



Cover illustration: 'The Happy Drinker'. 1610–1685 by Adriaen van Ostade(n)
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Sketch by the clerk of the Amsterdam Notarial Archive 5075 nos 751 p.63, dated 8th August 1632. Note the similarity to the chair illustrated on the front cover and the chairs at Edam museum (fig. 28).