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ascertaining our Boundary line which we consented to. We found afterwards that the line which they run was not continued the length of our lands as it should have been, but only so far, that the line when run towards the river came out about two miles above our Village. We began to perceive that this line was only run in order to curtail our Lands. —

Brother . . . We tell you these matters to show why our minds are so troubled, and uneasy, and how from time to time that uneasiness has increased upon us. —

Brother . . . Our first intentions when we got the Lands was, to leave out a part of it, for we knew very well, that the Five Nations were not able to cultivate the whole, and the Game would be so scarce that it never was considered as an object, by doing this, we should be at the receipt of such a sum annually as might contribute in some measure to the relief of the poor, old and infirm people of our Village who were not able to help themselves. — Brother