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THIS MEMOIR
OF THEIR FELLOW-TOWNSMAN,
IS
RESPECTFULLY DEDICATED BY
THE AUTHOR.

PREFACE.

THE following pages contain the record of a life worthy of being known beyond the localities where it was spent. It was a life intimately associated with science, philanthropy, and religion. But as it was in the latter capacity that Dr. Murray was more conspicuous during the greater part of his life, the religious element will be found to predominate in the volume. The materials at our disposal were fewer than we expected. They consisted, for the most part, of brief memoranda, intended chiefly for his own private use—of two or three note books in the form of a diary—of letters to friends, and of personal reminiscences. These we have endeavoured to weave into the fabric of a memoir. There may be little skill displayed in the workmanship, but a loving hand hath guided the shuttle. It has not been our aim to magnify the virtues of the deceased.