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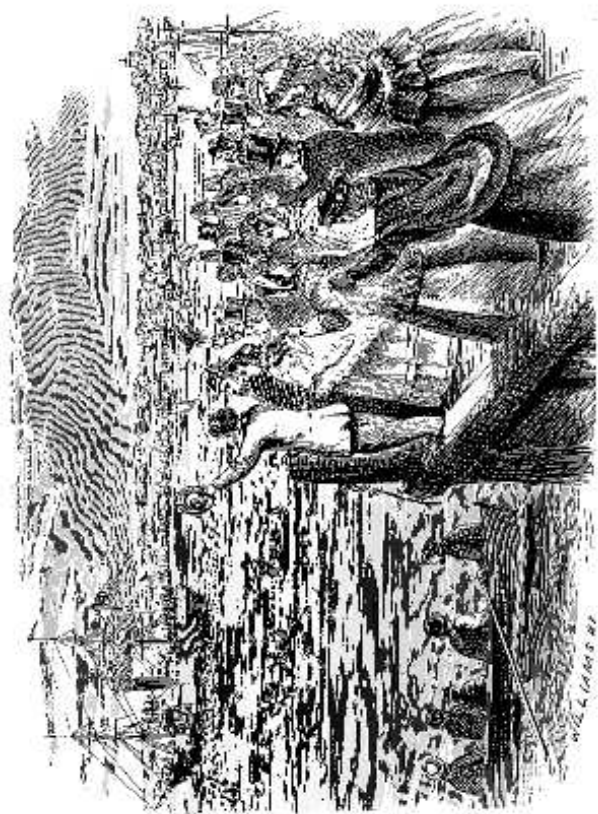
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HER MOTHER.



PREFACE.

THE following pages were originally written that friends at home might share in the pleasure enjoyed by a party visiting Europe. They were designed, also, to keep the incidents and impressions of that visit alive in the memory of one member of the party, whose young eyes for the first time looked upon the strange scenes, and the wonders of nature and art, which everywhere abound in the old world.

They are simply a jotting down of ordinary events and sight-seeings, and if the "couleur de rose" seems to pervade everything, it is because nothing occurred to mar our pleasure, and it was difficult to prevent that hue from becoming the predominant one.

To those who have been abroad, it is always pleasant to learn the experience of others, and thus recall their own enjoyment ; while for those who are anticipating a tour in foreign lands, it is hoped this book may contain some useful suggestions.

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