

soon be reduced to the Necessity of suing for Peace.

We have had Bloodshed enough. God forgive those who have occasioned this terrible Destruction of the human Species, and spread Misery and Devastation, for so long a Time, in almost every Corner of the Globe. The great Success with which the Arms of *Britain* have been blessed, puts it in our Power to give Peace to *Europe*: And it is to the Honour of his Majesty, and those who direct his Councils, that the Distresses of our Enemies have only enabled him to give the World a Proof of his Moderation; and to shew that his Inclination to make Peace, keeps Pace with the Inability of *France* to prolong the War.

“ As his Majesty entered into this War, not from Views of Ambition, so he does not wish to continue it from Motives of Repentment. The Desire of his Majesty’s Heart is, to see a Stop put to the Effusion of Christian Blood.”

What was declared, in the above Paragraph of his Majesty’s Speech from the Throne, to our own Parliament, at the Opening of this Session, has since that, been notified in Form to our Enemy. The Readiness of *England* and *Prussia* to enter into a Treaty, and to give Peace to Christendom, which Prince *Lewis* of *Wolfenbuttle* hath been authorised to communicate to the *French* Minister at the *Hague*, will, no doubt, open the Door for a Negotiation, in a Manner the most likely to be embraced by the Court of *Versailles*; whose Disgraces and Distresses, too great to be dissimulated, and too extensive to be remedied, will dispose them to listen with Attention to every Proposal of Accommodation, made to them by an Enemy whose Sword was unsheathed only to punish Perfidy; and whose Successes, as appears from their making the first Advances towards