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Having learned from my friend
 Mr Hill, who had the good fortune to pass
 an Evening in your Company in ^{the} Summer
 of 1817, that you were satisfied with
 my Translation of your Lectures on Dramatic
 Poetry, and that you would be happy
 to communicate to me several particulars
 which might be of use to the work
 in case it should go through a
 second Edition, I take the liberty of
 introducing to you my friend Mr
 Murray a Writer in the Times Newspaper
 who intends making the Tour of the
 Rhine, to whom any materials that
 you may think of advantage to me, may
 be confidentially given -- The first
 Edition is now nearly disposed of, and
 I am in hopes that a second Edition
 may soon be required -- May I be
 allowed to observe to you that your
 work has not merely given to
 the English a high idea of your