Conceiving a newspaper to be the most proper channel of communication, I offered a copy of such of the letters as I had then received, to the Editor of the Morning Chronicle. But the important crisis of the time, with respect to parliamentary business and European politics, did not admit of his devoting so large a share of that excellent paper to their infertion, as the length of the letters would have required; and to have mublated them, would have been doing injustice to the Author, and leaving the information incomplete. But as several other of his letters have since come to my hands, I have determined to publish them in a book. not doubting but that the world will receive as much information and amusement from them as I myself have experienced.

It is very certain that no work of the kind has hitherto been published in this country; and when original matter is brought before the Public, surely it cannot fail to prove ac-

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