

the height that the said Indian shall require of him, on condition that the said Indian send him a keg of fine sugar, well ground, and the keg shall be of nine gallons, which shall be for complete payment of the said undertaking. The keg of sugar shall be put into the hands of the undersigned to be delivered to the said St. Gullorie when the said chimney shall be completed according to their agreement.

At Green Bay, 20th November, one thousand eight hundred and nine. The said Dumond having declared that he could not sign his name, has made his usual mark, with the said Indian, after it had been fully explained. Before the undersigned, after reading made in words, with nothing omitted.

his

ACHOABEME      X

mark.

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ALEXANDER GULLORIE      X

mark.

CHARLES REAUME,

*J. a pax.*

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JOHN ASKIN TO JACOB FRANKS

MICHILIMACKINAC, September 8, 1812.

*Dear Sir:*—On the 28th ult., Mr. Robert Livingston arrived from Detroit with dispatches from Maj. Gen. Brock, giving us an account of the surrender of that place to our arms—Gen. Hull and his three thousand men, all prisoners of war. Gen. Brock and Hull and his army embarking for Presqu' Isle on the 17th. Detroit surrendered the 16th. Capt. Hanks was cut in two by a cannon ball fired from our battery erected opposite to Detroit. The place surrendered as soon as our forces reached the town, and articles of capitulation similar to those of this place. It appears that Gen. Hull disavowed the capitulation of this place, and Livingston was imprisoned. Capt. Ruff was not permitted to proceed with his vessel during the short time that Hull flourished. Livingston further reports that Capt. Dobbins took an active part, and armed his seamen to fight against us, and Capt. Ruff maintained his neutrality to the last. Capt. Muir,