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An Account of the feveral Books, their Contents, their Authors,

AND

Of the TIMES, PLACES, and Occasions, on which they were respectively written.

THE THIRD EDITION, CORRECTED.

LONDON,

Printed for LOCKYER DAVIS, in Holborn, Printer to the Royal Society.

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TO

THE HONOURABLE

AND

RIGHT REVEREND

SHUTE

LORD BISHOP OF LANDAFF.

My Lord,

THE favourable opinion, which your Lordship was pleased to entertain of this little Work in the first Edition, has induced me to give it a Revisal, and, by removing some inaccuracies, to render it less unworthy your acceptance.

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DEDICATION.

THAT so slight a performance should have been able to attract your notice, I must attribute to that vigilant unremitted attention, which so evidently distinguishes your Lordship's conduct; and makes you esteem no attempt undeserving your regard, which has the remotest tendency to promote the interests of religion or learning.

THAT this little manual may be of some use, especially to the Youth of both Sexes, I am encouraged to hope, from the candid reception it has met with in our Universities, where, I am told, some of the Tutors have adopted it as a proper compendium to be put into the hands of the younger Students, at their entrance on a course of sacred literature.

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rature. If it contributes in any degree to make the Holy Scriptures more attentively read and better understood, I shall esteem it a peculiar happiness, to have had this opportunity of testifying the sincere respect, with which I am,

My Lord,

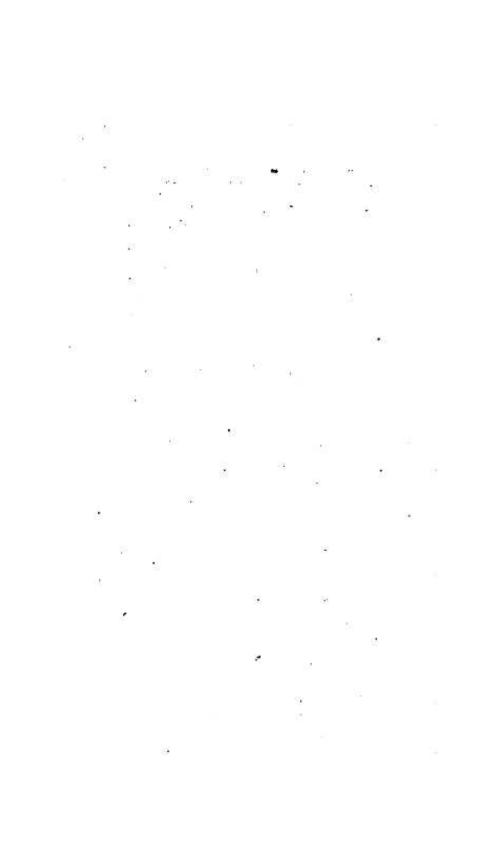
Your Lordship's

Most obliged and

Most faithful Servant,

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PREFACE.

CLEAR introductory illustration of A the several Books of the New TESTAMENT, thewing the defign of their writers, the nature of their contents, and whatever else is previously necessary to their being read with understanding, is a work, that, if well executed, must prove the best of commentaries, and frequently supersede the want of all other. Like an intelligent guide, it directs the Reader right at his first setting out, and thereby faves him the trouble of much after-inquiry: Or, like a map of a country, through which he is to travel; if consulted before-hand, it gives him a general view of his journey, and prevents