

I must inform your Honors, that when I came here last, I saw his Majesty's Frigate the *Tryal* returning from a Cruize in *Bay-Vert*, where, upon the 8th of *August 1750*, she had taken a *French Sloop* called the *London*, from *Canada, La Gras*, Master; and having examined his Papers, found that the Business of this Vessel was to carry Ammunition, Provisions, and other Goods to the *Indians*, who are in a Province belonging to his Majesty; whereupon the *Tryal* took her, and brought her to this Port, where she was condemned by his Majesty's Court of Admiralty, for having carried on an illicit Trade.

N U M B. IV.

An Extract of a Letter written by M. de la Jonquiere, Governor of Canada, to Governor Cornwallis, of Nova-Scotia; dated Quebec, April 2, 1750.

THE King my Master is already acquainted with the Orders which I have given to the several Officers that were sent by me to command the Forts aforesaid; to wit, to allow nobody to settle near them, and even to oppose such by Force of Arms, as would offer to molest them, after my Orders were made known to them: However, I shall give them no Orders to raise any Fortifications, until the Commissioners, who are undoubtedly nominated, have regulated the true Boundaries of *Nova-Scotia*, and which are to belong to *New-France*. Those Limits have never been regulated, since you acknowledge that Commissioners are nominated for that Purpose; and that is the very Reason which engages me to send Troops to keep the said Stations, until Matters are adjusted between the two Crowns.

I hope you will seriously observe this Letter which I send you. You have, no Doubt, acquainted the King your Master, of all that is done; and as you have given me to understand, that you will do your Duty whilst you are waiting for his Majesty's Orders; I also give you Notice, that I shall not fail to do mine.

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