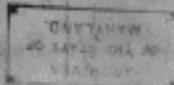


Gentl^{men}

As Your Bill for raising and paying out of the Office
 £2636. 10. 3. for Encouragement of persons Linking themselves in his Majesty's
 Service, by the Title and Preamble, seemed to show a Dutifull & Commodable Address
 (which must give the Breast of Every generous Lover of our present happy &
 glorious Establishment in the illustrious House of Hannover) to facilitate and
 forward the Execution of the grand Design the Majesty has form'd against the
 Spanish Settlements in the West Indies; We think it become us, In an affair of this
 Nature, not only to Acquaint you with the Reasons that Induced this House to return
 your Bill with a Negative; But also with what we are assur'd must much more
 Effectually, than this Bill, contribute to the Success of our Zeal for his Majesty's
 Service: And therefore, Gentlemen, we hope, you will permit us to say, that this
 Bill is not only in some parts improper, But in other parts so far from
 promoting the said Design, that hardly any thing could be imagin'd more destructive
 to the said Design, purposed proposed by the preamble.

We Observe that the Money intended to
 be raised and paid by Virtue of this Bill, are distinguished by several Appropria-
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