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THE OLD MACE.

[Frontispiece.]

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“Whereof also . . . there be Baskets made, which seeing the Britains call Bascades, I for my part that I may note so much by the way, doe not understand the Poet Martiall in that Distichon unlesse he meaneth these among the Presents and Gifts sent to and fro; Barbara de pictis veni Bascauda Britannis, Sed me jam mavult dicere Roma suam.”

CAMDEN (1610).

THE COURT OF
The Worshipful Company of Basketmakers.

1910-1911.

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THE WARDENS AND COURT OF ASSISTANTS
OF THE
Worshipful Company of Basketmakers
OF THE CITY OF LONDON,
THIS VOLUME
IS RESPECTFULLY AND GRATEFULLY
DEDICATED.

“ And bending osiers into baskets weav'd.”

DRYDEN.