

" from them ; and desire that in such case he
 " would engage me to let them resettle in
 " their Village, and their Missionaries remain
 " there with them unmolested, as they did be-
 " fore the War ; observing to him that those
 " *Indians* entered into the War, only as your
 " Allies, and therefore when the War was
 " finished with you, it ought to be so with
 " regard to them ; and you proceed to say, Sir,
 " that if they thought otherwise in *New Eng-*
 " *land*, you shall be obliged to assist those *In-*
 " *dians*, intimating that it is of Importance to
 " the Safety and Tranquillity of the Frontiers
 " of the *Massachusetts Bay*, that you should
 " have a speedy and positive Answer, and that
 " you shall not be surprized, if the *Indians*
 " should proceed to Acts of Violence.

" To this, Sir, which is the fourth Demand
 " in your Letter, Mr. *Mascerene* having re-
 " ferred you to me upon it, I shall comply
 " with your Request in giving as speedy and
 " positive an Answer as may be.

" The River of *St. John's*, upon which that
 " Part of the *Indians*, to which you chiefly
 " refer, is seated, has been ever deemed
 " to be situated within the Heart of *No-*
 " *va Scotia*, and consequently that Tribes of
 " *Indians*, together with the *French* Inha-
 " bitants upon the same River, are within his
 " Majesty's Territories ; and accordingly, Sir,