

Mr Alexander Wheelock Thayer had
very favorable opportunities for becoming personally
acquainted with the historical and political
condition of Prussia and Germany during the
five years immediately preceding the great
revolutionary ^{year} of 1848, and has accumulated
a mass of material on the subject, which is
of great interest, and will be new to the
American public. The events of that
time are still exerting a powerful ~~and~~
influence on the present, and the final
results are as yet by no means wrought out.
A moderately sized octavo volume, formed from
the materials already in Mr T's hands, would
not only be a work of present interest, but
would be calculated to throw light on the
future historical developments of central Europe.
I do not know of any work in our language
which occupies precisely the same ground.

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Andover, May 2. 1857.

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Autographs that may
be interesting -