

that Spirit which he seems to have infused into the Administration, who before him were as much too pacific as he is too enterprising. To him also we owe the Reduction of *Canada*, which, nevertheless, I doubt, has cost us more in Money and Men than the Country itself is worth. But the *French* Islands, upon which their Fisheries depend, are undoubtedly of the utmost Importance, as the Loss of them tends greatly to weaken the Enemy's Marine, and to strengthen our own. With regard to *Senegal* and *Gorée*, if I am rightly informed, Mr. P— had no other Share in the Conquest of them, than in giving his Approbation of the Measure which had been proposed as an Object worthy our Attention. Who first projected the Conquest of *Martinico* and *Guadalupe*, I know not; but this one

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