

Letter from Quakers to Cornplanter

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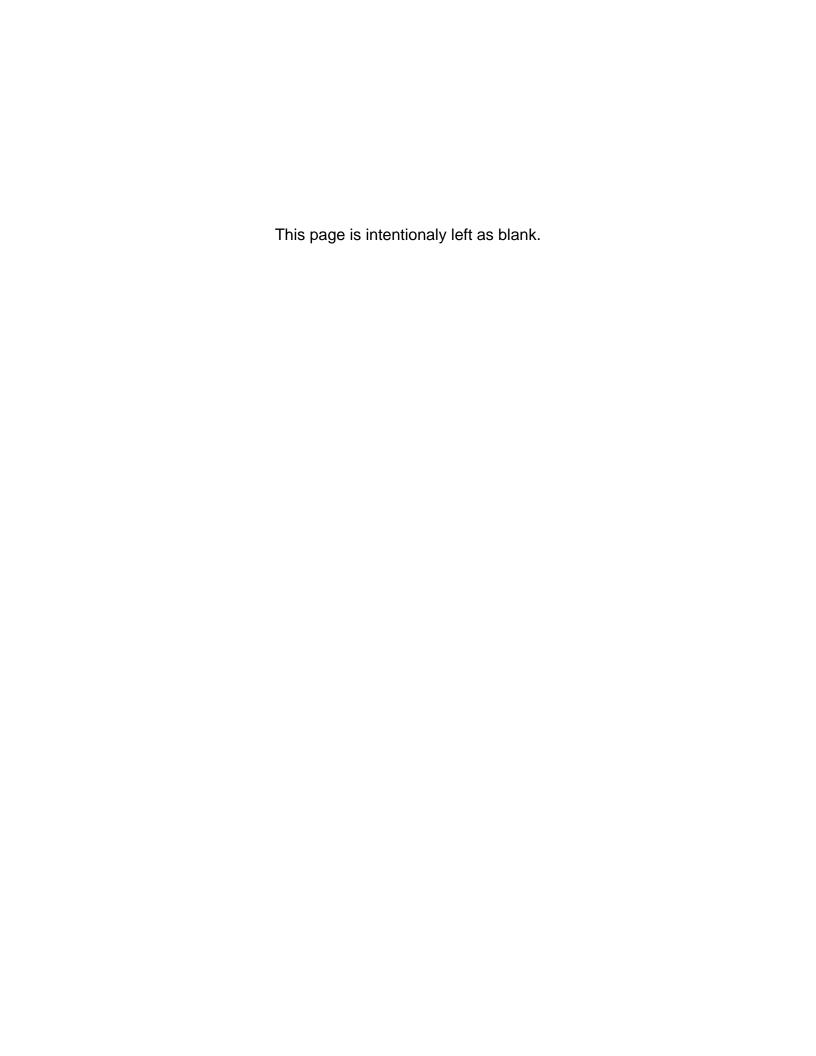
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SUMMARY: Agreement to take in and educate Seneca boys

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From the people called Quakers, the Children and Descendants of Those peaceable people who first veltted in Termigliania, being the Treends of Onas . To Com- planter the Sineca - Check or to Jorch Nicholson the Interpreter to be by hern esplain & to the said The written meliage of Corn-planter dated at Tholad! on The 10. day of February last, was not received by us untill some weeks after - Her request that we would take under our care two y Senera Boys, one of them his own son, accompanied with the sone Joseph Nicholson, we have considered, and do agree to received them when they can be conveniently sent to us, entending they shall be breated with care and hundrefs, and instructed in reading, writing and Husbandry as the Children of our Franch are taughting Governor of Termiquania, Dues inform & of their proposal, having express it his approbation thereof, as did General Short -Signil on behalf and by approximant of a meeting of the Plepres. of the said people the 2 day of the 6 mo, called fram 1791 -

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Herry Drinker One Copy sent by John Addum 2. 6 mo. 1791

One other sent by major Hodger 4: 6 mo 1791 inclosed to for Nicholion at Settibu.

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Sign'd ytf ytf ytf ytf Isaac Zaneytf Owen Jonesytf John Pembertonytf John Parrishytf Henry Drin One other sent by Major Hodgson 4.ytf 6 mo. 1791 inclosed to Jos. Nicholson atytf Pittsburgh ytf ytf