

To the Honorable General Assembly of the Colony of Connecticut  
now Sitting at Hartford in s<sup>d</sup> Colony

The Memorial of Elijah Wimpey Solomon Mofuck  
Sam<sup>ll</sup> Adam & the rest of y<sup>e</sup> Tribe of Tunxes Indians living  
In Farmington in Hartford County humbly Showeth---  
that they have Received a Kind Invitation from their  
brethen the Six Nations at Oneida to Come & dwell with  
them with a promise of a Cordial reception & ample  
provision in Lands whereon to Subsist— & being Straitned  
Where ~~wh~~ we now dwell think it <sup>will be</sup> best for ~~our~~ <sup>ourselves</sup> & our Children  
& also tend <sup>to</sup> extend & advance the kingdom of Christ ~~in~~  
among the heathen Nations to Sell our Interest <sup>in this Colony</sup> ~~at Farmington~~  
<sup>to accept ye kind invitation of our bretheren</sup> & to remove with our families to y<sup>e</sup> Oneida – & to prevent  
Charge & Expençe in & about y<sup>e</sup> Sale of our Estates – & also our  
being Impofed upon therein – ~~wh~~ we humbly pray your  
Hon.<sup>s</sup> as our fathers & Guardians to appoint Col: John Strong  
Fisher Gay Esq.<sup>r</sup> & M.<sup>r</sup> Elnathan Gridly all of s<sup>d</sup> farmington a  
a Committee to afift direct & oversee us in the Sale of our lands  
& to enact that all ~~Lands~~ Sales of Lands belonging to us that Shall  
be made by us with y<sup>e</sup> advice & direction of s<sup>d</sup> Committee or any two  
of them indorsed on ~~Sd~~ the deeds of Sale Signed by them Shall be good  
& effectual in the law to pafs s<sup>d</sup> Lands & for y<sup>e</sup> purchasers to hold  
s<sup>d</sup> Lands by to all intents & purposes – the Same being acknowledged  
by us – & duly recorded as in other Cafes is provided – or in some  
other way provide for your Memorialifts as your Hon<sup>s</sup> Shall  
Se fit & your memorialifts as in duty bound Shall ever pray  
Dated y<sup>e</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> day of may AD 1774

Elijah Wimpey	}	for themselves & y <sup>e</sup> rest of s <sup>d</sup> Tribe
Sol. Mosucks		
Sam <sup>ll</sup> Adam		

In the lower House

The Prayer of the above Mem.<sup>l</sup> is granted, faving  
the ~~Ri~~ Rights of The New Haven Indians in the Lands  
mention.<sup>d</sup>, & Liberty ~~of a Liberty~~ for a Bill in form &<sup>c</sup>.

Test Sam<sup>l</sup> H. Parfons Clerk

Concurr<sup>d</sup> in the upper Houfe

Test George Wyllys Secret<sup>y</sup>

[verso:

Elijah Wimpey &c  
Memorial  
May 1774  
Farmington Indians  
Root  
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