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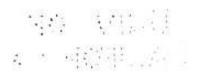
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A CRITIC BLIND TO NO LITERARY MERIT SAVE HIS OWN
THESE RECOLLECTIONS ARE DEDICATED
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PREFACE.

THE SUBSTANCE of this book has already appeared under the same title in the 'Cornhill Magazine,' but the work has been recast, and now appears, with additions, in a somewhat different, and, it is hoped, an improved form.