

Those which were selected bore dates as far back as 1733, and embraced several letters relating to the Indian troubles of the period of 1755-60; and there were also a number written during the Pontiac War. They were taken to my office and kept several years, open to inspection by the curious, and, I regret to state, that some were abstracted without my cognizance; it is still more to be regretted, that I did not gather up all, of every description, and deposit them beyond the reach of idle or mischievous intruders.

Grignon's "Recollections," as given in the third volume of the Society's *Collections*, very interesting and truthful as they are, may be corrected in a few, perhaps unimportant particulars, by the papers now transmitted. These manuscripts, having been faithfully translated from the French originals by my two daughters, may also help to give authenticity to his traditions, which they would not otherwise possess.

M. L. MARTIN.

Langlade Papers

We the undersigned have ceded, and do cede, to Monsieur de Langlade, our father-in-law, all which belongs to us in the estate of the late Daniel Villeneuve, and Domitelle his widow, and wife of the said Sieur Langlade, with so much of the goods possessed and to be possessed. The declarants make no claim to the said estate either for themselves or for their children, on the charge and condition, nevertheless, that the Sieur Langlade pledges himself to support, and maintain as his own, the three last children now unprovided for, issue of the marriage of the said late Daniel Villeneuve, and his widow Domitelle, until the daughter who is to be provided for, shall be married, and the sons obtain positions in the army.

ANTON GUILLORY,
ANNIE VILLENEUVE,
wife of Guillory.

Done at MICHILIMACKINAC, this 23d of July, 1737.

J. L. De La Pierre,

Missionary of the Company of Jesus.

The Marquis de la Jonquiere, Commander of the Royal Military Order of St. Louis, Chief of squadron of the naval armies, Gov-