

N U M B. XVI.

*A PROCLAMATION directed by Order of Charles Lawrance, Esq; Governor of Acadia, to the French Inhabitants of the Neighbourhood of the Isthmus, and the Banks of the River St. John.*

*By the KING.*

*By Order of his Excellency Charles Lawrance, Esq; Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief of the Province of Nova-Scotia, or Acadia, &c.*

*A PROCLAMATION.*

*To the Inhabitants, and others, the Natives of Chignecto, Bay-Vert, Tintamar, Chipoudie, River St. John, and their Dependancies, and to all others who have not as yet submitted themselves.*

**F**ORASMUCH as the greatest Part of the Inhabitants of the Places aforesaid, and others, *have not as yet submitted themselves to the King of Great-Britain* †, but on the contrary, have behaved themselves in a Manner contrary to all Order and Loyalty, with Regard to their own Sovereign.

These are therefore to order them, to repair immediately to my Camp, to submit themselves; bringing with them all their Arms, Muskets, Swords, Pistols, and every other Instrument of War; in Disobedience whereof, they shall be treated as Rebels.

*GIVEN at our Camp at Chignecto, this 13th of May, 1755.*

Signed, ROBERT MONCKTON.

*End of the first P A R T.*

† This is remarkable, how came it to pass, that ever since the Treaty of Utrecht, it never entered in the Mind to require this Submission?

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May 5, 1755.

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