

His Excellency will be glad of every information you can procure relative to the Pass of St. Mary's, the Grand Portage &c and particularly the advantages you hint at by supplying the Illinois & Mississippi, from the South side of Lake Superior, and the most likely means of correcting the abuses of the People in that Country, whose conduct you so much complain of in these Inquiries.

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I am, &c.,

(Signed)

D. BREHM,
Aid de Camp.

MRS. LANGLADE TO HALDIMAND.

[Translated from the French by Grace Clark.]

MY GENERAL,—It is to you alone that I can apply for permission to have a canoe to go to M. de Langlade my Husband, who desires me and who has been for several years in the service of his Majesty, at the upper posts and is now at Michilimakinac; The Zeal of his service and his disinterestedness have made his fortune so small that I have no other ressource than to entreat you to command Mons. Campbell to pay me the six months of his salary which will fall due next month, in order that I may make some small provision for this Hard journey.

The uprightness and The Devotion with which M. de Langlade has served his Majesty for twenty years on different occasions make me hope that His Excellency will not refuse me this favor, he can see a Sketch of his services in the most gracious Letter of His Excellency General Gage, At the time of the defeat of the fort at Michilimakinac, a copy of which I Add here, not daring to intrust The original to the post-office

I am with the most profound Respect My General The most humble & most obedient Servant of your Excellency

DOURANA LANGLADE.

Montreal 22nd May 1780.