PREFACE

THE Author of "the Young Emigrants" hopes that the lessons of mental firmness, piety, and industry, which the following pages are intended to inculcate, will prove both pleasing and useful to her youthful readers.

Perhaps it may add an additional interest in the perusal of these pages, when informed that many of the scenes and events contained in them, were communicated to the writer by the members of a very amiable family, who emigrated to America in 1821.