

Lib. J. R. for us, and have got our good Friend M<sup>r</sup> Ross to carry this  
& U. S. Letter to you which we shall always acknowledge as a particular Friend to us. as we expect to see you soon we will say no more at present, but remain your Loving Brothers.

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Wahachey -- of Keeway  
Mark

This is the Truth taken from the Head Warrior

Wampum	Ribband several Colours
12.. D.. Matchcoats	Beads Lace to robe Strouds
Stroud	Silver Arm Bands
Half Thicks for Leghorns	Silver Wrist Bands
Pipe Hatchets	Ear Bits.
Shirts	Callico for Women
1.. Ruffle for the Warrior	Linen
Pistols for the young Man	Womens Stockings
Knives	Strip't Flannel.
Paint	

Brother Wahachey of Keeway and Brethren of the Cherokee Nations

I have heard of your Fame and your good Intentions towards us from your Brother of Virginia, and have for a long time had a great Desire to see you, but it happens that now you are come I am unable to meet you, this I am sorry for but I hope you will excuse me since I have sent Col<sup>o</sup> Cresap to communicate my Sentiments unto you, I have appointed him because I know that he has a particular Regard for you, and because I am confident he will deliver my Words faithfully, he will in my Name and on Behalf of the People of this Province make a League with you which I hope will last as long as the Sun and Moon shall endure. As a Mark of my Friendship towards you I have sent you a present was it in my Power I would have sent you a larger but I hope you will not consider the Value of the Present so much as the Inclination of him that gives it. I have also  
p. 166 ordered M<sup>r</sup> Ross to supply you with Provisions, which as well as my Present will I hope be acceptable.

Now we have made a League of Friendship and are known to each other as Brethren I will speak to you more freely on the Purpose for which you are come. you say that your good Brother the Governor of Virginia has signified to you that our Father King George desires you will join the English and declare War against the French, and their Indians, who without any just Cause or Provocation have fallen upon our