

not thought of, and speedily put in Execution, this Province cannot long subsist; CHAP. VII.

and that the Disadvantage to Trade in general, as well as the Discouragement to

Undertakings of this Nature in particular, will be so great, that it is no great Presumption to assert the Loss in both Cases to be absolutely irretrievable.

THE Case therefore is widely different from the Notion which has in some Places prevailed: And *New England* is not, and is sorry it is not, the powerful, flourishing

Colony it has been represented to be; but on the contrary, the Country is very poor, largely in debt, has no Currency or real Value in it, and, unless speedily relieved from hence, has no future Prospect, but that of utter and irrecoverable Ruin.

IT is not disposed to throw off its Dependency on the Crown of *England*; but may, with Justice, vie with *England* itself for Demonstrations of Loyalty, Zeal, and Affection to His present Majesty, the Protestant Cause, and *English* Liberty.

THIS Narrative (which is already much longer than I intended it should be) would