

of being stiled EMPEROR OF THE ROMANS. To maintain that Power in the full Enjoyment of its just Rights, which has been always the Bulwark of *Europe* against *Mohammedan* and *Christian* Tyranny; and to support all the rest of the Princes and States of the Empire, in those Immunities that are derived to them from their Constitution. To secure the Peace and Prosperity of *Italy*, by obtaining such a share of Dominion for the King of *Sardinia*, as is necessary to prevent his ever being oppressed by *France* or *Spain*; I do not say to procure for him what his personal Virtues and heroic Conduct in the present War deserves, for that might perhaps entitle him to all *Italy*; and to put it out of the Power of any of the little Princes or States there, to betray their Country in succeeding Ages, as some of them have done in this. To oblige the Crown of *Spain* to perform her Treaties, and to be wise enough to preserve her *Indies*, by making a right Use of the Wealth she derives from them, and minding the Concerns of that People to whom they belong. To procure for the Maritime Powers whatever they have a Right to ask for the Security of their Foreign Commerce, and the Maintenance of their Liberties at Home. These, Sir, are the Ends, for which we ought to continue the War, let it cost what it will; and the effectually answering these Ends is what the BRITISH NATION have a Right to expect from a PEACE.

Thus, Sir, in return for your Master's *Exposition*, which was plainly calculated for the People of this Kingdom, I have given you a clear Account, and I dare affirm a true one, of the Principles and Views of all our Parties, of  
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