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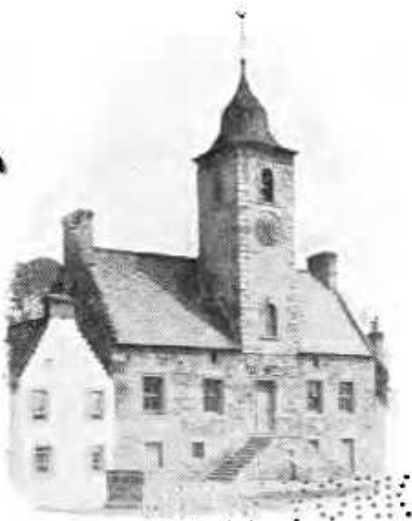
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*To Dr William Wallace,
author and journalist, who
was born at the foot of the
Castlehill, and who, in the
days of his boyhood, spent
many pleasant hours on the
West Green and the Sand-
haven of the ancient Burgh
of Culross, this little book
is respectfully dedicated.*

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❧ PREFACE. ❧

In recent years the ancient Burgh of Culross and the villages of Carnock and Saline have become extremely popular as summer resorts. In his great work, "Culross and Tulliallan," Mr David Beveridge deals exhaustively with Culross, and in his book, "Between the Ochils and the Forth," he touches on Carnock and Saline. Both works, however, because of their size, are for the library of the home rather than for the use of the sightseer, and on the occasion of a recent visit to Culross I came under promise to a native of the historic burgh to publish a work dealing with the three parishes, which might "be carried without inconvenience in the jacket pocket of the tourist." "Romantic Culross" is an attempt to redeem this promise. I have to express my indebtedness to the Earl of Elgin, Sir Arthur Halkett, Bart., of Pitfirrane, the Rev. D. M. Hampton, Culross; the Revs. Wm. Auld and Adam M'Alpine, Carnock; Mr R. Robertson, teacher, Saline; Mr Erskine Beveridge, St Leonard's Hill House, Dunfermline; Mr John Ross, Dunfermline; Mr Gray, teacher; Mr Fraser, town-clerk; and Mr Penney, merchant, Culross; and others who have assisted me to trace the connections of families who have lived within the area touched upon.

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