

P. R. O. design to pardon them the more to honour and solemnize the
 Maryland pretended Prince of Wales and his Festivall many or most of
 B. I. Vol. 2, the said Criminalls haveing sufficient and enough to say in their
 B. E. Defence but not permitted to be heard why judgement should
 not pass against them and for their respective pardons had
 imposed upon them an extraordinary and excessive Fee.

11. Endeavouring and undertakeing to fortifie the Province
 against the blessed and pious designe of his present Majestie
 when Prince of Orange for the Protestant religion and the
 English Liberties by disarming the Protestants to that end,
 entending the Publick arms and millitary Trust to be reposed
 in the hands of persons fitt and quallified for their purpose.

12. Endeavouring to confederate with and procure the
 assistance of Indians.

13. Magnifying the present French designes and interest
 being under the imediate command and injunction of the late
 King James to keepe a strict Amity and correspondency with
 the subjects of the French King untill particular orders from
 the said late King James thereunto relating.

14. Endeavouring to obscure and smother their aforesaid
 wicked purposes and machinations by letters to the Secretary
 of Virginia and others by publick designes speeches orations
 subscriptions and remonstrances deceitfully and craftilly ob-
 tained from severall unwary thoug well meaning Inhabitants of
 this Province and by other cunning unjust wayes and con-
 trivances.

15. Useing scandalous resolute and treasonable Invectives
 against their Majesties.

16. Threatening and menaceing the Protestants of this Pro-
 vince with death ruine and extirpation.

17. Takeing up Armes and publickly declaring against the
 proclayming their Majesties within this Province.

18. Assumeing and takeing upon them to be Judges of
 matter of Fact and giveing unjust arbitrary and cruel sen-
 tences in Criminall Cases whereby severall have bene con-
 demned and executed which in construction of Law is no less
 than murder, others banished and greivously punished and
 fined.

19. Actually murdering M^r Christopher Rousby and M^r
 John Payne his Majesties Collectors here the first in the yeare
 1684. the latter in the yeare 1689. by meanes of Coll: Talbott
 and Major Sueall both his Lordsp^s Deputies and the same
 owned and Justified by them and their adherents.

All and every the aforesaid Articles and matters of charge
 together with the particular proofs evidences and arguments
 to make good the same are humbly offered to the consideration
 of his Majestie to be produced and sett forth when thereunto
 required.