

Thirdly, It is alledged, That *an extract of one letter only of Mr. Pitt's is published* *, dated July 28. — But what has been said above may be sufficient to show us the reason of this. It appears that the old differences with Spain, probably the subject of Mr. Pitt's former letters, were by no means the grounds of the present war, or of the rupture advised by Mr. Pitt. To publish any of these letters, therefore, would have been quite foreign to the purpose proposed, in submitting the papers relative to the rupture with Spain to the consideration of parliament.

The next observation contained in the pamphlet, is upon that passage of Lord Egremont's first letter to Lord Bristol, inserted in the papers; in which he says, *he opens his correspondence* †. ‘ But how can this be truth? (says our very critical observer in the note) when Lord Bristol writes, Nov. 16. “ The messenger Ardouin delivered to me, on the 10th instant, at the

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