

How effectually, with what security, they are able to accomplish these ends, our war with the Shawanese and Delawars may suffice to convince us, through the whole course of which, the loss on their side did not amount to thirty men, on ours (inhabitants included) seven thousand. Thus have I endeavoured to explain and illustrate by a relation of facts, the circumstances which constitute the superiority, which the Indians have over us: I shall now only beg leave to repeat, that we have the strongest reasons to think, their inclinations are ripe for acting universally against us, that they only wait for means to execute their project, that the cession of any part of Canada would furnish them with these means, that the re-establishment of the

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