

Created much uneasiness in the minds of a great majority of U. H. J. the people so I hope the effectual Care that has been taken by the Lords Prop^{ty} & Guilford for their speedy removall from their Employments will put an end to all feuds & Animosities amongst you. The Cause of your Complaints being now removed It is Justly Expected the Effects shou'd Cease of Course And I doubt not you will shew yourselves true Protestants Indeed by your Charitable Demeanour to your neighbours of another pswasion, since it is no longer in their power to do you any Injury.

However I may have been psonally ill represented in Great Brittain for doing my approved duty of exerting the Laws against such who made no Scruple to Invade them Yet I shall never forget that maxim I learn't when a Soldier That whilst the enemy was in Armes, to oppose them with a vigorous resolution but when Providence pleased to bless the Juster side with advantage to treat them with humanity.

I hope the Gentlemen of the Romish Comunion will prudently consider their own Interest & Content themselves with the Lenity of the Govern^{ts} they live under who admitts them in this Province to an Equal share of Priviledges with the rest of their fellow Subjects the bearing of Offices alone Excepted to my knowledge this would be thought an Inestimable blessing by the Protestants that live in the Roman Catholick Dominions if nothing more was expected from them than a Dutiful Submission to the Laws of their Country which no wise State will ever suffer to be Infringed. p. 9

I have on several occasions recommended to you the absolute necessity of Propagating learning in this Province by making some Competent Provision for Schools And it would be happy if there was a foundacon at least for one in Every County but as yet there is but slender Incouragem^t given nay the funds that are Directed for the maintainance of Schools are of so Inconsiderable a Value that unless you think Proper to make better provisions to that pious & useful end even the School of Annapolis which begins to Increase & flourish must for want of due Support be laid aside. The Province is now in the most happy Condison that ever it was since the first Settlem^t. I bless God I live to see the happy Change in your Affairs since Providence has been so Indulgent to you and put the means into yo^r hands Exert yourselves to advance the honour & Interest of your Country for the particular good of your Children who were they sensible of the Irretrievable loss they will sustain in the want of a liberall Education in their youth they would Join their Tears to my Entreaties

By the Lords Prop^{ty} & Guilford's Comand I laid before the last Session of Assembly his L^{dps} right to the Ordinary Lycen-