

The Indians are willing to remooove either to Mattawoman Lib. R.
Choptico or Zachaiah as your L^{spp} shall appoint.

According to yo^r L^{spps} ord^r I have proceeded with all exactness and security that lay in my power ; about the Sixteenth Day of May here was a Virginia Boate a tradeing with the Indians and then about that time this Indian man was missed, about tenn Daies after he was found dead by the Captains Landing that is to say Cap^t Aspinolls, I have inquired of Thomas Alcock which is a Liver by the Captains, and he doth say that the Indian was at his house that Day to borrow a bottle, and he went from his house towards the Captains house again. The Examination of the people that liveth at Cap^t Aspinolls and their Confession, one of the Servants called by the name of Thomas Ward doth say that the very Indian that is lost went that Day as the boate was tradeing at his Masters Landing toward Thomas Alcocks house. M^{rs} Aspinall doth declare one of her Servants was at the next house a Drinking all that night, and likewise a free man that liveth at her house and a Virginia Inhabiter was that very night was drinking at the same house as her Servant was Drinking the free man is poore people, and the Virginians name is Thomas Hattaway, w^{ch} is all from his

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Upon Consideration had of the Pascattoway Indians desire to remooove either to Mattawoman Choptico or Zachaia according to the teno^r of Capt Brandts Letter foregoeing, it was advised and concluded on by his L^{spp} and his Councill now p^sent that Zachaia is the most proper place for the said Indians at p^sent to remooove themselves their wives and Children to untill such time as his L^{spp} can come to some treaty with the Senniquos and Susquehannohs and make some tearmes of Agreem^t with them both for the said Pascattoway and other our neighbour and ffriend Indians thereby to remooove from them all future feares and apprehensions of Danger they now lye und^r—Zachaia therefore is the place appointed as aforesaid for the said Indians to retire unto, and Capt^a Randolph Brandt ord^ded to advise them that such is his L^{spps} will and pleasure.

By the Lord Prop^{ty} & Councill

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1680 } fforasmuch as the Emperour and great men of Pascattoway and other the Indians und^r his Subjection haveing great feares and jealousies of the Sinniquo and Sus-