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I ADOPT a course different from that recently pursued by
several of my contemporaries; I publish my memoirs
while I am still here to answer for what I write. I am
not prompted to this by the weariness of inaction, or
by any desire to re-open a limited field for old conten-