do, as it is of the utmost consequence to our mutual interest.

A large belt.

Brethren,

I must now acquaint you, that I propose meeting you at Oswego next spring, and desire you will join with me in the invitation I shall send to your friends and allies, far and near, to come to said meeting; when and where you and they shall receive a handsome present from your Father the great King of England, who is very desirous of bringing all nations worthy of his and your alliance, into the covenant-chain at that meeting. I hope, we shall then be able to make such an alliance, and settle matters in such a manner, and so much to our mutual advantage, as will give reason to all concerned, and their posterity, to bless that happy day we met together.

A belt.

The answer of the six nations, the 21st of February 1756.

Red Head, speaker.

PRESENT

The hon. Will. Johnson,
The Rev. Dr. Ogilvie,
Capt. Buckworth,
Lieut. Miller,
Lieut. Dunbar,
Three Interpreters.

Brother Warraghiyagey,

We meet you with the greatest pleasure at this fire-place, and heartily join you in your wishes, that it may burn bright to the latest posterity; let us mutually endeavour to collect such materials for the use of this our fire, as may tend