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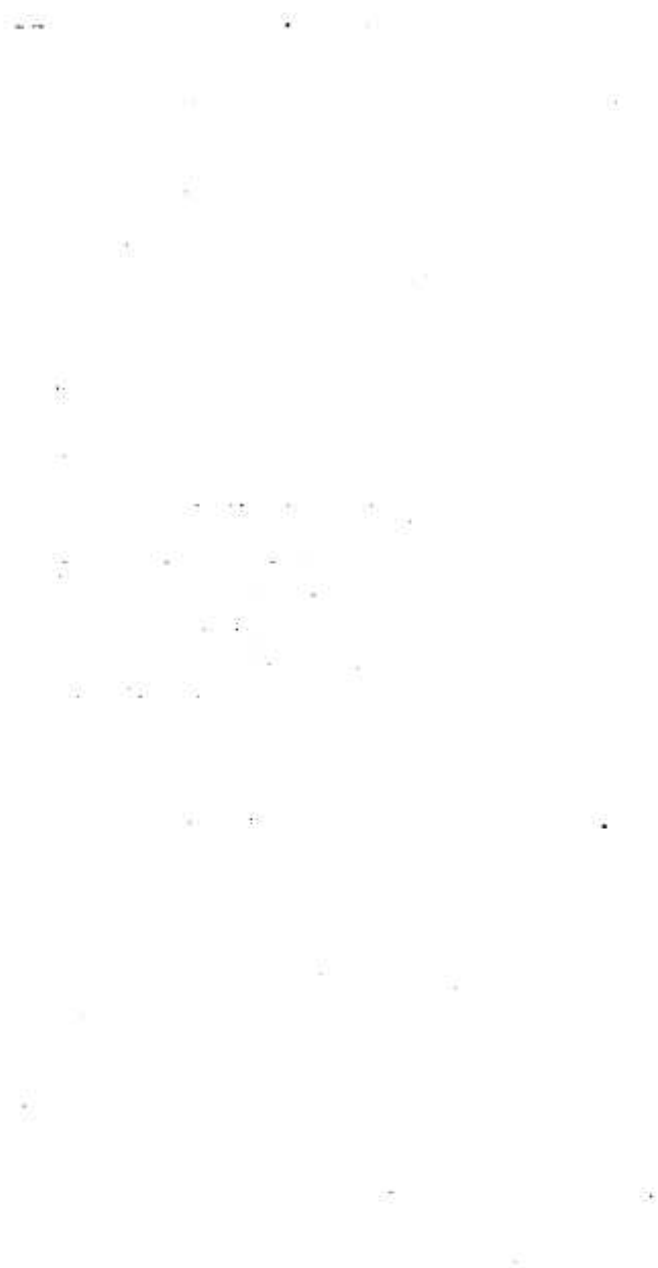
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TO MY DEAR MOTHER:

*"— amid all the things that avail not,
But pass as the foam of the sea,
Is thy love for me that shall fail not,
And my love for thee."*

EDWARD MASLIN HULME.



PREFACE.

WE remember and are interested in that which has some connection with our own precious selves, that we have seen, heard, studied, loved or hated. Let the merest acquaintance over the way go to Klondyke, and Klondyke seems to become a part of our conscious world. This is the key to most of our historical interest. Japan was once but a curiosity for the Occident; now it is a factor to reckon with, and its history becomes correspondingly interesting. So the history of our Pacific Coast has gained immensely in interest as we realize more and more that it is destined to be one of the most important centers for the life of our people. Everywhere the rising interest appears; in solid contributions like Hittell's California; in romances like Ramona, in songs like Joaquin Miller's. Not only is it felt in the strong self-consciousness of the Coast itself; the Ethnological Bureau has just published the full texts of the Coronado expedition; Dr. Elliott Coues has just edited the third of a most important series of texts for the history of the Northwest; and the rising prices of *Californiana* in New York and London are significant.

Aside from the growing personal connections which knit our history closer and closer to the consciousness of the world, it is our unique fortune on this Coast to possess a history full of novelty and romance. Our historic forbears have the glamour of the theater upon them; they are Spanish

knights and captains and friars of orders gray, adventurers to China and Japan, Canadian voyageurs, wild Cossacks of the northern seas. So it comes about that we add to the historic heritage of the staunch virtues of our Anglo-Saxon stock another treasure, rich in picturesque, cosmopolite variety.

So a book like this, which clips into the golden hoard and brings its beauty to the sight and touch of our children, deserves gratitude and attention, for it brings an endowment to their best and most enduring life. It widens their personality by a store of new experiences, it strengthens their love of home and country by a new circle of attachments, and will surround their everyday life with the finer air of poetry.

MARY SHELDON BARNES.

London, 1897.