

against Exportation of Corn

8 That there be no address sent to his Majesty about the Impatulation & that Letters be writ to the Arch Bishop and Bishop of London

Resolved that such address be sent to his Majesty and letters writ according to the Proposall

9 That a Law be made to explain Beer yeer and Wine measure

Resolved that Beer be sold according to Winchester measure by deal or Wine measure

10 That a Law be made against Ordinary Keepers trusting of Labourers and Seamen too much

The Laws have already Provided

11 That a Law be made that the Inhabitants of the Ports of Annapolis & William Stead may be exempt from the Penalty of the Act against Fore-stallers and Regraters and that the said Law may not reach them

If his Excellency thinks fit to Grant them such Priviledges this House is for it

John Edmonsons Letter writ

Mr Nicholas Lows motion referred to a full House

W Bladen Clerk of the House

May the 6th 1696

The aforesaid Resolves being read were presented to his Excellency and the Court his Majesty's Council save that there was upon the Query about Provision of Corn &c being not fully Answered and therefore Ordered that the said Queries be put again with this Condition to know whether it be convenient that Pork be at this Time exported for Virginia

Hen Denton Clerk of the Council

May the 4th 1696

Read the following Minute taken in Council March last viz

His Excellency having sent for the Justices of the Provincial Court & Lawyers thereto belonging to know of them and advise what way and method would be best for bringing the Business of all Actions & there brought to be finished within the Circle or Compass of a Twelve month to the end a quick and speedy dispatch may be given to all process and proceedings there brought especially Writts of Error Demurrers and Appeals to be done at the least Charge and Trouble to the Country and most ease to the Justices and Lawyers who accordingly Agreed & the same being stated unto them his Excellency discovered that they Consult and Consider upon the same against the next Assembly to the said a Law may then pass if Occasion for the regulating those matters and likewise then make Answer in what Nature Appeals ought to be brought