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ther of this very exed my abilities, and suffice it to fay, that loyal animated fubzen; his wife a tenwriter of this letter miseries of this unt faithful affectionate benefactor!"

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Should I have the happiness to arrive fafe at Cork, I shall immediately send you intelligence, with an account of the course I intend to pursue, in order to complete my voyage. But it is most probable I shall proceed directly to Bristol, which will be less expensive than by way of Dublin; and by which means I may be enabled to pay a melancholy visit to the monument of my once much beloved Powell! I shall also have the satisfaction to renew a perfonal connexion with those valued friends. who were folemn spectators of the concluding scene of that celebrated actor's life, which fo strongly evinced the force of the ruling passion, even under the awful circumstances of death *.

Adieu. Be constantly prepared for my reception, and believe me unalterably yours.

* See Letter II.

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