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In a Council held at Appaquinnim? Present
Tuesday 19th Sept. 1661 Philip Robert Esq^r Gov^r
Henry Bourne Esq^r Sec^y
and Mr John Battman Jun^r

and Quina King of Pitharomina in Delaware Bay
showing that whereas there had been divers men slain
by the English belonging to the Passagutke Indians
under his command and amongst them his own brother
in revenge of which divers English had been slain by
those Indians yet that as he did believe all those out-
rages were committed by the English without order
from the Governor and Council so he did assure the
Governor and Council that those revenges were taken
by his Indians without his or any of his great men's
knowledge therefore did desire that all might be
forgotten and that from henceforward his Indians
might live in peace with the English

So when the Governor answered that as he did
order so he did desire Justice also and provided
they would deliver up those Indians that killed John
and Stephen Syatt with his companions to be pro-
ceeded against according to our Justice he would come
to settle of peace with him

Whereunto the said Quina answered that the English
had begun the wars and first killed one of his
as he was passing by their plantation
over his brother out of which they lost the
gunne afterwards pursued them into the woods and
there shot at them that as his Indians of God's hand
lost one man and their God in their way found
not the said Warden and Syatt and companions
contrary to the advice of an out man of the Council
that stood mediating by and persuading them
with the great men of the English first did kill
said Warden and Syatt and companions saying that
English would have wars but that since that
the English had set upon two Canoes of Indians
killed five of them and amongst them his own brother
all which notwithstanding he was willing and
to make a peace between us and his Indians forgetting
the blood of his own brother

Then did the Governor demand satisfaction for the
and loss of John Taylor. To which he answered
they were not killed by his Indians for they were