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The Governour of Virginia hopes that these Indians were not any of the Six Nations he says that if they were, you ought to be ashamed of such vile actions so soon after having concluded a peace with that Government and that if any of their militia, who were then Commanded out had found any of these Indians, they would have fallen upon them without delay being so justly provoked.

I have this Summer received

\*Frostekrohare, a Complaint from the Governour of South Carolina that there has lately been a party of Twelve Indians, who came into the heart of their Settlements, insulted some of the English Inhabitants and killed some of the Indians friends to the English they called themselves Senecas but the English knew two of them to be Tuscaroras, I Expect that you will make Enquiry who are the persons guilty of these wicked and Barbarous actions that I may know how much the Six Nations abhor such Treachery against your Brethren the English and that you will punish the offenders (whenever you discover them) as they deserve.

I am Informed Likewise that 3 years ago some Senecas were in the same

\*the Shawanoes Colony at Characks on the River called  
\*Pedes River. \*Frostekrohare at an English Trading house  
and there took away an Indian Slave belonging  
to one Nathaniel Ford an English man.

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Together with Two Guns Two Blankets and some powder notwithstanding the Senecas were told that this Coy and Goods belonged to the English.

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I now therefore Demand of you that the said Coy and the Goods be Restored as soon as Can be to Mr Peter Barberie now here in Albany or to whome he shall Direct you that he may send them to their owner in South Carolina who has desired him to Obtain them in his Name I question not but that if you make dispatch herein that Mr. Barberie will make you a present to your Satisfaction if you Expect the protection and friendship of the English you must resolve to do nothing that may most justly provoke us and particularly not permit any of the french Indians to pass through your Countrey in order to make war upon the English Colonies which they do in order to Destroy you by weakening your Brethren and best friends But above all Let me never hear again that any of you have so far lost your Understanding as to assist the french Indians in such Expeditions and to prepare the path for your own Destruction, I hope this is the last time I shall have occasion to reprove you in this Manner and that you will take Care that while