

without Papers being both matters of great moment for his Majesty's service during time of War the said proposal is therefore more particularly urged and recommended

10 Pro Touching Testimonials sent out of England &c it is Observed that no Law of England or of this Province has provided about the same and therefore such matters coming proved under a Notary Publick's hand ought not to be admitted for good proof Considering how frequently the very Commissions of the Customs hands and Seals and the Broad Seal of England it self have been Counterfeited for which reasons it is the more strongly urged and recommended

11 It is Observed that more than one hundred years ago have been known to be sent for as far as York shire up to London for to give their Evidence in matters Relating to Titles of Land therefore the Lawyers Opinion about the said proposal is recommended to be first had before any Result made thereon

17 Pro: Touching Runaways & that either a Law or some proposal pass to be sent to Virginia to Effect the same

22 Pro: About laying the Levy & it is not intended thereby that Power be given for granting Allowances at that time for any matter or thing being only to Apportion what shall beforehand be allowed otherwise the same must be done by the whole House and will not henceforward be permitted to be left to the management of a Private Committee

23 Pro: It is Observed that no Law has provided for what is proposed thereun besides a Toleration of such Liberty as Customarily taken by Priests may prove a discouragement to my Lord Bishop of London from sending Ministers in therefore is particularly Recommended

24 Pro: It is Observed several Complaints have been made about the Removal of that Court House therefore Recommended that the Burgeses of the Lower House of the said County be Consulted and that Division of the same be proceeded upon pursuant to the said proposal

Col^l Sayer's Bond for Building a Court House in Kent &c is referred to the Consideration of the House

Dorchester County Petition touching the repeal of an Act prayed for against Fishing of Fish be Recommended as above

To know what shall be done with the Bills taken for the Impression Duty upon furs it being proposed that they may be sent for England to be Received by some Friend there who will take nothing for the doing of it and that the money Received be kept in Bank for the Country's use