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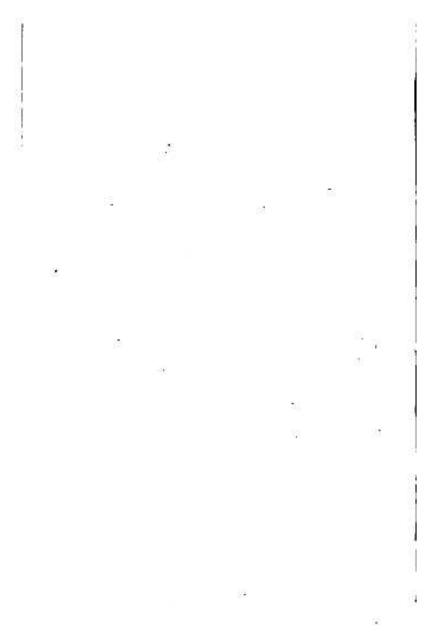
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PREFACE.

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THE Author gives this book the name of "SACRED PASTIME," because it was written to beguile the long hours of the winter nights during the present month. What to himself has been a pleasant employment, he humbly trusts, through the blessing of Him, from whom " all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed," may be productive of edification to the souls of others, and beneficial to the interest of the Canadian Church, in the welfare of which