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THE late Dr. DAUBENY, whose whole life was devoted to science and literature, had the happiness of enjoying the affectionate friendship of his contemporary fellow-labourers in no common degree. In the latter years of his life he formed the design of collecting and publishing some of the many effusions which from time to time had emanated from the prolific pens of his friends, and hoping thus to preserve for the world the witty and instructive thoughts of some who have passed away, and of others who have, not unworthily, taken their place. The materials of this volume were gathered, and, with the consent of the living authors, arranged for publication by Dr. Daubeny. It is hoped that by carrying out his intention, Literature and Science may be made to join hands in furnishing some amusement and some instruction. It will be observed that Dr. Daubeny has added some flowers of his own to the wreath contributed by his friends.

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