

Slaves in the Poll-Tax; and this would be an equitable Way of raising it, as the Rich ought to pay more than the Poor.

ON the whole, the having of one Currency throughout all the *English* Colonies in *America*, if properly conducted, will be of infinite Service to their Trade and Commerce; and their having provincial Troops, who may be called upon by the Crown, to aid and assist in whatsoever Place they may be required, will give Force and Vigour to the Colonies, and enable them to defend themselves against the Incroachments of the *French*.

AND the having a Fund appropriated to the Use of the Colonies will likewise enable them to make handsome Presents to the *Indians*, which ought to be done yearly, at such Times as are appointed for that Purpose; but then the safest Course we can take, is to restore the Importance of the Five Nations, and make them to treat with the *Indians*, who were formerly their Dependants; and we ought to observe the same Rule with the *Cherokees*, and with the *Creek Indians*; and the more effectually to attach them to our Interest, we ought to apply at least Twelve Thousand Pounds Sterling *per Annum* to that Use; and to protect the *Indians* from the Abuses which have been too often committed by our *Indian* Traders; some Regulations are much wanted on this Head.

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