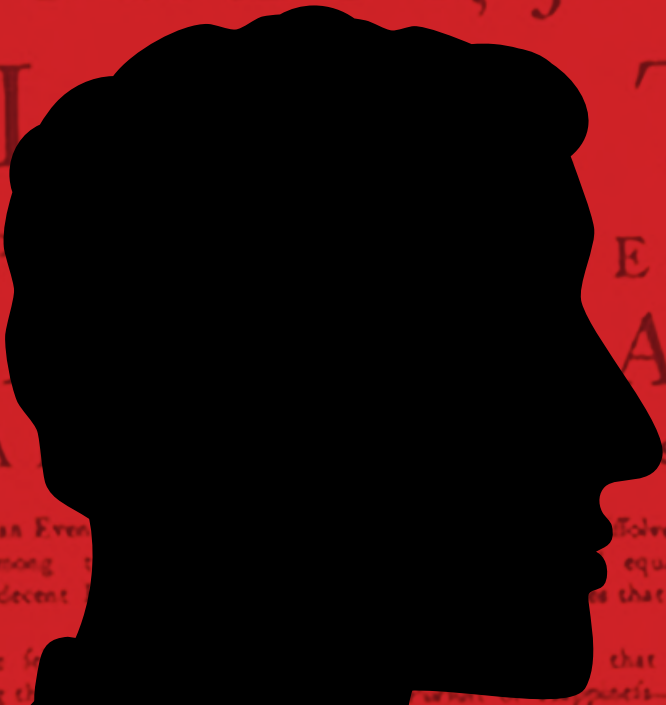


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WHEN in the Course of human Events, we have been obliged to dissolve the Political Bonds which have connected them with another, and to assume among the Powers of the Earth, the equal Station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent Respect to the Opinions of Mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the Separation.

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