

not pass into a Law, the same was resolved in the Affirmative, which Petition was agreed to as follows :

*To the Honourable the Commons of Great Britain,  
in Parliament assembled.*

The humble Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Commons of the City of *London*, in Common Council assembled.

*Sheweth,*

THAT your Petitioners are deeply concerned, and much alarmed to find there is now a Bill depending before this Honourable House, intituled, “ An Act for making more effectual Provision for “ the Government of the Province of *Quebec*, in “ *North America*,” which in all civil Cases takes away the Exercise of the *English* Law, and that sacred Part of it, the Trial by Jury, and substitutes in its stead the *French* Law of *Canada*, whereby the Freedom of the Person and Security of the Property of his Majesty’s Subjects are rendered precarious.

That if this Bill passes into a Law, the Roman Catholic will be the only legal established Religion, without any Provision being made for the free Exercise of the Protestant Religion, which may prove greatly injurious and oppressive to his Majesty’s Protestant Subjects, who  
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