

tive, taken from *Wells*, who lived at *Quebec*. and his brother *Ebenezer Hill*, to make a discovery of this lying plot, and to warn them of their danger, and assure them of the falsehood of this report ; but the letter fell into the hands of the Priests, and was never delivered. This *Egerly* came home with us, so that they gained nothing but shame by their stratagem.—God often disappoints the crafty devices of wicked men.

In the latter end of summer, they told me, they had news from *New England*, by one who had been a captive at Boston, who said that the ministers at Boston had told the French captives, that the Protestant religion was the only true religion ; and that as a confirmation of it, they would raise a dead person to life before their eyes, for their conviction ; and that having persuaded one to feign himself dead, they came and prayed over him, and then commanded him in the name of Christ (whose religion they kept pure) to arise ; they called and commanded, but he never arose ; so that instead of raising the dead, they killed the living ; which the bereaved relations discovered. I told them, it was an old lie and calumny against Luther and Calvin, new vamped, and that they only change the persons and place. But they affirm it to be a truth. I told them, I wondered they were so fond of a faith propagated, and then maintained by lying words.