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*A Relation of Mons. Acarete
du Biscay's Voyage up the
River de la Plata, and
from thence by Land to Pe-
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it.*

THE Inclination I always had to Travelling, made me leave my Father's House very young, but I can truly aver, that I was not so much prompted to it out of pure Curiosity to see Forreign Countries, as out of hope to acquire Knowledge and improve my Judgment, which for the future might be helpful to me, not only in my private Concerns, but likewise render me more serviceable to my King and Country, which I declare was the chief aim of my Voyages. I went first into *Spain*, where I tarried long enough to learn their Language, particularly at *Cadiz*. The
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