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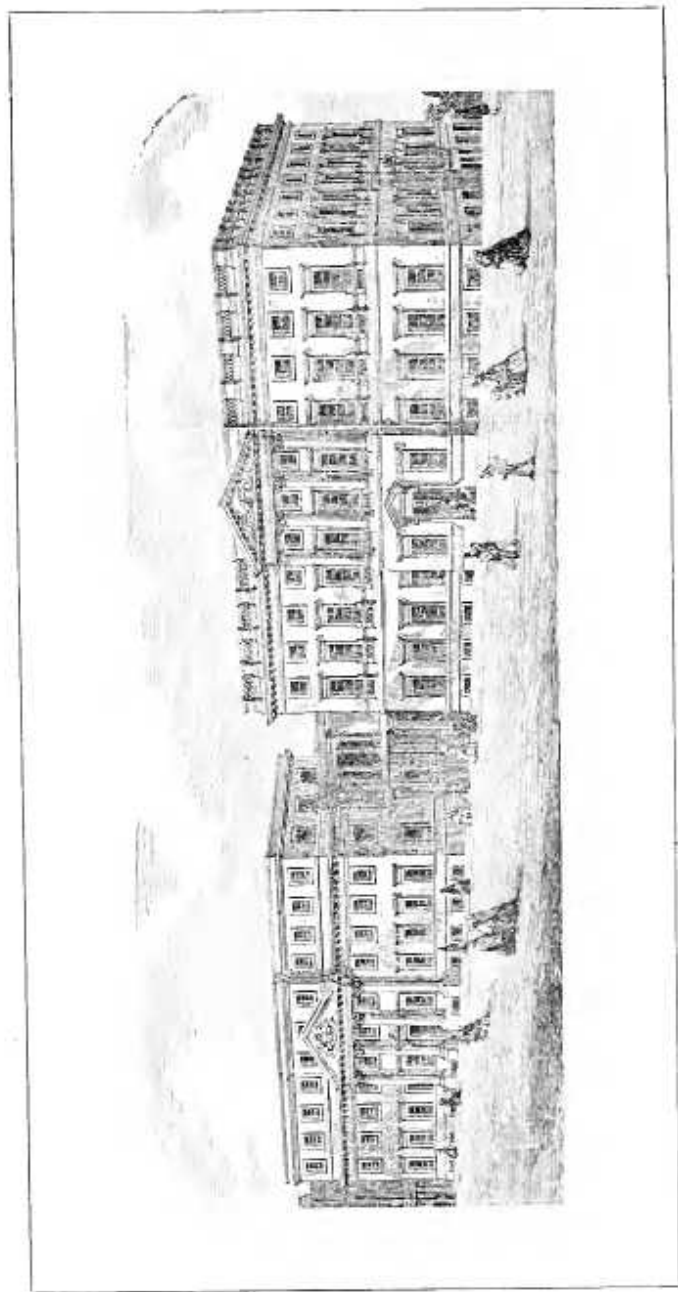
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Auxilium, presens numen, inemta salus."*

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PREFACE.

THE whole of the edition of the admirably written History of the Royal Mineral Water Hospital, Bath, by the late Dr. Randle Wilbraham Falconer, being now exhausted, the President and Governors of the Institution have kindly entrusted to me the task of writing a Continuation of his work to the present time.

In doing so, to the best of my ability, I have followed the lines laid down by Dr. Falconer, by simply adding a fourth part to the three parts which constituted his work.

I need scarcely say I have not ventured to alter a line in the composition of a man so singularly gifted in felicity of expression, and who, at the same time, was so thoroughly acquainted with the subject as was my late colleague. I have, however, for the more ready reference of readers, placed the interesting and valuable notes at the foot of each page to which they apply, instead of at the end of the book, as in the former edition.

I have much pleasure in acknowledging the valuable assistance I have received from my friend, Mr. Peach, by whom the original work was published, in the editorial arrangements of the new edition, and in kindly revising the proofs as they issued from the press.

I must also thankfully acknowledge the assistance readily and kindly afforded to me by Mr. Dingle, the very efficient and intelligent Registrar of the Hospital.

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