

Costobelle, the Governor of *Placentia*, in *Newfoundland*, requesting only an Officer to be at the Head of them, and they engaged to reduce the Fort, and all *Acadie*, without any farther Assistance. But Mr. *Costobelle* having Work enough for his Officers where he was, could not answer their Demand, and for Want of a proper Commander to lead them on, they were forc'd to retire.

Soon after this, in the Year 1712, was signed the Peace of *Utrecht*, by which a perpetual Cession is made to *England* of *Acadie*, or *Nova Scotia*, in its full Extent, according to its *ancient Limits*, together with *Port Royal*, now called *Annapolis Royal*, and all its *Dependancies*; what those *Dependancies*, and what those *ancient Limits* are, I presume sufficiently appears from the Course of this History.

All this Part of the Continent upon *New England* to *St. Lawrence River* being now confirm'd to the *English* by Treaty, there was no Room to apprehend any further Disturbance from the *French*, and the *New England* People began to settle about the *River Kinibequi*, among the *Indians*, by whom they were not only freely admitted at first, but gladly received, on Account of the Benefit they received from the Intermixture, as well in the Article of Trade, as in the Improvement of their Minds and Manners; for the *English* built Schools in the Country
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