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THE FIRST COURT OF
QUARTER-SESSIONS
Of the P E A C E,

HELD AT QUEBEC, IN *October* 1764.

His Worship the PRESIDENT'S Charge to the GRAND-JURY:

GENTLEMEN of the *Grand-Jury*,

YOU, as the Body selected on this Occasion, for the District of the City of *Quebec*, are to enquire of whatever Things arise within the said District.

You are to enquire of all Felonies, Trespases, Forestallings, Reagratings, In-crossings and Extortions of every Sort whatsoever, and all and singular of other Crimes and Offences, Misdemeanours, or Pleas of the Crown, which may be given you in Charge, or which you may know of your own Knowledge, and to make true Presentments to us His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said District, in Order that they may be punished according to the several Laws, as in such Cases may be provided.

You are also to present all Things that are publick Nuisances, of every Sort which are given you in Charge, or that you may know of from your own Knowledge, in order that the same may be redressed: And also of all Inroachments or Stoppages on the several High-ways, Streets, or publick Roads, and also of what Roads are proper for Repair, and are so impassable as to endanger the Lives of His Majesty's Subjects.

You are also to make Presentment of all Vagabonds, and Persons of no visible Way of Livelihood, whereby His Majesty's Subjects may be endangered in their Lives and Property, so that such Persons may be brought to condign Punishment.

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