

York 10 Aug 18

I am directed by the D^y to acquaint
 you, that it is his intention to be with
 you as early as possible next Spring for the
 purpose of visiting your Post at Annapolis. It
 is also his desire that you will get for him
 a canoe equal in size & quality, to replace
 the one that was formerly procured for him
 but which was taken possession of by Lewis
 & McDowall the commanding Officers.
 I send it down at the opening of the Navigation
 to the Landing at Holland River for his
 reception, the goods relating thereto arrived
 immediately to Messrs. Gwynne who will receive
 your Instructions respecting the same.

Wm. M. Hay Esq.

Sup^y to the Gov^r

Ireland