

Ballance of M Robertson's Draft not yet drawn for.....	184	1	-
	4875	"	1 93/4
Deduct over [ra]ted the Peltries.....	200	"	"
New York Currency.....	£4675	1	93/4

The foregoing is Exclusive of any Payments that may be made of Debts due at Post Vincent the sale of some Tobacco yet in the Hands of M Andrew Todd What I may dispose of here, or at the Rivers mouth the Sales of my Houses &ca in Detroit & Lands on this side of the River If I meet With purchasers & ready money.

However observe I have about 1200 N Y C^y in Circulation, probably 900 of it may come in for payment; so much, of course must be deducted from the foregoing supposed Remittances.

Endorsed: June 11th 1796 Coppy of an a/c of supposed remittances to be made Mess^{rs} Todd & M^cGill by Jn^o Askin by Sep^r 1796

CAPTAIN MAYNE SENT TO DETROIT

Niagara 13 June 1796

Dear Sir/ I beg leave to introduce to Your acquaintance Captain Mayne⁶⁵ of the Queens Rangers. He goes up to take the Command near Bois Blanc, & I have no doubt but you will find him an acquisition to your Society

I am dear Sir Truly Yours

D W Smith

Addressed: John Askin Eq^r Detroit
Honored by Cap Mayne DWS

Endorsed: Niagara June 13^h 1796 D. W. Smith Esq^r to Jn^o Askin rec^d the 2^d July Answ^d y^e 10^h

⁶⁵ William Mayne, commissioned captain in the Queen's Rangers, Feb. 4, 1795, previous to which appointment he had held the rank of ensign. As indicated here, he was sent to the new post at the mouth of Detroit River (subsequently known as Amherstburg) in the summer of 1796. He was thus the successor of Colonel England as commandant of the British military establishment in the vicinity of Detroit. In a letter of June 24, 1797, he stated his desire for six months' leave of absence to enable him to go to England on private