

taken in By Mr. Camps with a Hook & line under the Ice in March Sixty Six Pounds wate. I was Present. The Water was fifteen fatham Deape. The white fish are ye Another Exquisiteat fish. Thay will way from 2½ to 9 & 10 Pound wt. Baran La Huntan who was the first that made an Excirtion from Macanac Into the Masepey By the Rout of the Fox River—tho his Ideas ware Rong in Som things as I have Proved Sins his day—that * * * the Sturges [sturgeon] are the Best in these Lakes & the Harens [herrings] Exsead in flaver. The waters are trans Parant and fine.

I return to my one [own]. In Sept I Had my Small fleet Readey to Cross Lake Mishegan. On my Way to Grean Bay at the Mouth of fox river I Engaged Nine Clarkes for Differant Parts of the Northan & Westarn Countrey and Beaing Mand we Imbarkt & Crost the Lake without Seaing an Indan or Eney Person Except our One. In three or four Days we arive at the Mouth of the Bay which is two or three Mile Brod. In the Mouth is Som Islands which we follow in Crossing to the South West Sid & then follow ye Shore to the Bottom is Seventey Miles whare the fox River Empteys in to the Bay. We went a Short Distans up the River whare is a small french village and thare Incampt for two Days. This Land is Exalent. The Inhabitans Rase fine Corn and Sum Artickels for fammaley youse in thare Gardens. They Have Sum trad with y^e Indans which Pas that way. On the North Part of this Bay is a small Villeag of Indans Cald the Mannomaneas who Live By Hunting Cheafley. They have another Resois [resource]—the Bottom of the Bay Produces a Large Quantity of Wilde Rice which thay Geather in Sept for food. I ort to have Menshand that the french at y^e Villeg whare we Incampt Rase fine black Cattel & Horses with Sum swine.

At the End of two Days we asended the fox river til We Came to a Villeg which Lies on the East End of a small Lake that Emties into the fox River. These People are Cald Pewans [Puans] & the Lake by the same Name. These People are Singelar from the Rest of thare Neighbors. Thay Speake a