

that yo^r hono^r might have more full Intelligenc^e of what
did & was very like to happen what we have & doe vnderstand
honi is mirrored. I doe knowe if your Lo^p should have
thoughts for this prisoner wth a present to his owne
Country in hopes of purchasing thereby a peace w^{ch} by
every one wee thinke is ^{much} required & necessary
Desired Jacob Pawson hath voluntarily & of his owne
free will, declared to us his Desire to goe upon your
Command, & shall to y^e utmost of his Ability for y^e Country
sake) act Assist any one of yo^r Lo^p shall thinke fitt to
Employ in a matter of soe great consequence & further y^e
he is veryly perswaded y^t if such a thing were to be acted
Civility in y^e behalfe of all y^e Sasq^hahanads would
alsoe goe & y^t thereby a peace might be procured y^e
Sasq^hahanads wee know would willingly embrace & seeke
if obtoyned but are unwilling through height of spirit
to sue for itt Wee have Credible Information by a Gentle
from y^e Manhattos now here present who is thither wth
all speed wth returning, y^t many of y^e Senacoes will
(through a Customary Trade) from y^e last of June vntill
y^e Middle of July be at y^e fort at Orania to w^{ch} hono^r
Desired he would give this Relation, y^t he saw one of their
Countrymen (naming his name y^t y^e English had
taken, attempting to doe Miracles y^t he was woe
& fairly by y^e English dealt wth all not after y^e manner
of Cruelty, y^t they showed to some of us w^{ch} they did
formally take, & y^t there was great hopes y^t he would
in some tyme come amongst y^e a gayne, for by his
kind usage hitherto he conceived noo lesse Joy
what wee have done appeares to your Lord
shipp too much or too little Wee have not y^eing