

The Governor purchased a part, and I am in expectation of disposing of my purchase, which was made for your use, to him at an advance, payable at a period not very distant. A few acres near the Town were well sold, which will put me in Cash for Costs. After I shall have entered satisfaction for so much, at our August Court, I shall transmit the Judgment to you, that you may obtain Execution in your Court of Common Pleas to sell the Tract of Four Arpents by Forty, situate at Monguagon, granted by Bellêtre to Paul Gamelin, of which the W^o [widow] has delivered me the Grant agreeably to her proposition. Of the great Sum, proposed by the W^o to be ceded to you whereof the Vouchers have been received by me as your Agent, but a Small part I am sorry to inform you will ever be received. I have in the Instance of Laderoute who owed 4000ⁿ, taken his Note with Interest payable to you, and to enable him to pay I have aided him in establishing his claims to land, which will soon be acted on by the Governor

The amount realised, and there is not more to be expected, on the Mortgage [of] Bergand to Adhemar which was for about 9000ⁿ does not authorise the conclusion you have suggested in your Postscript. The mortgaged Property of Pelletier in the list you enclosed, was, soon after the execution of that act, abandoned by him, and there is nothing remaining but the bare Lot, which will not sell for 25 Dollars. He is out of this Country and has not any other property in it. I have determined for your Interest, not to commence suits except in cases which apparently will Justify it. Before I instituted that against the Adm^r of Bosseron I proposed to settle on terms which I believed equitable, and which certainly would have been approved by you, but he tho't otherwise. The points on which we differed were, the value of livres, owing to an ambiguous wording of one of the Obligations, and the In^t on all. I insisted that three of them equalled a Dollar, he contended for four. Upon condition he admitted my construction & agreed to relinquish half the In^t provided he would empower DuBois to pay you in May last at Detroit or me here in Cash, which I had reason to think and believe he would have acceded to, in consequence of Stipulations with his