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parliament. Every one will fee, without the neceffity of a direct application, how these principles are connected with the fubject to be difcuffed. The perfons at prefent concerned in the government of Great Britain, have a delicate and momentous tafk imposed upon them. Of all their duties, that which is perhaps paramount to the reft, is to preferve the bleffings we already poffefs, from the rafhnefs of presumptuous experiment. General security is the basis of all those things which society has to give, that are worthy the acceptance of mankind. In fecurity only the cultivator plows his field, the manufacturer exercises his ingenuity, and the merchant brings home the produce of every diftant climate. Without fecurity all these would be neglected, would be done with an irrefolute and nervelefs temper, and would fall gradually into ruin. In fecurity, only science is extended, arts are cultivated, and the virtues expand themselves. Without fecurity mankind would speedily become ignorant and blood-thirfty favages. To the governors of the earth, therefore, the flender band of wife and judicious citizens would fay, " Give us fecurity, we will provide for ourfelves all other advantages." If