

it is now extended by the late Act lies behind, or on the Back of most of our Protestant Colonies, and excludes their Inhabitants from settling onwards in an immense Tract of one of the finest Countries in the World. As this Country was conquered by us, I will relate what we were obliged to do, first, by the Capitulation in 1760; and secondly, by the Treaty of Peace in 1763.

By the 42nd Article of the Capitulation, the french General expressly demanded, " That they should continue to
 " be governed according to the Custom
 " of *Paris*, and the Laws and Usages e-
 " stablished by that Country; and that
 " they should not be subject to any other
 " Imposts than those which were esta-
 " blished under the french Dominions. To this Demand Sir JEFFERY AMHERST returned for Answer, " That they became
 " Subjects to the King.

By this it appears, that, that able General reserved a Liberty to the Crown, to change the Laws and Usages, as well as to lay new Imposts, or Duties on
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