

choose to adopt, for mercenary reasons; and not having the interest and the welfare of England equally at heart with that of his own private coffers, he suffered his country to be shamefully trampled on, and despoiled of her best blood and treasure. But no doubt he acted as much in compliance to party measures as in obedience to the dictates of Mammon.

Accursed opposition! Inhuman faction! thou bane of society, and sole destruction of Britain!

Whence come these inflammatory and delusive speeches, day after day, in the grand council of the nation? Whence this perpetual stating of questions, and starting the most inconsistent motions, but from opposition? Motions that are pregnant with rebellion, tumult, and disorder, motions as foreign to the business for which they claim a seat in parliament, and the welfare of the nation, as east from west. Such are our flaming patriots, that have the insolence to stile themselves the supporters of the rights of the people, whereas on the contrary they strain every