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His Majesty having thus explain'd his Sentiments, makes no Difficulty to declare, in Answer to the Demands made by the Court of France ;

1st, That effectual Orders have already been given, not to commit any Attempt, either on the Side of Nova-Scotia, or on that of Hudson's-Bay, against the Trade, or against the Possessions of his Most Christian Majesty's Subjects ; or that might, in any Respect, derogate from the definitive Treaty of *Aix-la-Chapelle*, or from any former Engagements actually existing between the two Crowns.

2^d, That his Majesty consents to nominate forthwith, two Commissioners, to confer at *Paris*, with those who shall be appointed by his most Christian Majesty, concerning the respective Limits, which are actually in Dispute between the two Crowns ; not only those which concern *Nova-Scotia* or *Acadia*, but also the Limits in other Parts of that Continent, wheresoever the Settlements of the two Nations border one upon another ; as also, to determine (according to a Proposal made in a former Memorial) which are the Islands belonging to each Crown, and which are to remain neutral.

Before his Majesty approved of any Settlements raised by his Subjects in that Part of *Nova-Scotia*, to which (though undoubtedly belonging to the King) France has laid Claim, he consented to submit his Pretensions to the Decision of Commissioners, as a convincing Proof of his Desire to preserve the Union and Harmony so happily restored between the two Crowns.

N U M B. II.

A Letter from my L. Albemarle, to M. the Marquis de Puyzieulx, complaining of a Detachment sent by M. de la Jonquiere, to protect the Inhabitants of Chiboudi. Paris, March 25, 1750.

I Have this Moment received a Letter from the Duke of Bedford, wherein I have Orders from his Majesty, to represent to your Excellency, the Causes of Complaint, which