May 12th, 1654.

Be it known unto all men that by these presents, the said

Town of Southampton, for and in behalf of our said citizens and

said city of New York and the heirs ever to come, have given

unto the said Town of Southampton, for and in behalf of

the said city of New York and the heirs ever to come, the

sum of twenty pounds of the currency of this country,

which sum the said Town of Southampton, for and in behalf of

the said city of New York and the heirs ever to come, do hereby

receive and accept, and the said Town of Southampton, for

and in behalf of the said city of New York and the heirs ever to

come, do hereby undertake and promise to warrants, to

the use and benefit of the said city of New York and the heirs

ever to come, forever.

In witness whereof, the said Town of Southampton, for and

in behalf of the said city of New York and the heirs ever to

come, have caused the same to be acknowledged by the said

William Sibley, recorder of said Town, this 12th day of

May, 1654, and the same is hereby recorded.

WITNESS,

John A. Dow

Mayor.


dated and sealed, in the presence of us,

Lion Gardiner,

Registrar.