

I have here related, without Interruption, what has been alledged by me, and have set down all the Arguments I made use of; therefore I will now proceed to give an Account of what was insisted on by General *Wall*, in support of his own Reasonings, or advanced by his Excellency in Contradiction to mine.

The *Spanish* Minister began by acquainting me, that *M. Grimaldi* had conveyed to him all that had passed, either in Writing or in Discourse, between yourself, Sir, and *M. de Buffs*, as well as the Language *Mr. Stanley* had held with the Duke of *Choiseul* on the Memorial relating to *Spain*. His Excellency told me, the most Christian King having early intimated his Desire here, that his Catholick Majesty should guarantee the intended Peace between the Courts of *London* and *Versailles*; in order to render that Peace more permanent, the King of *Spain* had thought proper to agree to that Proposal's being made by *France* to *England*, as well as to consent to *France's* express Offer of endeavouring to accommodate the Disputes subsisting between *England* and *Spain*, at the same Time she was trying to put an End to a War which had lasted so long between the *British* and *French* Crowns: But he affirmed to me, that the Intention of the Court of *Madrid* in assenting to that Proposal, was totally void of any Design to retard the Peace, and absolutely free from the least Intention of giving Offence to His Majesty, tho' it appeared that Step had been productive of different Effects; that, as to *England's* declaring, she would never add Facilities towards accommodating her Differences with another So-