Lib. R. R. One whole day after all which they had the confidence to endeavour to perswade Us it was the Cinnigoes that committed the Outrage.

5. In the Articles of peace with the said Cinnigoes & Susquesahannoughs (if yett the last be in a Capacity to treate by themselves) you must include the Pascattaway Indians by name and all other o' Lowland Indians in Amity with us in Generall termes, because the publique ffaith is given to the Pascattoways that Wee will include them in Our peace with the Northerne Indians, And Wee are never Safe from the northerne Indians as long as they have any pretence of Warr with Our ffreind Indians nor from Our neighbour Indians as long as they can have any Colour of a Warr to hide their Owne faults and lay it upon their Enemyes.

6. Since this last instruction may prove the hardest part of your negotiation, and that the Northerne Indians may perhaps be unwilling to condescend to it from some injuryes done by Our neighbours to them unknowne to us, you are (in case they stick much at that Article) to enquire of the true causes of their quarrell, and to make the Cinnigoes and other Indians Satisfaction in the name of the Pascattaways, though Wee Our Selves be at the Charge of it, so to setle Our Owne Peace, nothing being so prejudiciall to us as a Warr, nothing more to the decreaseing of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Customes then such distruc-

tions as take the people from planting.

7 ffor the Rest of the Articles of the Peace they must be left most to your Owne discretion depending upon the information you shall receive in y' voyage of the State of Affairs. If you find they aime at a Trade with us you must informe your selfe of what Articles are made by Coll Andross and by them fitt Others for Our Turne & way of tradeing. if no trade be aimed at there will be little more to incert but the common termes of inviolable peace & amity between them the Lord Proprietary of this Province and all his Maties Subjects in these parts aswell in Virginia, as in Maryland, for if Wee include not them Wee shall Suffer as much in their passage through Our Country as in Our Reputation for haveing abandoned Our Brethren and fellow Subjects.

8. You are to informe y<sup>r</sup> Selfe what presents are usually made by the Governour of New Yorke to the Indians in like Occasions, and to make the like in the name of his Lordshipp, as also to make a present of One hundred pounds Sterling to the Governour of New Yorke as a token of his L<sup>opps</sup> thankfulnesse for his care and Kindnesse Shewne to this Province.

p. 122 9. You are to apply y' selfe to M' Jacob Leslier or any other for such monyes, Wampom, ffurrs or Truck you shall stand in need off which shall be paid him by the publick next Levy.