

Westchester
County

This Inquisition indented & taken at ~~Phillipsburg~~ in the County
of Westchester & province of New York this 24th Day of Aprill
Anno Domini 1731 before Israel Honeywell Esq^r Coroner
of the County aforesaid, upon the sight & View of the Body
of Joseph Brown then & there Lying Dead; by the Oath
of John Conkling Jacob Wilfee Isaac Sumerendike -
Abraham Emmons George Tippet Edward Meeks John
Brown Abraham post John Cortrite Lewis Conkling -
Henry Wilfee Matthew Smith Amos Levines & Joseph Con-
kling: Honest & Lawfull men of the County aforesaid, being
sworn and Charged to Enquire on the part of our Sovereign
Lord the King after what Manner & fashion & how the aforesaid
Joseph Brown Came to his Death: who upon there Oath do
say that the aforesaid Joseph Brown was an Inhabitant of
Living County in the province aforesaid, who sum time in March
Last was passing over the Bay or mouth of Croton River -
by himself in a Canoe ~~off hisself~~ very much in drink &
was by misfortune Drowned & Died And so y^e Jurors
aforesaid, upon there Oath ~~say~~ say that the aforesaid Joseph
Brown in Manner & form aforesaid, by Misfortune is -
Come to his Death In Testimony whereof the said
Coroner as well as the Jurors aforesaid, to this Inquisition
Interchangably set our hands & seales this Day & year
& place aforesaid

Israel Honeywell

John Conkling

Jacob Wilfee

Isaac Sumerendike

Abraham Emmons

George Tippet

Edward Meeks

John Brown

Abraham post

John Cortrite

Lewis Conkling

Henry Wilfee

Amos Levines

Joseph Conkling



Jug. taken by the owner
of the L. on view of
said Joseph Brown of
Orange County
Filed May the 21. 1731.