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* Inq. taken by the Coroner *
* of WCh. on view the body of *
* Joseph Brown of Orange County *
* filed May the 4, 1731 *
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Westchester } ss
County

This Inquisition indented and taken att Phillipsburgh
in the County of westchester and province of New York
this 24th Day of Aprill Anno. Domini 1731 before
Israel Honeywell Esq. Coroner of the County aforst.,
upon the Sight and View of the Body of one Joseph
Brown then and there Lying Dead, by the Oath of
John Conkling Jacob Wilsee Isaac Sumerendike
Abraham Emmons George Tippet Edward Meeks John
Brown Abraham Post John Cortvite Lewis Conkling
Henry Wilsee Mathew Smith Amos Levines and Joseph
Conkling: Honest and Lawfull men of the County
aforst., being Sworn and Charges to Enquire on the
part of our Sovereign; Lord the King after what
Manner and fashion and how the aforst., Joseph
Brown Came to his Death: who upon there Oath do
Say that the aforst., Joseph Brown was an Inhabitant
of Orange County in the province aforst., who sum
time in March Last was passing over the Bay or
mouth of Croten River by himself In a Caneu very
much In drink and was by misfortune Drowned and
Died And so ye Jurors aforst., upon there Oath aforst.,
Say that the aforst., Joseph Brown Jr. Manner and
form aforst., by Misfortune is Come to his Death
In Testimony whereof I the Said Coroner as well as
the Jurors aforst., to this Inquisition Interchangably
Set our hands and Seales the Day and year and
place aforst.

Israel Honeywell
John Conkling
Jacob Wilsee
Isack Sumerendike
Abraham Emmons
George Tippet
his mark
Mathew x Smith
Edward Meek
John Brown
his mark
Abraham AP Post
Johonny Cortvite
Lewis Conklen
his mark
Henry HW Wilsee
Amos Levines
Joseph Conkling