

forced into arms, and made to sheath their swords in the bowels of their countrymen, or in those of their Protestant neighbours, Bohemians, Hungarians, and Silesians; or else forced to fly for shelter into the armies of France, there to fight under Popish banners, against their Protestant brethren, and made to march over the bodies of Protestant Englishmen*.

Could the coolest malice of jesuitism have doomed our Faith to a heavier vengeance, than to have Protestant Saxons, stabbing Protestant Britons, Protestant Hanoverians, murdering Protestant Wirtenburghers, Protestant Hessians fighting against Protestant Palatines, Protestant Swedes invading Protestant Prussians, and Protestant Bohemians, Hungarians, and Silesians, coming all armed under Popish standards, to cut the throats of Protestant Brandenburgers. All this, and more have we seen (eventually, though not intentionally) brought about by the councils of Protestants themselves, and have in one year given more money to effect it, than the amount of all the sums, which the court of Rome has contributed for

* The troops, which marched over general Kingsley at the battle of Minden, and which must have been first cut to pieces, if our horse had come up, were Saxon infantry. The regiments, which the French opposed to Prince Ferdinand's attack at Bergen, were Saxons; and throughout the war, the German corps in the French army, have been made the greatest sufferers.