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M.R.C.S.E., &c.,

IN RECOGNITION OF FILIAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVOTEDNESS,

*This Essay is Dedicated*

BY HIS AFFECTIONATE FATHER,

THE AUTHOR.

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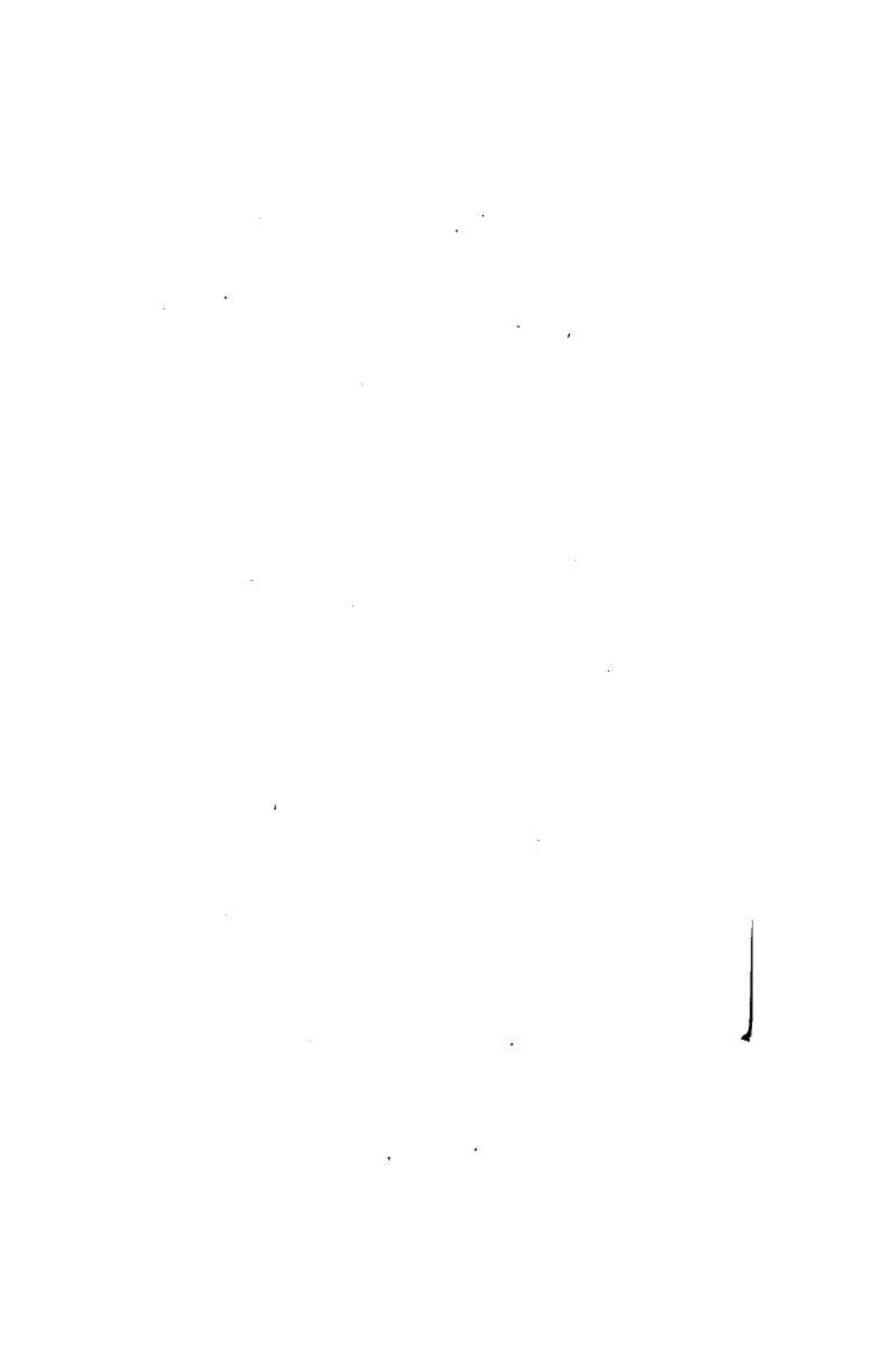
It is now many years since I published the second edition of an "Essay on the Use of Nitrate of Silver in the Treatment of Inflammation, Wounds and Ulcers." Every succeeding year has confirmed my opinion of the importance and great utility of the method therein described, and its very successful results lead me to hope that it will ultimately supersede the old modes of treatment.

In this edition the whole has been thoroughly revised and much new matter added. It contains also the substance of papers contributed to various medical journals since the second edition was issued.

Special attention has been directed to the many erroneous views and practices still prevalent as to the mode of application, &c. (see Introduction.)

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