29th 1864

Friday All quiet in Camp as far as rebels concerned, one of the Co. died to day. John Brennan, disease. Congestive Chills. buried him this evening with military honors. Rev. Wells our new chaplain officiated. the day has been awful warm! great number of Regts. sick. no war news to day. Saturday July 30th

All quiet in camp weather very warm. Capt. Powell and Billy came from Tigerville to day. had no mail to day. wrote letter to Lizzie, had dress parade, 13 men in Co. sick.

Sunday July 3/# 1. tothing of impartence transpired to day, weather very warm, rained some in forencow, had breaching. major miller and my self with two Ladres took a boat ride on the boy did not get book until after dark, had pleasant time, got sun, It. paper to day but no mail, monday Aug 1st 164 Went on protect this morn mg, had a very worm day of it could not slup on acount of the many murquet loca which letteraly Evormed, had no rom although it Chralened low, roge patrole mig out on the late most of the night, pluc of bottom they boad came out and une had a big scare,

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Sunday July 31st

Nothing of importance transpired today. weather very warm. rained some in forenoon. had preaching. Major Miller and myself with two ladies took a boat ride on the bay did not get back until after dark. had pleasant time, got Bun, R. proper to stay but no mail.

Monday Aug 1st 1864

Went on picket this morning. had a very warm day of it. Could not sleep on account of the many mosquitoes which literally swarmed. had no room although it threatened too, rode patrolling out on the lake most of the night, plug of bottom the boat came out and we had a big scare,

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Tuesday Aug. 2d. /64

Every thing quiet in Camp, no particular news from the seat of war, Chaplain Carne back from N.C. got mustered all right, had no mail all were disappointed, expected one there. Came off from guard feeling nearly worn out, slept the most of the day.

Wednesday Aug. 3d.

Nothing of importance transpired to day, had news of the capture of Atlanta also the death of Gen. McPherson, nothing of importance from Gen Grant my mail had the blues worst kind. thought of writing to some of my correspondents that they need not trouble themsel-ves by writing any more, will do so soon. perhaps tomorrow

Thursday ang. 4"/54 no news of any impartence Had dance at Hed, gurs, this evening had very pleasant time great many Officers of deferent compday and some from sun boute present had about twenty Lactice, night very warm to much so for dancing, all seemed to enjoy them-selves very well, Friday Clug, 5011 Cap. Fowder and Billy went down to Tigeville with not return until tomarrow, forenoon very worn, round awful have the most of the afternoon round blew awith had to hold on to the lent to keep it from blowing over a sugt, of cons I died to gloy, spreed loo 3 & hard to burry him to day, &

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Thursday Aug. 4" /64

Every thing quiet in Camp. no news of any importance Had dance at Hed. qurs. this evening. had very pleasant time. great many Officers of different comdge, and some from Inn both present had about twenty Ladies. night very warm & much so for dancing. all seemed to enjoy themselves very well.

Friday Aug. 5"

Cop. Powell and Billy went down to Sigeville. will not return until tomorrow. forenoon very warm. round awful hard the most of the afternoon wind blew awful. had to hold on to the tent to keep it from blowing over a sergt. of Co. I died to day, seemed too hard to bury him to day.

Saturday Aug. 6" all quet in camp. very warm rained greater part of the day wound blew very hard, Cah. F. and Billy Chins home to dog, booking as the ugh they had ben body. stayed with new recruit in Co. to. deed this afternoon. 17 of Co. E. exerced from duty. 30 men for duty all lold, wrote letter tot cousin Frank, no news in paper of any importener, Sunday ang. 7" Nothing of importance transpores to day, weather very warm, with good deal of range. Chaplain came home from 1. O, he preached down town Spent the Evening at a frience house with some young Ladie had pleasant Ime,

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Saturday Aug. 6"

All quiet in camp. very warm, rained greater part of the day. wind blew very hard. Cap. Pand Billy Cham home to log, looking as though they had been badly stayed with new recruit in Co. A. died this afternoon. 11 of Co. E. excused from duty. 30 men for duty all told, wrote letter to Cousin Frank, no news in paper of any importance,

Sunday Aug. 7"

Nothing of importance transpired to day. Weather very warm, with good deal of rain. Chaplain came home from N. C. he preached down town Spent the evening at a private house with some young ladies had pleasant time,

Monday Aug" 8th Every thing getet in Camp. weather wet but warm. west to a party in Go. with the Brayon Cop, Stearne and several Tactics, had very good fine. it was a select gathering being but a few favored once there, did not breake up until 3 och, A 3n. Sueday Aug. 9" I hall to got on protect this marning, went on at feel, had mice coolday, with little ram, patrolled the later livies during the night, Could not slock for the musquelver, Mednesday (tug, 10 11 was relived from duty about 10, no did not carry in camp until about

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Monday Aug. 8th

Every thing quiet in Camp. weather wet. but warm. went to a party in Co. with the Major Cap. Stearne and several Ladies. had very good time. it was a select gathering being but a few favored ones there. did not break up until 3 ocl, P.M.

Tuesday Aug. 9th

I had to go on picket this morning. went on at 8 ocl, had nice cool day, with little rain. patrolled the lines twice during the night. could not sleep for the mosquitoes,

Wednesday Aug. 10th

was relieved from duty about 10, ocl did not arrive in Camp until about

noon, weather very war felt slaps lived and bod, ramed the most of the afternoon, good news from mobile, nothing of any importence from Grant, had mail but did not get any my sell, felt descoulaged had the bluez, & hall drop some of my carrie pondete, Thursday Aug. 11" All guel in I camp, mie beautiful exercon light eve surge, there was a party out boat ruling, fells los tred and brock to be one of the party. small moid to dog, but none come for I feel as though, my frunche had all forgotes

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noon. weather very warm. felt sleepy tired and bad. rained the most of the afternoon, good news from Mobile, nothing of any importance from Grant. had mail but did not get any myself. felt discouraged. had the blues. shall drop some of my correspondence.

Thursday Aug. 11".

All quiet in Scamp. nice beautiful moon light evenings. then wove a party out boat riding. felt too tired and flock to be one of the party. small crowd to day, but none come for me. I feel as though my friends had all forgotten me,

Friday Eug 12" went down to Tigeville. found friende there all well, one of my Lady friende, a school mann left on the case this mor signing, felt earry to hove her leave as I she work very pleasant Company, his name was miss toubleon had some royn to day bittle mail but none for me Saturday Ang 13" Carre home from Ingevile foud camp all right. somed most of the day, small more but reced, none, was very suche all night, alle not sleep any during the fore post of the night,

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Friday Aug 12

went down to Tigerville. found friends there all well, one of my Lady friends. a schoolmarm left on the care this morning. felt sorry to have her leave. as she was very pleasant company, her name was Miss Hudson, had some room today little mail but none for me.

Saturday Aug 13

came home from Tigerville found Camp all right, received most of the day, small mail but received, none, was very sick all night, could not sleep any during the fore part of the night.

Sunday Aug, 14" all has ben quiet in camp weather very lyarm, samed quite hard. had no mail, have ben very sick all. Houghts of home and friende, but glid not ful homesick, in fact hardly am when sick, always try to avoid thinkey of Home Lecuns at Rugh times, but do feel hurt that I do not reed, any letters, I was detailed on court martial to by Convenied at this place, monday aug. 15" Nothing new in camp. except a mail, large one loo, did not receive any thing excep the min Tet Tribune helt out of policine to su

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Sunday Aug. 14.

all has been quiet in Camp weather very warm, rained quite hard. had no mail. have been very sick all day. mind filled with thoughts of home and friends, but did not feel homesick, in fact I hardly am when sick. always try to avoid thinking of home scenes at such times, but do feel hurt that I do not recd. any letters. I was detailed on Court Martial to be convened at this place.

Monday Aug. 15

Nothing new in camp, except a mail. large one too. did not receive any thing even the Buri. Pt. Tribune fell out of patience to see

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all the rest perusing cherished letters from loved ones and I deprived of enjoying the great frivolity, but I am in hopes that my time will come yet, full invitation to attend a dance tomorrow evening intend to go if all is well, Court did not meet today was busy finding place, meet tomorrow at 8 o'clock. Rained considerable today Inspectors around. Condemned quite a lot of 2 Mrs. stores and ord. and stored.

Tuesday Aug 16"

Nothing of interest transpired today. Court set and adjourned until 8 o'clock tomorrow, commenced to rain about noon and did not cease until long after dark. Camp full of water, great

Agal of sickness, the arderly Lingt, of Co. G. died on the 14" and was burned on the 15. had small mail. ded not ree, any, on acount of the web and mud the party was possponed until lomarrow evening, the troops have ben bying for the last live weeker bullding new and strengthing the rifle full gnel foots and mounding funs, S,E,S, dug, 19" /14 Overy thme has ben quet ni canh, nice cool day ground glaying who very fast, had small mail but did not see, any. feel that all, but relatives have farsgkeen me, but have a faint hope of being able to live Mrough il, went to the party

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deal of sickness, the orderly Sergt. of Co. G. died on the 14" and was buried on the 15. had small mail. did not rec, any, on account of the wet and mud the party was postponed until tomorrow evening. the troops have been busy for the last two weeks building new and strengthening the rifle pits and forts and mounting Guns, S,E,S,

Aug. 14" 1864

Everything's has been quiet in Camp! nice cool day ground drying up very fast. had small mail but did not see, any. feel that all but relatives have forsaken me, but have a faint hope of being able to live through it. went to the party

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had splendid time great many Laelia present took to Mrs Kane, she is very good company. did not break up until after daylight. Set on the court martial until noon when we adjourned until the 18"

Aug. 18" /64

Tarried down at half past Sis. slept until breakfast 8 o'cl. at nine o'cl. met with the court. adjourned at noon until 8 o'cl. A.M. Saturday Aug. 20" Caht. Powell and Billy came from Tigerville went down yesterday. I slept all the afternoon awoke feeling much better. the day has been nice and cool. Was out strolling the evening. Came home about half past nine. went to bed. S.S.

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Aug. 18" Friday

All has been quiet in Camp, had some rain, weather quite cool and comfortable, had an order detailing me to act as A.Q.M. at Terre Bonne. Station felt real angry when I found I had to leave the Com. Still what cant be cured must be endured have not be easy in my mind since receiving the order, had small mail but none for me.

Aug 20" Saturday

Went down to Terre Bonne this morning to look around and see what I would have to be responsible for, found a great deal of property.

came tock to Brasher. right out and short the overing had rather a pleasant tyme, had some mail but ded not rice; / liny, Hunday (Ing 21"/14 Has bend a very pleasant day not very our arm. went to Church this enemy, had a good summori. after that went out and Spent the evering until about 9" all went book to, my lent and went to feed Streading when morning would come, tax it is much agomet my voile going to Jerre Bonhe monday (lug 22 de Dere Bome do: Came down here this mormine Belly Bennett, carry with me as clerk, have ben

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Came Lock to Brashear, went out and spent the evening had rather a pleasant time, had some mail but did not receive any.nn

Sunday Aug 21" /64

Has been a very pleasant day not very warm. Went to Church this evening. had a good sermon. after that went out and spent the evening. until about 9" ocl. went back to my tent and went to bed. dreading when morning would come, for it is much against my will going to Terre Bonne.

Monday Aug 22"

Terre Bonne So. Came down here this morning. Billy Bennett came with me as Clerk. have been

very buising all day taking and inventory of the stack and stores, I was very well when night came went to bed early. Jure Bonne, Clarg, 23/ Skurdog Have ben pard at works all day, how got through with the mountary sunt who to Brashear City, found all well, and tuto letters for me, peithe of them from home, Spent please Eint evening with Officers of the Rect, derre Bonne Le. Cong, 24, Hednesday Came down here this most down with me. I found every thing all right, love ben busey Besung gyouls ramed some to clog, how ben Trerry warning . I . C

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very busy all day taking an inventory of the stock and stores, I was very tired when night came went to bed early.

Terre Bonne, Aug. 23/Tuesday

Have been hard at work all day, have got through with the inventory, went up to Brashear City, found all well, and two letters for me, one of them from home, spent pleasant evening with Officers of the Regt.

Terre Bonne La.

Aug. 24, Wednesday

Came down here this morning Capt. Powell came down with me, I found every thing all right, have been busy issuing goods issued some to day. Has been very warm, &c.

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Terre Bonne

Aug. 25 Thursday

All quiet at the Post, have been busy all day, weather very warm, I did not have any mail.

Terre Bonne

Aug. 26 Friday

Nothing of interest transpired today, busy all day, had small mail but I did not receive any, weather warm, Capt Powell down to see me.

Terre Bonne

Aug. 27 Saturday

Have been busy all day. Received a lot of clothing from the City, weather warm, small mail did not receive any, expect one from home Love

Jerre Bonne Clyc, 28. Sundon Ged not have migich, to do to day hose ben very woom 2. In mayers Combe down on a wiset Terre Bonne Ceys, 29; monday Have ben bussy geld dop Assering Oldhing &C, there was a mail to. day Texpect there was I will not got it white Monarow, was out spending the evening " Terre Bonne dan Aprig 30 joleus dan the day has ben apostul warm no ram, have ben waning stuff all fore noon,

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Terre Bonne

Aug. 28. Sunday

Did not have much to do to day, have been a dog of rest. weather very warm. Mr. Mayers came down on a visit

Terre Bonne

Aug. 29. Monday

Have been busy all day issuing clothing &c. There was a mail to. day expect there was a letter for me but I will not get it until tomorrow. was out spending the evening.

Terre Bonne

Aug 30. Tuesday

The day has been awful warm no rain have been issuing stuff all fore noon.

Il mar received letter on mother, a woel long ne. answered it sand boy, ivole quite a long one, habe not ben feeling verywell to day anne Aug, 81, 1884 Verre Bonne Have ben all allow hart of the day the exertes went up yesterdy to be mustered for pay came backen this maring brown. did not have mulch to do, I wend wh to, Braslear this evening found them all well, had a pleasant evening with Capt. Powell talkery of the past and arrangeing for the future, Jerre Bonne 1st Soft; Thursday Came down this marming Capt, Wyman came down with me went books on the evening trans. I have ben bursey

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I Mary received letter on Mother, a good long one. Answered it and today. wrote quite a long one,

have not been feeling very well today.

Terre Bonne

Aug. 31st 1864

Have been all alone part of the day. The clerks went up yesterday to be mustered for pay. came

back on this morning train. did not have much to do. I went up to Brashear this evening found them

all well. had a pleasant evening with Capt. Powell talking of the past and arranging for the future.

Terre Bonne

1st Sept. Thursday

Came down this morning Capt. Wyman came down with me. went back on the evening train. I have

been busy this

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 2d. Friday

The day has been very warm, clouded up but did not rain, was quite busy, in the forenoon. Col. Harr wife came down yesterday, had not mail. have felt quite blue all day, went to bed about 11. o'cl. S.E.

Terre Bonne

Sept. 3d. Saturday

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Terre Bonne La.

Sept. 4th Sunday

Capt. Powell & Lieut. Welcome came down to see me, had a pleasant time, & went back with them as far as Tigerville. Stayed there all night, had a good old time, the day has been very warm,

Terre Bonne

Sept. 5" / 1864 Monday.

All has been quiet. Came down from Tigerville Capt. P. with me Capt. Rennick Capt, Powell and

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McDonald yet in Command of Co, "E" there is now 12 Officers of the Regt, on detached service. The

weather has been, very warm, had heavy rainy,

Terre Bonne

Tuesday Sept, 6"

It had been a very warm day, I have been busy all day, was very tired when night came. Capt.

Powell Remick & welcome came back from the City today. I wrote letter to Williams, the inspector

was around this evening. troops at this post look splendid, as well as any of the regulars that I have

ever seen.

Terre Bonne

Wednesday Sept, 7" 1864

all has been quiet in camp. have

had a great deal to atend to. I yount over to Thiboday on business had an awful time the roads were so food of that I was just covered with mud, the weather has been very worn, I had a lot of 2/M, stores come from the city to day. Verse Bonne La. Thursday Sept. 8"1864 The day has been very but have not had much to do, I received money for the men to work for me and I hard them off, capt, Towell Capt. Bemick Id at welcome went from to the City to comme ce their duties as The, Vo. marshe, The chaplain came down on a visit Had the news to day of the fall of attanta, but are in doubt as to the truth of the report. June Bonne

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Terre Bonne La.

Thursday Sept. 8"1864

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Terre Bonne

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 8" Tuesday

Has been quite warm, threatened to rain but did not at this place. it rained about one half mile from here, which cooled off the air very nicely. Have been quite busy all day, went out Horse back riding in the evening with school marm had pleasant ride, there was a report of Rebels being near here. last night about 10 o'clock P.M. Cavalry went out after them, many Rebels

Terre Bonne

Sept. 10th Saturday

Have not had much to do today, weather has been very warm, rained some today. Billy went up to Brashear City the fall of Allagto is confirmed in to blage paper, the Cavalry who went out last night came in just at dark.

Jerre Bonne Sept. 11; Junday all has been quiet to day do, Mayere came down from Brashear and took dinner with me, Hall mail to day, reced, letter, from Father, one from L. J. and one L. A. answered the one from home, but did not answer any of the others on acount of the trisquetous being so bad, bent out reding this afternoon, enjoyed it very much, Billy Came down from Brashear and then went up to digiralle in the evening Terre Bonne dept 12" monday Every thing has been quet, have had considerable to do, wend over to The bodam on business, instant 4 miles, the lian, thead grs, are at that from, went out redning this evening, had no mail to day

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 11" Sunday

All has been quiet to day. Lt. Mayere came down from Brashear and took dinner with me. Had mail to day. recd. letter from Father, one from L. S. and one L. A. answered the one from home, but did not answer any of the others on account of the Misquelare being so bad. Went out riding this afternoon. enjoyed it very much. Billy Capne down from Brashear and then went up to Tigerville in the evening.

Terre Bonne

Sept. 12" Monday

Every thing has been quiet. Have had considerable to do. went over to Thibodaux on business. distant 4 miles. the Iron Head gra. are at that point. went out riding this evening. had gay old time. no mail to day.

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 13" Tuesday

All quiet along the lines, have been hard at work all day taking an inventory of stock on hand. I am behind the blouse & one Brig Shirt. The day has been very warm. Majors Doctors and St. Mayers wives came down today. I had a letter from Drury. answered it this evening.

Terre Bonne

Sept. 14"/1864 Wednesday

Everything right side up. have not been very well this afternoon, had too much beer I am afraid, weather has been very warm all day. There was no news or paper of any account. It tried to rain but only sprinkled, had a letter from my old chum John Green.

Terre Bonne

Wednesday Sept. 14"

Jure Bonne Sept. 15" Thursday I went to the City tot day armen there about holf fast one, of m, they travel so Slow on the A. R. that it is very treasome, crossed the River and went por search of Copt, Power. found from mi his Office bursey at work, surrounded by about 50 atizine all there in borne Kind of Aulispiece, by sumed glad to see and I know he was, Figent to his boarding house with him. after supper he had to stay mi the Office. I went down street to Ru the fighte, New elle downs dept. 16" Friday, Have been buisy buying what few Things I wished to get also on business. at night I went around en an inspecting tour looking over the cresent City by have light, if is worth considerable to the sin of the great City.

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 15" Thursday

I went to the City to day. arrived there about half past one, P. M. they travel so slow on the R. R. that it is very tiresome. crossed the River and went in search of Capt. Powell. found him in his office busy at work. surrounded by about 50 citizens all there on some kind of business. he seemed glad to see and I know he was. I went to his boarding house with him. after supper he had to stay in the office. I went down street to see the sights.

New Orleans

Sept. 16" Friday

Have been busy buying what few things I wished to get. also on business. At night I went around on an inspecting tour. looking over the crescent City by gas light, it is worth considerable to see the size of the great City.

New Orleans Sept. 17" Saturday Crassed over to algiers and ot. 10 oct, a.m., Nook take care for Time Donne, Coft, Towell with in a west to Ingerville. I was sich all the way repry went to heel as soon as I got forme, sleft until suffer Mini when I apase feeling much better. the day has been very worm found overy thing all quet at the station Jure Donne, Sept, 18" Sunday Had been rather a quiet day, It, mayers and Wife Came Sown to day, look dinner, with me and returned on the evening brown, went out hover rednig with bus Steaptions, had pleasant lini, Jerre Bonne. Sept 19" monday All quiet in camp have blen bursey the most of the day, four men comme into camp with the report of Bebs, clasect hand,

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New Orleans

Sept. 14" Saturday

Crossed over to Algiers and at 10 ocl. A.m., took the cars for Terre Bonne, Capt. Powell with on a visit to Tigerville. I was sick all the way up, went to bed as soon as I got home, slept until supper time when I arose feeling much better. The day has been very warm. found every thing all quiet at the station

Terre Bonne,

Sept, 15" Sunday

Had been rather a quiet day, Lt. Meyers and Wife came down to day, took dinner with me and returned in the evening train, went out horse riding with Miss Steaphens. had pleasant time,

Terre Bonne.

Sept 19" Monday

All quiet in camp have been busy the most of the day, four men came into camp, with the report of Rebe Classed hand,

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Terre Bonne

Sept. 20th Tuesday

Nothing of any importance transpired to day, the weather has been nice and cool, have had plenty to do, the report that the four men brought into camp yesterday, was prove false I think.

Terre Bonne

Sept. 21st Wednesday

All has been quiet in camp. there was a Cavalry scout started out this morning to be gone five days, the weather is very fine, but the clouds have the appearance of rain soon.

Terre Bonne

Sept. 22nd Thursday

Nothing of interest took place to day, have had but little to do. Commenced to rain just after dinner and continued all the afternoon, making the roads very muddy, had no mail or expected letter from home,

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Terre Bonne

Sept 23d Friday

I took my ambulance and went down to Houma 14 miles, to hire darkeys to drive my teams, found quite a nice little place, met with some gentlemen with whom I was acquainted and had a pleasant time. Started home about one o'cl, arriving here about 5 o'cl, roads were very bad.

Terre Bonne

24" Saturday

Everything had been quiet, considerable business to attend to, have not felt very well, weather fair and nice, went out riding with school Maam.

Terre Bonne

Sept 25" Sunday

But little doing today, went to hear Negro preach, he used some very high flown words. which made it quite laughable felt quite unwell.

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Terre Bonne

Sept 26" Monday

Was taken very sick this morning. And in consequence have not kept my journal posted, do not pretend to know what has been doing since that time until now.

Oct. 22d. Only that I have been very sick, commenced to recover and was taken down with a relapse,

Oct. 2th Terre Bonne La.

Turned over all property to Lt. Fulkes 33d. I'll have an order sending me to the St. James Hospital, for treatment. Am feeling quite weak. Billy stays behind to attend to the papers &c,

Oct. 3d.

Started for N.O. Arrived at Algiers one vol. P.M. met Capt. Powers at depot who went with me to the St. James, found things quite comfortable there, feeling.

Oct. 4" St. Pames Haspital Do not feel as well as mual. but think it is owning to the journe of gesterday. The Hospital is well furnished with beds and clathing, I am rooming with a Major of the 18" M. y, caval, who is very good company. There is some talk of sending us who to Natches, but I am in hope that they will not. Oct 5th St & downie Hashlert Since writing the above we have been transferred to this place, which I like much better than the other, I am sooming with a It. booker of 20" U.S. col, have a large corner room and project wh all nice. good nurses Ve, with pelenety to eat,

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Oct. 4" St. James Hospital

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