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Clatterford. Mal. MacGregor to Goulburn. Again addresses Bathurst on the subject of the Indian lands on the Credit, and asks that his remarks may be transmitted. 1. The lands were not granted to the Indians as stated in Bathurst's letter to Gore, but were part of their own territory. 2. They retained possession of the banks of the Credit to have the exclusive right of the fishery, now encroached on by whites, both Canadians and people from the United States, who, under pretense of traffic, brutalize them with deleterious spirits, causing a rapid reduction in their numbers, so that they will soon be exterminated. 3. The benefit to the Mississaugas should his offer be accepted, as they would not only be protected, but would derive a permanent income and be secured food and clothing. 4. The benefit in a provincial point of view. He will erect mills at a cost of \$20,000 the result of which would be to bring the land into cultivation, which is now a wilderness. If required he shall enter into more minute details and give satisfactory security for any engagements he make. 372
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