Missouri State Militia Special Order No. 174

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Special Order

No. 174

10th In pursuant to Special order No. 170, Part 4... issued from Head Quarters Dist South West Mo.. Capt. <u>Akard</u> 8th Cav M.S.M in Command of (50) Fifty Enlisted men and two Comm Officers Armed Mounted an provided with six days rations and (60) sixty rounds of ammunition will proceed immediately after dark this eavening to Greenfield Mo., at which place he will halt and rest until the eavening of the 26th reporting to Capt[.] <u>GSMoore</u> 6th M.S.M Cav Comdg Post. for instructions as to the position and intentions of the Enemy and for reinforcements if necessary: Having received instructions from Capt[.] <u>Moore</u>, he will proceed in search of and attact and if posible drive out all forces of the Enemy in the North

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Western sexion of this District. Having accomplished his duty, Capt[.] <u>Akard</u> will return with his Command to Springfield Mo.

By Order of G.W. Murphy Major Comdg Post T.J. Shinn Lieut[.] & Acting. Adjutant Post

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