



TO THE MOST REVE-
REND FATHER IN GOD, GEORGE
BY THE DIVINE PROVIDENCE, LORD
ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY,
Primate and Metropolitane of all ENGLAND, and
one of his Maiesties most Honourable Priue
COUNCELL.



Most Reuerend, Dutie makes me bold, even at my first looking and leaping out of the dungeon of Obscuritie, which hitherto had inclosed me, to interrupt your more serious affaires, with the view of these my labours. It is not their worth, but your worthinesse that causeth this presumption. For to whom should I rather present my first-fruits, then vnto the High Priest, That hee might shake them before the Lord, to make them acceptable? Neither is any meeter to Patronise a Historie of Religion, then he, to whose Person Religion giueth, and from the same mutually receiueth, Patronage. And therefore I, the meanest of Leui's sonnes, doe here offer vnto your Grace, ASIA, AFRICA, and AMERICA, and that in their withered and fouler hue of passed