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house ordeined to that end by the Governor Gen^l And if the Sinneques now or at any time hereafter should appoint any other place for to speake with you, in their own Country or elsewhere, we desire that it may not be accepted, but that this be and remaine the onely appointed and prefixed place, and all that was propounded by you the 4th of this instant, we desire that it may be punctually observed upon your side as we shall upon ours, and if you have a mind hereafter to speake with us, we desire that it may be here and noe where else doe present

A Drest Elk Skinn.

6. They say we doe returne you hearty thanks for the releasing of the two Sonnes of Canondondawe, and likewise that you beheaded the Sachem of the Susquehannohs named Achnaetsachawey who was the cause of their being taken prisoners and doe present.

5. Beavers.

This is a true Coppy translated, compared & revised
p. me Rob^t Livingston Sec^{ry}

Interpreted by Akus Cornelise who was assisted by Arnont Cornelise Vicle The Sinnondowannes and Cajouges answer to the Propositions made to them the 22^d August 1677. by the Hono^{ble} Coll: Henry Coursey Authorised by Charles Lord Baron of Baltemore Lord Prop^r of Maryland in the Court house of Albany the day and yeare above written

The
Sinnondowannes
Sachems are

Adondarechaa Speaker
D' Canendodo
Thowekinio
Kajanwee
Die Die Hokoran
Oguera is

Brethren we are now come upon y^r sending for. Whereas we have alwaies had a firm Covenant with this Government which hath been faithfully kept by the Governor Gen^l whom we have taken to be our greatest Lord for which we doe give him hearty thanks, for he hath putt aside all mistakes which have happened, we never had warrs with this Government but with yours, and now you are come from Maryland and Virginia to speake with us in his presence and lett that w^{ch} you have proposed to us be as fast and firm as the Covenant we have with the Governor Gen^l we humbly thank you that you have sent for us to speake with us in this Government and doe present

Half a Beaver

2. You are come here to speake with us of good things, and we will give you a good Answer thereupon doe give

One Beaver.