Nicasius de Sille, first councilor of New Netherland, had a ground-brief for this lot in 1657. Presumably, he built the house, in which his son, Laurens, resided in 1665.—Rec. N. Am., V: 223.

De Sille sold the property to Nicolas Danielsen Bayart, October 11, 1661. Peter

Stuyvesant had acquired it before May 21, 1669, when he sold it to Christoffel Hooghlant.— Liber Deeds, B: 156; cf. Deeds & Conveyances (etc.), 1659–1664, trans. by O'Callaghan, 205. Mr. Hooghlant's widow, Tryntje, or Katherine, Kregier, whom he married June 23, 1661 (Marriages in Ref. Dutch Ch., 27), was still living here in 1686.—Selyns's List, in

For Nicasius de Sille, see Block L, No. 12.

N. Y. Hist. Soc. Collections, 1841, p. 392.