

DECLARATION.

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His Majesty's benevolent endeavours to restore to his People the Blessings of secure and honourable Peace, again repeated without success, have again demonstrated beyond the possibility of doubt, the determined and persevering hostility of the Government of France, in whose unprovoked aggression the War originated, and by whose boundless and destructive Ambition it is still prolonged. And while by the course of these transactions, continued proofs have been afforded to all his Majesty's faithful Subjects, of his anxious and unremitting solicitude for their welfare, they cannot, at the same time, have failed to recognize, in the uniform conduct of the Enemy, the spirit by which the Councils of France are still actuated, and the objects to which they are directed.