

Great Britain or to the *United States*, should have been conquered by the arms of either from the other, before the arrival of the said provisional articles in *America*, it is agreed, that the same shall be restored without difficulty, and without requiring any compensation.

ART. X. The solemn ratifications of the present Treaty, expedited in good and due form, shall be exchanged between the contracting parties in the space of six months, or sooner, if possible, to be computed from the day of the signature of the present treaty.

IN WITNESS whereof we the undersigned, their ministers plenipotentiary, have in their name, and in virtue of our full powers, signed with our hands the present definitive treaty, and caused the seals of our arms to be affixed thereto.

Done at Paris, this third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three.

DAVID HARTLEY.	(L. S.)
JOHN ADAMS.	(L. S.)
B. FRANKLIN.	(L. S.)
JOHN JAY.	(L. S.)