

Propositions pour la Capitulation de Beau-sejour.

Messieurs le Commandant, Officiers Etat Major, employés pour le Roi, et la Garnison de Beau-sejour, sortiront avec Armes et Bagages, Tambour battant, Mèche allumée.

Le Commandant aura à la Tête de sa Garnison six Pieces de Canon du plus gros Calibre, et un Mortier, avec cinquante Coups de Poudre à chaque Piece.

Il sera fourni les Voitures nécessaires pour les Transports à la Baye Verte, d'ou la Garnison s'embarquera dans ses Batimens pour aller ou bon lui semblera.

La Garnison emportera deux Cent Quarts de Farine, et Cent Quarts de Lard.

Il sera accordé le Temps nécessaire à la Garnison pour passer de ce Post à la Baye Verte, et de la Baye Verte à sa Destination.

Les Acadiens ne seront point inquietés pour avoir pris les Armes, d'autant mieux qu'ils y ont été forcés sur Peine de la Vie, il ne leur sera fait aucun dommage.

Il sera permis aux Acadiens de continuer de vivre dans leur Religion, ils pourront avoir des Pretres, il ne leur sera fait aucune Violence.

Il sera permis à ceux des Acadiens qui le voudront de se retirer sur les Terres du Roy de France avec leur Effets mobiliers, ils auront un An pour prendre ce Party, à compter du jour de la presente Capitulation, et les François pourront fournir aux Acadiens les Batimens nécessaires pour se retirer pendant le Cours de l'Année.

Pour les Articles de cette Capitulation qui pourront être expliqués d'une Maniere obscure, seront interprétés à l'avantage des François, et executés de bonne foi.

Termes de Capitulation qui sont accordée au Commandant et Garnison de Beau-sejour.

Messieurs le Commandant, Officiers Etat Major, & autres employés pour le Roi et la Garnison de Beau-sejour, sortiront avec Armes et Bagage, Tambour battant.

La Garnison seront envoyés directement par Mer à Louisbourg aux Depense de le Roi de la Grande Bretagne.

La Garnison aura des Provisions de bouche suffisante pour leur Passage à Louisbourg.

Pour les Acadiens, comme ils ont été forcés de prendre les Armes sur Peine de la Vie, ils seront pardonné pour le Part qu'ils vient de prendre.

Dernierement, la Garnison ne porteront point les Armes en l'Amerique, pendant les Termes de Six Mois.

Les Termes ci-devant sont accordé sur Condition que la Garnison sera rendue à sept Heures cet après Midi.

By Letters received from Rear Admiral Holburne, dated off Halifax the 28th of last Month, there is an Account, that His Majesty's Ship the Mars of 70 Guns, was unfortunately lost at the Mouth of that Harbour, by the Fault of the Pilot, but the Crew and Guns were saved. As

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The Commander shall have at the Head of his Garrison six Pieces of the largest Cannon, one Mortar, and fifty Charges of Powder for every Piece.

They shall be provided with the necessary Carriages to carry them to Bay Verte, from whence the Garrison shall embark in their Vessels to go where they shall think proper.

The Garrison shall carry with them Two-hundred Quarters of Flower and One-hundred Quarters of Bacon.

The Garrison shall be allowed the necessary Time to go from this Port to Bay Verte, and from Bay Verte to their Destination.

The Accadians shall not be molested on Account of their having taken Arms; and inasmuch as they were forced to do it on Pain of Death, no harm shall be done to them.

The Accadians shall be permitted to continue in their Religion, they shall be allowed Priests, and no Violence committed against them.

Such of the Accadians as are so disposed, may withdraw to the Territories of the French King with their moveable Effects, and shall have the Liberty so to do, during the Space of one Year, to commence from the Day of the present Capitulation, and the French shall be allowed to furnish the Accadians with the necessary Ships for that Purpose in the Course of the Year.

With regard to such Articles of this Capitulation as may be expressed in an obscure Manner, they shall be interpreted to the Advantage of the French, and executed *bonâ-fide*.

Terms of the Capitulation granted to the Commander and Garrison of Beau-sejour.

THE Commander, Officers, Staff-Officers, and otheis, employed for the King and the Garrison of Beau-sejour, shall march out with their Arms and Baggage, Drums beating.

The Garrison shall be sent directly by Sea to Louisbourg, at the Expence of the King of Great-Britain.

The Garrison shall be provided with sufficient Provisions for their Passage to Louisbourg.

With Regard to the Accadians, as they have been forced to take up Arms on Pain of Death, they shall be pardoned for the Part they have been taking.

Lastly, the Garrison shall not bear Arms in America for the Space of six Months.

The Terms above-mentioned are granted upon Condition that the Garrison shall be delivered up to the Troops of the King of Great Britain, at Seven o'Clock this Afternoon.

The 16th of June 1755.

As soon as the other Ships there, under his Command, are watered and refitted, he will return with them to join Vice Admiral Boscawen's Squadron. The two French Ships, the Alcide and the Lys, are, with the Prisoners, in this Harbour.