

Death of an executed Admiral could appease? When we act thus ineffectually for ourselves, it is no wonder that our Allies should be deceived in us. It is in States as in private Life; He that cannot do well for himself, as certainly proves a helpless Friend; and a Kingdom unsuccessful in its own Wars, must be a hopeless Ally. The brave King of *Prussia* is indeed to be pitied, as he has not only his own Enemies but ours to repel. *Great-Britain*, once the Scourge of *France*, was thought sufficient, not only to defeat that Kingdom in any Attempt, but to assist her Allies, should their Necessities, even then, call for her Relief. Not one of us, I dare say, but is persuaded that the brave Monarch, whom we have so ingloriously deserted, would not have relinquished us in the like Circumstances.