

INDEBTEDNESS OF CAPTAIN JOHN WHISTLER

Near Sandwich August the 11th 1802

Sir It appears by a list of Debts delivered me by M^r John Anderson and that you were Indebted to him & C^o in the sum of £20 19 N. Y Currency in September 1799, since which you paid £6ⁿ 8ⁿ 0 as I'm necessitated to make payments in a few days I beg you will pay unto M^r Brush or my son Charles the remainder. the receipt of either will be a sufficient discharge for that debt at M^r Andersons particular request I have forebore making this demand last year or that before but realy now my necessities for Cash will not admit of longer indulgence from Sir

Y^r most Obedient very humble Servant

Cap^t Whistler at Detroit

Endorsed: near Sandwich August the 11th 1802 John Askin Sen^r to Captain Whistler Copy

SALE OF THE *SAGUINAH*

Sandwich 17th August 1802

John Askin Esquire

Dear Sir It is Only Now that we have been able to Answer yours of the 6th Ult^o Regarding your price for the Sloop *Saguinan*: We therefore Agree to Accept of the Proposals Made therein: That is to say you shall have her, with every thing bellonging to her, at Your Valuation viz £700 N.Y. C^y & that you grant Us Notes as expressed in your Letter, for the Proportional Part we hold in Her. We are equally happy as you are in bringing this Business to a Conclusion. We are Dear Sir

Your very obed^t Serv^{ts}

William Park

George Meldrum

Addressed: John Askin Senior Esquire Straebane

Endorsed: Sandwich Aug^t 17th 1802 Sale of the *Saguinah* from Mess^{rs} Meldrum & Park Rec^d y^e 19th all sett^d