

I conceive it necessary at the same time to apprize you, that as I have rented out said Farm, & measures are taken by me to Fence in the whole of the Same up to the Mill Creek; As these Buildings now appear to be yours, I now again repeat to you what I have required before of Dusau, that you make the necessary arrangements to complete the Fences &c on each Side of the Road (so soon as the Weather permits) as far as your Mill, agreeable to my renoncement, as otherwise it will be impossible for us to make the use we intend of the Farm, should We be constantly exposed to the carelessness & caprice of every Fellow going to & coming from the Mill.

I am with much Regard

Your most obedient humble Servant

George Mac Dougall

P.S. I shall write Mr Sibly soon, to draft out the necessary Deed from you as attorney for Todd & Mc Gill for s^d Farm agreeable to your written Sale & declaration & promise.

G M^cD³¹

Addressed: John Askin Sen^r Esquire Merch^t Detroit
C Lafond

Endorsed: river au rasin March y^e 23^d 1799 Mr Geo
M^cDougall to Jn^o Askin rec^d y^e 24^h [torn] & Answ^d same [day]

TROUBLES OF GEORGE MCDUGALL

River Raisin 2^d April 1799

John Askin Esquire,

Dear sir, A late conversation with Dusau, occasions me to address you again, however reluctant, on the subject

removed his family here in May, 1708. He died about 1714. His brother, Prudent, came here in 1710 and a year later married Mary Magdelaine Fafard *dit* Delorme. Pierre Robert's grandson, Pierre Nicholas Robert, born in Longueuil, Nov. 28, 1729, married in Detroit, July 22, 1761, Magdelaine Casse *dit* St. Aubin. In 1773 he was operating a grist-mill at the Southwest Coast of Detroit; about the year 1790 he settled at Raisin River. They had a large family, one of whom was Isidore Robert, here noted. He was born in Detroit, June 12, 1773, and on Jan. 24, 1795, married at Raisin River, Agatha Réaume, daughter of Jean Baptiste Réaume and Agatha Lootman *dit* Barrois. Isidore Robert was buried at Raisin River, Feb. 7, 1816. Agatha Réaume was buried, July 22, 1833. They had thirteen children born in the period 1796-1816. Information adapted from Denissen, *op. cit.*

31 At this point occurs the schedule of weights of the consignment of flour.