

“quifitely happy in confidering you among the Number.”---To which I made Answer, *My Lord, I fhall execute the Task you have been pleafed to fet me, to the beft of my Abilities. As to any Views of Preferment, though I humbly thank your Lordship for your Kind Intentions, I have none at all ; being quite contented with my Station.* It was very vifible, that this Answer rather chagrined, than pleafed you ; and that the Peer did not expect fuch a Speech from the Priest.

Soon after this your Lordship changed Sides, and became as violently antiminifterial, as you had been minifterial before. This, of Courfe, made no alteration in *my Hopes or Fears* ; though I own, it caufed fome Variation in my Opinion concerning the political Merit of a certain great Man. ---To confirm me, that I was not miftaken, a Pamphlet appeared fome Time afterwards [faid to be written by a young fmart diffenting Minifter, who had fre-