

L. H. J. thereof may be better preserved and kept ready fixt upon all
 Lib. 41 Occasions of Service her Majesty commands me to recom-
 mend to your Care and Consideration that fit Store Houses
 be settled throughout the Province for receiving and keeping
 the Arms Ammunition and other publick Stores in Order to
 the better Administration of Justice.

It is her Majesty's Pleasure I should recommend to you the
 passing a Law (if not already done) wherein shall be set the
 Value of Mens Estates either in Goods or Lands under which
 they shall not be capable of serving as Jurors.

I have it further in Command from her Majesty to propose
 an Act to be passed in this Assembly whereby the Creditors
 of Persons becoming Bankrupts in her Kingdom of Great
 Britain and having Estates in this Province may be relieved
 and satisfied for the Debts owing them

P. 432 Gentlemen, I think it absolutely necessary I should ac-
 quaint you that I am strictly enjoined by her most Sacred
 Majesty's Royal Instructions not to pass any Law or do any
 Act by Grant Settlement or otherwise whereby her Revenue
 may be lessened or impaired without her especial Leave or
 Command therein. I am further to acquaint you that whereas
 several Laws have of late been passed in this her Majesty's
 Province relating to protested Bills of Exchange to the Relief
 of poor Debtors &c^a which Laws were injurious to the Prop-
 erty of her Subjects residing in Great Britain; and which
 for the Reasons laid before her Majesty by the Right Honour-
 able the Lords Commissioners of Trade and Plantations they
 thought fit to repeal,

Her Majesty's Will and Pleasure is that for the future I do
 not pass or give my Assent to any Act of Assembly wherein
 the Property of her Majesty's Subjects residing in Great
 Britain shall be any ways concerned unless there be an express
 Provisoe in the said Law that the same shall not be in force in
 this Province till after the Expiration of Eighteen Months in
 Time of War and twelve Months in Time of Peace; to the
 End her Majesty's Pleasure may be known upon such Law
 before it be put in Execution here.

Jo. Hart.

Col^o Richard Tilghman from the Honourable Council came
 and acquainted the House that his Excellency the Governor
 approved of the Choice made of the Clerk of this House and
 desired he may be sent up to the Council Chamber to be
 qualified.

Ordered, That M^r Robert Tyler and Col^o Philip Hoskins go
 along with Thomas Macnemara the Clerk chosen to the