

Instructions for ^{Col} Henry Courty in Execution of his
Commission for Treaty with the Susquehannaugh & Cinnigo
Indians

Instructions

(Cinnigo)

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You are with all convenient speed to begin your journey
towards New York by the way of New Castle upon
Delaware in order to your going unto Albany there to treat
with the Cinnigo Indians; & at your arrival at New
Castle to signify to the Deputy Governour there for the
time being in general terms that you are sent to
cludro by the means to come to a treaty with the
Cinnigo Indians at short Albany as aforesaid as oppor-
tunity shall offer & that you are there to endeavour to
informe your selfe from Capt Porter & others of the true
state of the Susquehannaugh, what number they are,
upon what termes they are received by the Cinnigo's,
whether there be not any of them that are not submitted
to the Cinnigo's if any such be, under whose protection
they live, & how they may be treated withall in order to the
settling an universal peace betwixt us the Susquehanna-
ugh's Cinnigo's & the rest of the Indians to the North-
ward, as also betwixt the said Indians & all the lowland
Indians in league & amity with us

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You take any of the Cinnigo's Troops be near New Castle
at your being there, you are to endeavour to speak with
them, & to let them know that you are upon your Voyage to
Albany to treat with them & that there of a firm
peace, & to obtaine if possible a cessation of arms at least
if you can betwixt them & all his Ma^{ties} Subjects in these
parts, & for all Indians in these parts now in amity with
his said Ma^{ties} Subjects

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You are next to apply your selfe to the Governour of New York
& sending him thanks for the civilities he hath shewn
to this his Lordships Governour, to desire him to assist you
in procuring a treaty for you with the said Cinnigo Indians

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