[illegible] Council of Assembly [illegible] any of them, or their Agents or Attorneys, for their Lands in the Province of Nova Scotia or Elsewhere.

Resolved, That Thomas Strum Hancock Esq be employed Counsel for the Speaking and Defending of any Bill or Bills containing 1000 pounds Provincial money (more or less) of the Province aforesaid and with Thomas Lewis Esq to be Counsel for the Province aforesaid Jointly in Conjunction with the Counsel and for the same fees, and may Counsel to advise in Writing.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Province pay unto Thomas Hancock Esq five Hundred and Sixty Dollars and one Third of a Dollar out of the Bills of Credit in his Hands to be issued for the Purposes aforesaid.

The Proceedings of the Committee of Correspondence read which is as follows, Viz. Boston, ss. At a Meeting of the Committee of Correspondence