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At a COUNCIL held at the PROPRIETOR'S, July 12, 1742.

PRESENT.

The Honble George Thomas Esq; Lieut. Governor.

Clement Plumsted, James Logan, Thomas Lawrence, Abraham Taylor, Esqrs; Robert Strettell,

Mr. Richard Peters.

CANASSATEEGO, And fundry Chiefs of the SHICKALAMY, SIX NATIONS.

SASSOONAN, and Delawares.

NUTIMUS, and Fork-Indians.

CONRAD WEISER, Interpreter.

Pisquetoman, Interpreters to the Fork Indians. Cornelius Spring, Nicholas Scull.

CANASSATEEGO faid:

BRETHREN the Governor and Council,

The other Day you informed us of the Misbehaviour of our Cousins the Delawares, with Respect to their

continuing to claim, and refusing to remove from some

Land on the River Delaware, notwithstanding their

Ancestors had fold it by a Deed, under their Hands and Seals, to the Proprietaries, for a Valuable Confidera-

tion, upwards of Fifty Years ago; and notwithstand-

' ing that they themselves had about Years ago,

c after a long and full Examination, ratified that Deed of

their Ancestors, and given a fresh one under their

Hands and Seals; and then you requested us to remove

them, inforcing your Request with a String of Wam-

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