

Present
 M^r Peter Schuyler
 Henry Holland
 John Collins
 Ch: Livingston
 Col: Bleeker
 G^t Wendel

At a Meeting of the Com^{rs} of Indian
 Affairs in Albany the 9th of Aug^r
 1723
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The Deputies of the five Nations going
 to Boston make the following Speech to the
 Com^{rs} by Oastickta their Speaker

Brother Corlaer & Quider
 Last Summer were here three Gov^{rs}
 who had sent for us, and in our Return from
 that meeting died some of our principal
 Sachims. Mean while the Com^{rs} have sent
 Word to Maj^r Abraham Schuyler to appoint
 a Sachim in the Room of Blewback, and
 you desired us when we were here to treat
 with the Boston Com^{rs} to appoint a fitt pson
 in his Room on which we have thought fitt to
 appoint one of his nearest Relations called
 Annatsee in his Head and we Desire you
 may have the Same Esteem and Regard
 for this pson that you had for the Blewback
 He was a Man always true to the English
 Interest & Cultivated the Happiness of
 the five Nations. We Doubt not but this
 pson will follow his Example and hope w^t
 our Childrens Children shall follow the
 Steps of our Ancestors give a ~~lot~~ of Wampum

Brother Corlaer & Quider
 When his Excell^{ty} our Gov^r & the Govern^{rs}
 of Virgin^{ia} & Pensyl^{va} were here his Excell^{ty}
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