

to stir us up to take any necessary Steps for our own Preservation,
 Worth & Zeal of our Fellow Subjects not only in great Britain, but
 in several of his Majesty's American Plantations, at this Juncture,
 may raise in the Breasts of every true Lover of His King and Country
 an noble Emulation for our common Safety, & the just Cause, in which
 his Majesty's Arms are now so gloriously & successfully employ'd

The Method, which your Excellency has been pleas'd to
 lay before us in several Parts of your Speech for considering &
 judging of what ever may be propos'd in our publick Consultation,
 is so earnestly propos'd by your Excellency and so necessary to a happy
 Issue of our Meeting that we cannot doubt of the sincerity of ^{your}
 Wishes or Endeavours in promoting the Trade & Prosperity of ^{the}
 Province

Mr. Ward's friend