

They went as Ambassadors to London, and were very
relieve their engines, and retained in little terms of
preaching the papists in this province, and had good manner -
they were treated in mad civil behavior, the liberty of a free -
Commerce -

With 18 Remonstrances to their Majesty, how Commo-
dity and injustice their Canons were their Majesty -
and soon so just and so much for their Honor, as -
well as Indication of my Character, that they
as a Duty, to give you their Majesty's sentiments in
their own words, as they have them by a Letter Dated 17th
16th of Nov: past & were as follows it is very hard -
Representations have been made to us of those
and devoted to the Roman Catholics, but as these Representations
appear to be grounded only on Fears and Delusions not fact
do we must appear of your Integrity to us, in hoping
them in due truth by the gentle in those of our favor
takers; Gentlemen -

As there has been no opportunity last by
which the Roman Catholics inquired they might describe
in the duty of my Office - they had upon goes most
unfairly stated & stained the Opinion of these eminent Judges,
on the fact of a number of this province for depending the
prosecution of papists, Jews &c. -

This Opinion shall be laid before you for your
consideration upon them - Upon my representation of the
to their Majesty in the Council their own selves & have
knows the Honor of these & our Majesty's Honor upon the
as follows -

These Learning Councils Opinions were given
on (as you say) fairly stated the Roman Catholics in that think
themselves, for we are so far from inquiring of any
tances should be given them, in your opinion of
pertaining people to the Romanish superstition, & we may well
approve of the Law made to prevent it - there is nothing
any more, but that they might live peacefully and
quietly under our good Government, & that they be
themselves as became them -

Gentlemen
Thus I have related to you what those men
as time and occasion will permit the true grounds