

him they are english men, and that english laws will give them justice in any place where a proper civil government is establish'd : But as to a prosecution here it would not be admitted, and indeed no attorney dare fill a writ against this great court favourite, as he must be sure to ruin himself thereby."

" The Governour's favourite has lately done an act of the most glaring violence and oppression that was ever known in the english government, he went in the night and with a file of musquiteers *vi et armis*, (for he could not possibly have any authority for so doing, it being contrary to all laws) broke open the goal and took from thence the three men, the time of whose confinement was near expired, and carried them on board the men of war on purpose that they might be press'd and ill us'd, which was accordingly done, yet this unparallel'd piece of impudence & injustice was hush'd by the good natur'd Governour, who was loth to ruin him ; but 'twas then expected by every body that he would dismiss him from all his civil employments and leave him to exert his talents in the military way."

" It is matter of great complaint, that a military man with a very superficial head and bad heart (for which he is justly despised and hated by all the people) has the immediate