

It is humbly proposed and submitted to his Excellency the Governor of *Cape Breton* to begin a Foundation, and set on Foot a Subscription among the worthy Officers and others for the aforesaid Purposes; which by giving them an Opportunity of dedicating a Part of those Spoils which the only Giver of all Victory hath delivered into their Hands, to his Honour, and the Service of Religion, will be a Testimony of their Gratitude, and bring down the Blessings of Heaven on them, and their Enterprizes.

It is also submitted to be considered whether in case there be some publick Building already raised by the *French* at *Louisbourg*, originally designed for some such Purpose, or at least for some Religious Use; it may not most properly be turned to the Uses proposed in our Way: And therefore whether it be not in the Governor's Power to begin and encourage such a Foundation, to his immortal Honour and Reward?

It is also submitted to Consideration, whether the Method and Rules of the *Charter Schools* in *Ireland*, (the great Use and Success of which has been found by Experience and are known to their liberal Benefactor * the Governor of *Cape Breton*) will not afford a proper Scheme for Schools in *America*, in several Cases, as tending to train up the Children of the lower Class of People, both free-born, Slaves and *Indians*, at once in the profitable Labours of this Life, and in the necessary Knowledge in Order to a better. And upon Reflection it will be found, that the same Reasons are equally prevalent and conclusive in both Cases, *viz.* that of the *Indians* and *Negroes* abroad, as of the *Popish* Natives in *Ireland*.

P. S. It is obvious to see, that however the Lot of War, or the Necessity of our Affairs may dispose of *Cape Breton*, the proposed Method of Instruction may be practised in all our other *American* Plantations; and the sooner the better; since by the last Accounts from thence, of the renew'd Cruelties of the *Indians*, under *French* Influence, against our People and Settlements, the Expediency and Benefits of humanizing and converting them to our Religion appear stronger.

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