P. R. O. we shall publish this, but if any harm be done to your Indians Colonial Papers. by us for the future, we will make you satisfaction to the full B. B. desiring the like of you. doe give 2. Beavers.

5. We do thank you likewise for the propositions you have made, and for the presents given us for our farr Journey doe give

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This is a true Coppy translated, compared & revised p me Rob Livingston Secry.

Maryland

The foregoing Articles are true Coppies of the Originalls Transcribed and compared

p me John Llewellin Clk of the Councell.

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Duplicat of the Indian papers from Tho: Noteley Governor of Maryland

Recd from My Lord Baltemore on the 15. April 1678.

P. R. O. Colonial Entry Book, No. 105. At the Committee for Trade & Plants In the Council Chamber at Whitehall Tuesday the 17th of Iuly 1677.

Present

Lord Privy Seale.

Duke of Ormond.

Earle of Craven.

Earle of Bath.

L^d Bp. of London.

Mr Vice Chamberlaine

Mr Sec^{ty} Coventry

Mr Sec^{ty} Williamson

Mr Chan of the Excheq Mr Speaker

The Lords Chiefe Iustices attending

P. 82 My Lord Bishop of London presents to the Committee a Memorial of abuses crept into the churches of the Plantations containing nine Articles which are all read as follows:—

1. That the Governor keep Parishes vacant and commission

persons to officiate without orders.

Whereupon it is Ordered that this abuse be represented to the several Governors of such Plantations as are under His Maj. immediate jurisdiction for redress

2. That the profits of vacant Parishes are converted by the

people to their own use.

This is to be redressed by the Governors

3. That Ministers are hired for time

To bee likewise remedied

4. That the Ministers are ill paid

The Governors are in this particular to observe the Laws of England