

than, through infidels or others, to bring the national priesthood under the people's contempt.

Finally : If another great cause of the evils which have fallen on our enemies was the tyrannical nature of their government, we should be heartily thankful, that we live under such a happy constitution, that every man can repose with safety *under his vine, and under his fig tree*. A happy and envied Constitution ! The only one on earth that has been able, in such a degree, to restrain the insolence of the Great, and the licentiousness of the Mean ;—to save the Poor from oppression, and the Rich from being plundered ; in a word, to give that complete protection to all that every man holds dear, which is the truest liberty and freedom :—Liberty to do all that is right ; freedom from all that is wrong.

This inestimable blessing we should esteem as precious as our lives ; and defend it at the peril both of life and fortune, when invaded by foreign or domestic enemies. And we should daily send up our supplications for him, who hath long approved himself the faithful guardian of so precious a trust, —our gracious King, the revered FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY : That, by Heaven's blessing on his righteous arms, we may be enabled *to lead a quiet and peaceable life ; as his piety and virtue teach us to spend it in all godliness and honesty*.

May the *King of Kings* preserve him, and *crown him with glory and great worship*.—AMEN.

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