

4^{thly} And when all the foregoing Amendments are made still We must to prevent further Loss of time acquaint you that We are determined not Pass the Bill unless the remaining Part, after the Words, herein directed, in the 4th Line of the 24 Page be left out for the following Reasons

U. H. J.
Liber No. 34

1st That such Part of the Bill as is designed to establish a Fund for raising a Sum of Money for the Payment of an Agent to transact any Business for this Province in London is foreign to his Majestys Service in General and more Especially to that which gave Rise to, and ought to be the only Object of this Bill

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2^{dly} This Blending or taking two different Matters in the same Bill in Order to force the Consent of any Branch of the Legislature to the Other by the necessity or Disenableness of the other has always been Condemned as an Unparliamentary Unjust and Violent Proceeding, since by that means the Legislature are not at Liberty but compelled to Act which is Contrary to the very Institution & Freedom of Parliament

3^{dly} That although the Method of Tacking hath something been used, Yet it may be laid down as an undoubted Truth, that those Persons who have Offered to Clog any Bill with a Tack were always thought Enemies or ill Wishers to such Bill, and not those who refused the Bill on Account of such an Unparliamentary step; And as We take for Granted you would Avoid if possible every suspicion of [Dislike] to the Duty we are now endeavoring to shew to his Majesty We doubt not this Observation alone will prevail with You to pass the Bill with that Amendment

4^{thly} That as You seem by Your Addresses to the Governor to Value what You shall do in this Affair for his Majestys Service as a free and Voluntary Contribution, We cannot think it will appear in so meritorious a Light, If You should not concur with Our Amendments, since it may be concluded Your House would not have consented to some Provision for Louisburgh Garrison without Obtaining a Fund for the Payment of an Agent in England; And that your Zeal for his Majestys Service in this Particular had no other View but from and was Entirely Bounded by the Desire of having an Agent

Signed 7p Order J Ross Ct Up Ho.

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning nine of the Clock

Wednesday Morning 21 August 1745

August 21

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as Yesterday

Adjourned till three of the Clock in the Afternoon