

Like many of the old Dutch names it stood for more than an arbitrary appellation. Translated into English it signified "cup bearer" and the inference is, according to Dutch custom, that this family name was founded by a cup bearer to the ruler. This is true also of the origin of the name of Ryerson which translated signified "Cavalier."

As early as 1705 we notice that "Adriaen Reyerszen" (as recorded) and Annetje Schenck, appear on Oct. 15th of that year as sponsors in baptism of Elbert, son of Cornelius and Catalyna Hooglandt. Cornelius Hooglandt was probably a brother of Hendrick Hooglandt, who was Adriaen Reyerszen's son-in-law. Adriaen Reyerszen and Annetje Schenck had children:

- I. JANNETJE (Jane) ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. July 25, 1660; m. Oct. 14, 1683, Jacobus Hegeman.
501. II. ELBERT ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. Aug. 14, 1663; m. Catalyntie Remsen Van der Beeck. His descendants adopted the name of Adriaence (since Adriance).
570. III. MARTEN ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. Mar. 9, 1668; d. Oct. 30, 1754; m. Sarah Remsen Van der Beeck. His descendants adopted the name of Martense.
- IV. MARGARET (or Geertje) ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. Mar. 28, 1670. No further trace.
- V. SARAH REYERSZEN, b. June 9, 1672; d. y.
- VI. REYER ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. May 28, 1673; d. y.
- VII. NELLTJE (Cornelia) ADRIAENCE (Reyerszen), b. Dec. 7, 1675; m. Willem Hooglandt (William Hoogland,— modern, Hoagland), son of Dirck Jansen and Annetje (Bergen) Hooglandt. Annetje Hooglandt was a dau. of Hans Hanse Bergen and Sarah, dau. of Joris Jansen de Rapelje. William and Neeltje had children:
 - I. DIRCK HOOGLAND, b. 1697; m. Mary Stot, of New York. Settled in Bucks Co., Penn.
 - II. ADRIAN HOOGLAND, b. in 1699; d. July 28, 1772. Settled in Bloomingdale, N. Y.; m., first, Engeltje, dau. of Benjamin and Engeltje (Harmanse) Vandewater; second, Catherine Catlang. Had ten children.
 - III. WILLIAM HOOGLAND, b. in 1701; d. Nov. 20, 1786; m., first, Lemmetje —; second, June 19, 1736, Aeltje, dau. of Dirck and Aeltje (Couwenhoven) Brinckerhoff. He d. about 1786. Issue by the first wife:
 - i. *Willem Hoogland*, b. May 7, 1732; d. y.
 - By second wife:
 - ii. *Neeltje Hoogland*.
 - iii. *Aeltje Hoogland*, bap. Aug. 2, 1740; m. Johannis Low, of Fishkill.
 - iv. *Derrick Hoogland*, bap. Aug. 7, 1743; m. Molly Montross, of Fishkill.
 - v. *Mariah Hoogland*, bap. June 15, 1746.
 - vi. *Dinah* (Gerrardienna) *Hoogland*, m., Dec. 7, 1769, Rem Adriaence.
 - vii. *Sussannah Hoogland*, m. Elbert Monfoort, of Fishkill.
 - viii. *William Hoogland*, b. 1750; m. Rachel Couwenhoven.
 - ix. *Abraham Hoogland*, b. 1753; m., Jan. 27, 1781, Alje Brower.