

Disappointed and render all their more private Machinacions  
and Contrivances ag<sup>t</sup> both uneffectual —

It is no Small Grief and Concern to us to Observe  
the Ill Treatment your Excellency has meet with from time  
to time from that party which is to Obvious under their pretence  
of having an Equall Right with Protestants to Share in all the  
Judiciall and Ministeriall Officers and Employments in this  
Governm<sup>t</sup> and their Continued Murmurs and Complaints of hardships  
and Wrongs done them in that they are not restored to what  
they call their Rights We know of no Legall right they have  
to any thing more than what they enjoy, and we think they might have  
been a happy people had they Accepted and Observed those Easy  
terms offered them by your Excellency which was as well their duty  
and Interest — And here we cannot but Joyn with your Excellency  
in that Christian prayer to God that the poor persecuted in Foreign  
Parts might be Indulged with the same Liberty the  
Romanists Enjoy here —

Will heartily and readily Concur  
with and Approve of the wise and Judicious method proposed by  
your Excellency for applying a proper remedy to those growing  
Evils Your Excellency mentions which if neglected might possibly  
in time prove fatal to all his Majestys Plantations on this Continent  
and your Condescending goodness (not withstanding all the provocations  
you have meet with) in giving the Romanists such a fair Opportunity  
for Ascertainning their Right, if any they have to more or Greater  
Priviledges than they now Enjoy with a promise annexed to allow  
them whatever appears to be their due —

This being done we presume cannot  
fail to render those people Easy and Obviate any Cause of  
Murmur or Complaint against a Governour and Governm<sup>t</sup> —

(Over)