

I had made a scrole [manuscript] of the above showed it to Lt Christie who was Estonished of sutch Villainas designs, we then consulted the best of our knoledge, to discover the whole in form, I then asked Lt Christie if he thought proper to take Mr. Frobisiere with me, who understoot French (while the Conspiracy was carry'd on in that Languetch;) he answered to better, and a gentleman we can trust upon, accordingly we went in the Evening Secretly, the Informer put us in a sort of store house in a place where we could not be seen, David did arrive, who we could see & hear their conversation, about the time as above mentioned from David, after this assur'd of the truth we went to Lt Christie, atvised that David not should be confined, and still to do duty, we then conjunctly consulted ferder to get more certainety, Mr. Frobisiere then proposed a sceam, that the Informer should one more goe to the Major to assure him his Friendship, and at the same time to now what the Major was to do for him, for so great an undertaking, he did as deseer'd and the same Evening he Return'd the 4 night of Febry. to our Joy he brought to me a promissing not, which he saw wrot and Signd, by Majr. Rogers now in my possession.

The words are wrot as follows

AT MICHILIMAKINAC 4th Febry 1768

I promiss to pay M. Josph Ans' annaly an hundert Pound for Five years successfelly to carry me to Mr. Hopkins.

as witness my Hand

ROBT: ROGERS

The whole being this settled and found that all was true and without doubt and discover't every things, and Different Oaths taken signd and Seald, Lt Christie undertook tho very unwell to keep a strick guard till Revaillee Beating, David being on guard, should be confined, at that time in my Room, until we should ..... [MS. illegible] the disposition of the two Companies of the ..... [MS. illegible] and the man of the Artillerie, who we imagine

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