

her troops being sent into *Germany* now, is a sure indication, *p.* 121, of her having no such design. *ibid.* " Had she such a design not a battalion would be sent thither. All would be brought down upon her coast." " Altho' she always has two or three hundred thousand men in her pay."

But to return to our military establishment, in the author's hypothesis. While our troops in *Great-Britain* would be greatly more numerous than they now are, the numbers necessary to be employed in every other part of the world should also in prudence be greater. For tho' an invasion of *Britain* or *Ireland* may not be very practicable, yet had *France* no continental expences to maintain, she might better afford to try experiments, not so impracticable as the author makes them, *p.* 122; of supplying with arms and ammunition those, who if so well supported as he supposes *Cape Breton* and *Quebec* were, *ibid.* while she was losing battles in *Germany*, would at least have rendered our success in *America* precarious: wisely humane as our treatment of the vanquished has been, yet no man would with that gratitude for mercy and benefits received should be the principal security for their allegiance to the crown of *Great-Britain*.