were possible, I would cast a Veil over every Mark of past Infamy, or even Imperfection, on all Sides; were it not for fear, We might at the same time lose some of the Best Lessons and most Useful Observations for our own Conduct.

To run with Violence against Any One sort of Men now in being: To fix the Guilt of *That* upon All of one General Denomination, which All the Chief of them detested by a public Remonstrance at the Time of the Transaction: To lay *That* upon the *Generality* of a Nation, which even in the *First Zeal* against it, was declared by public † Authority to be the Work of a *Few* at that Time possess'd of Power: Or, To load with all possible Aggravations the unjustifiable Proceedings on *One* Side only, and to clear the *Other* of every thing that looks

† *Proclam.* King *Charles* II. 1660.

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