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TO
MY FRIEND
JANE M. BUCHANAN
I DEDICATE
THIS RECORD OF MY WANDERINGS
IN THE REGIONS OF
UNENDING SUMMER

LONDONDERRY
February 1897.

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