

His Excellency is pleased to tell the said Phelps
Clark that he had sent for him because it appeared
to him & his Majesty's honorable Council by many
particulars that he, John Coot Robert Mason & Year
ly had endeavored to make a disturbance in the pro-
vince even tending to actual Rebellion

And that it appeared by the Sheriff's return of the
process to him directed that he the said Clark had
fled thereupon

Mr Philip Clark says that he did not fly he
is told that he went into Virginia & says he was there
about seven or eight days

Mr Clark being asked if he had not been in
Coot's Company in Virginia says ^{that} he has [&] drank
with him at Mr Spencer's in Virginia

As asked if he surrendered himself upon his
Excellency's proclamation & says he did not

As asked if he knows where Coot is now Mr Clark
says he has not seen him since he was last in Virginia

And being asked if Coot was not at the General
Court in Virginia says he thinks he heard him say
he was

The said Mr Clark is told that the reason why
his Excellency sent for him up so soon before the Court
is not only to put an end to ~~his~~ ^{his} raising further
Disturbances & Comotions but to convince him & his
Associates that he was to be taken by a warrant from
his Excellency & that none of them were above the
Law