

stored with *Hopes*, which you will find to be solidly grounded. \* ' Our *Hopes*, in the mean time, are centered in the Prince of *Orange's* getting the better of the *French* Party, and effectually rooting them out of the Army and Government; on the *Russian* Forces coming timely into our Aid; on our Naval Affairs being pursued with Spirit; and of our bringing such an Army into the Field, as may be able to face the *French*.

Here is the whole Chain of his political Strength for giving *France* the *Fall* he would persuade us to attempt; but should any of its Links give way, I apprehend it too obvious that we may receive the *Fall* instead of giving it?

It may be impracticable for the Prince of *Orange*, and perhaps not safe for him, to attempt so thorough and sudden a Change in the Army and Government, as the Author contends for, while a powerful, successful *French* Army is within the Territories, if not the Bowels, of the Republick. Here then may we be allowed to suppose that this first Link of his Chain may fail.--- Let us essay the next.

The *Russians* may be prevented by domestic or neighbouring Distractions, either real or pretended; may be impeded in their March, should they march in earnest, either  
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