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SEPT. 18th.—This day (fruits of the victory gained by the British forces over the French army on the 13th instant) Quebec, the capital of Canada, surrendered upon honourable terms; and Lt.-Col. Murray took possession of the gates with three companies of grenadiers.

19th.—This day I marched into town, or, more properly, the ruins of it, with the battalions of Amherst, Bragg, and Otway.

20th.—The French garrison, having surrendered their arms, embarked on board the vessels appointed to receive them.

21st.—Settled the form of an oath of allegiance to be taken by the inhabitants to the King of Great Britain; and it was accordingly administered to the companies of militia which had been doing duty in the town, who, after performing this and delivering up their arms, had liberty to depart to their respective homes; the same method was continued, and the names registered. This night it was resolved, in a council