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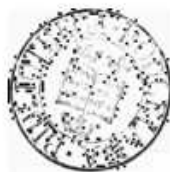
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PREFACE
TO THE SECOND EDITION.

This little book having been for several years out of print, I have been asked by many friends to publish another edition of it, and it is in deference to their wishes, rather to any desire of my own, that I have consented. During the last seven years, the subject of which it treats has become less strange, than when I first sent it out before the public. I was then, I believe, the first person who had dared to print my name in connexion with these phenomena in England, and loud and strong was the abuse with which I was assailed for simply stating what I had observed in my own household. Let it be known by all those who have put forward facts a little in advance of the time, that I have been no worse for it, and that all the outcry has only ended in largely increasing the number of observers and believers, and I was pleased to find that my example, instead of deterring others from

publishing books on the subject, was almost immediately followed by several much more important persons than I can ever hope to be. I cannot give a better proof of how little any one need care for such criticisms, than by my readiness again to incur them, having proved by experience that they have no consequences that need be feared. The whole subject, however, of spiritual laws and influences has made a vast progress since that time, and therefore there are many more now who are able to appreciate such facts as I describe, than formerly. If, as I see every cause to believe, there should during the next seven years, be as great an advance as in the last, it may have then even become respectable to accept the facts and their teachings, and but little courage will be needed to accept a commission in this new Army of Martyrs, who for a little longer have to carry on the war against the prejudices of the many. Another generation will by that time be in full activity, and a fourteen years crop of objectors will have themselves entered the great Spirit World, and to their own great wonderment, they will suddenly have become believers, by the only means which could bring conviction to them. In the meantime the young who are open to perceive truth, will have begun to enlarge their minds, and to act upon their fellows. Stones which former builders have rejected, will then acquire a value, and their true place will be found in building a new temple of the Soul.

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