

for the payment of them. I objected to pay this
bill, because it was more than eighty pounds
more than the butchers were worth, and
wrote to the Governor informing him of this
gross imposition - The Gov^r sent me a letter
in answer by Major Drmitt, but a very angry
one, saying he would order twenty five
pounds to be repaid to me out of the
Police Fund, and if I would not agree to
that he would order an Action to be brought
in the civil Court to recover the money
from the Church Manufacturing Society - In
Answer to which I replied in writing I would
pay the bill, the Governor had reflected on
me for not paying the bill at the first
without objection - and I would not receive
the twenty five pounds, as a pervert, when
more than eighty had been overcharged, and
say myself as to the Governor's Administration.
These butts were lean butts - The Average
Price of fat Cattle sold at his Majesty's
Stores for supplying the Colony amounts
only to £ 11. 9. 9. per head - Government
have charged £ 20 per Head for the lean
Cattle - which is a very great imposition,
as all the Colony will admit -