

ARTICLE XIV.

All the sequestrations, laid on either side on funds, revenues, and credits, of what nature soever they may be, belonging to any of the Contracting Powers, or to their citizens or subjects, shall be taken off immediately after the signature of this Definitive Treaty.

The decision of all claims among the individuals of the respective nations, for debts, property, effects, or rights, of any nature whatsoever, which should, according to received usages, and the law of nations, be preferred at the epoch of the peace, shall be referred to the competent tribunals: In all those cases speedy and complete justice shall be done in the countries wherein those claims shall be respectively preferred.

ARTICLE XV.

The fisheries on the coasts of Newfoundland, and of the adjacent islands, and in the Gulph of St Lawrence, are placed on the same footing as they were before the war.

The French fishermen of Newfoundland, and the inhabitants of the islands of St Pierre

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