

To all Christian people, to whom this pres-
ent Writing shall come Levenmind Ostermans
Turkam Queraighint Seckam tighres and Pra-
cksirs all Indians True and Rightfull Owners &
proprietors of the Land hereafter mentioned as for
them selves and the Rest of there Relations send
Greeting. Know yee that for and Considera-
tion of the sum of Twelfth pounds in Wampum
and several other Marchandizes as by a Cheddell
hereunto annexed, now at large doth and may
appear To them the said Indians in hand paid
before the Inscribing and delivery hereof. The
Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and
for other Divers Valuable Gifts & Considera-
tions They the said Indians have Granted bar-
gained and sold Alured Inrosted and Con-
firmed, and by those presents do fully Clearly
and absolutely Grant bargain sell alure In-
rosted and Confirme unto Stevenus VanCourt-
land of the City of New Yorke Marchant his
heirs or assignees for ever, all that a certain
Tract or parcel of Land littenate lying and
being on the East side of Hudsons River at
the Entering of the High Land Inst Over against
a place Called Kaverstroo Beginning on the
Southside of a Creek Called Tamösis — and
from thence Easterly in the woods to the head of a Creek
Called

& goe alonge said Creek Northwely to
Hudsons River, and then Westwely to the utmost Poynt of
said Tract of land, and from thence Southwely alonge
said Hudsons River to the afore named Creek Tamösis
which said Tract or Parcel of Land is knowne by the Indians
by the Names Appamaghioogh and Meahagh including all
the Lands Soile meadows and woods Within the bounds and
limitts ofore said together with all and singular the trees

Timber Woods under woods Swamps meadows marshes, Meadows, Rivul etc. Streams, Creeks, water, lakes pools ponds fishing, hunting fowling and whatsoever else to the tract or parcell of Land within the Bounds and Limites aforesaid, is belonging, or in any wise appertaining without any reservation whatsoever To have and to hold the said Tract or parcell of Land and all and singular other the premises and every part and parcell thereof unto the said Steuannus Van Cortland his heirs and assigns to the sole and only proper use benefit & behoofe of him the said Steuannus Van Cortland his heirs and assigns for ever, And they the said Indians Doe for them selves and their heirs and every of them Covenant, promise, and engage that the said Steuannus Van Cortland his heirs and assigns shall and may from hence forth for ever Lawfully Peaceably and quietly Have, hold, Possess and enjoy the said Tract or parcell of Land and all and singular other the premises with their appurtenances without any lett, hinderance, disturbance or Interruption whatsoever of or by them the said Indian proprietors or their heirs or of any other person or persons Claiming or that hereafter shall or may Claim by force or under them or either of them, and that they shall and will upon the reasonable Request and demand made by the said Steuannus Van Cortland give and deliver Peaceably and quietly Possession of the said Tract or Parcell of Land and premises, or of some part thereof for and in the name of the whole unto the person or persons as by the said Steuannus Van Cortland shall be appointed to Receive the same. In Witness whereof the said Rememind Oskewans Tuerham Quirapighmt Sirckam Tighres Prachissies the Indians owners and proprietors aforesaid have here unto

Sett their hands and seals in New York the 24th day of Aug^r in the Thirtieth fifth year of his Majesty Raigne Anno Do: 1683-
Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us
frances Rombolt } the marks
Guilain Verplanck } of Sirckam 
This is the mark of Rememind 
This is the mark of Oskewans 
The marks of Sirckam 
The marks of Prachissies 
The marks of Oskewans 
The marks of Quirapighmt 

A Schedall or List of Goods Paid by Stephanus Van Cortland, for the Land in the Deed expressed (Viz)

Eight Guns	
Nine Blank coats	Twenty pounds of Powder
Five Coats	Twenty bars of Lead
Fourteen fathom of Duffield	Eighteen Hatchets
Fourteen Kettles	Eighteen Hoes
Fourty fathom of Black wampum	Fourteen Knives
Nine anchors of Rum	A small Coat
Five half fath of Strong beer	Six fathom of
Twelve shirts	Stroudwater cloth
Six earthen Jugs	Six paire of Stockings
Six Tobacco Boxes	

The Indiam in the Deed mentioned do acknowledge to have received the full contents of the above specified goods before us

Guriam Deyplancko

The marks of
Weshihonam & Sachom
of wigquoctoch

Francis Lomboults

The marks of
Sachwaggij & Sachom
of Hanostra

Recorded in the Secretarys
office for the Province of New
York in Liber N: 27. Pages
177 to 180 the 20th day of
March 1685.

H I Spagg Sec

Recorded this 26th day of May 1687

Joseph Lee Register

NB. On page One you will observe an omission to write
over an erasure not to be understood (Proper name)
however,

(11) these are seals

& E is much like the O.

Copy of the
Original Deed of the
Province of New York
from the Indiam,
dated Aug: 24. 1683