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A D V E R T I S E M E N T.

**W**ITH the consciousness of a good cause, I may safely trust to the candour of a free people, and though a foreigner, appeal to them against a native. It is true, I have no powerful friends, and whether I succeed or not in my defence, I must not hope for reward or preferment; but, as I respect the world's opinion next to my conscience, it is my sole view, by stating matters conformably to truth, to enable every man to judge of my demerits. It requires at all times an effort of the mind, to be patient in suffering, and to encounter injuries with equanimity; but not to have deserved them is some comfort.

The paths of controversy lead through a desert: they are dry, uninteresting and uninstruative. I shall therefore try to be as brief as the subject will permit, and as dispassionate as my opponent is enraged.

PERCY STREET,

February 21st, 1778.



A D V E R T I S E M E N T.

WITH the assistance of a good artist, I have just published a new edition of my book, which I have enlarged and corrected. It is now I have in several hands, and which I have not yet seen. I have not yet seen the new edition, but as I expect it will be a great improvement on the former, I have no objection to its being made public. The new edition is now in the hands of the printer, and will be ready in a few days. It is now in the hands of the printer, and will be ready in a few days. It is now in the hands of the printer, and will be ready in a few days.

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