

Companies, together with the Company of Miners lately sent to Cape *Breton*, may be sufficient for this Service.

The *French* (by means of their Fishery on the North Coast of *Newfoundland*) carry on a great Trade with the *Esquameau Indians* that inhabit the vast Coast of *Labradore*, which is not above Ten Leagues Distance from the aforesaid Fishery (across the Streights of *Belleisle*) for Furs, Deer, Elk, Buffalo Skins, &c. and on the Coast they have a great Whale Fishery, and also, bring Home great Quantities of Masts, Yards, Spars, &c. for building Ships of War; and saw vast Quantities of Plank, from the Red Pine, for their Ship and Boat-building, being the best in the World for that Purpose: Both the North Part of *Newfoundland*, and the Coast of *Labradore*, abound with those Materials.