

Benjamin Ogden

I have desired General Cortlandt to let you know That by the Rent book, of the Late Gertruyd Beekman deceased; William Ogden to whom she gave a Lease for a Certain farm in South Lott N^o. in the mannor Of Cortlandt; Stands Indebted for several years Rent to the year 1777 in which she died; which Rent she has by Will given to several of her heirs of which I am the Executor And they want to have it settled. There is also a bond of William Ogden given for the back Rent when William Ogden took the possession of the said farm Unsettled Also-

You will let General Cortlandt know your answer to the above so that I may know how to Regulate Accordingly am your hum^l Serv^t

Beekmans mill

Pierre Van Cortlandt

Sept. 20 - 1702
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Father's letter to
to Wm Ogden

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