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TO

SIR ERASMUS WILSON,

AS A SLIGHT TRIBUTE TO HIS MAGNANIMITY IN PROMOTING
PATHOLOGICAL SCIENCE,

THIS LITTLE WORK IS RESPECTFULLY

Dedicated

BY THE AUTHOR.

PREFACE.

THE little work which I now offer to the profession had its origin in a series of papers which appeared in *The Practitioner* for the years 1879 and 1880. Since then I have carefully revised all the observations and made such alterations as bring the subject-matter up to the present day. I am well aware that many points contained within the book will excite adverse criticism on the part even of those who have made Tubercle and Phthisis subjects of special study. In working out the materials for it, however, I have gone on the principle of forming an unbiased opinion according to the facts before me, and if I have thereby rendered clearer a subject which at the present day must present a somewhat chaotic aspect to the Practitioner of Medicine or Student of Pathology I shall consider that my object has been in great part accomplished.

To Dr. T. L. Brunton, in his capacity of Editor of *The Practitioner*, I have to return my sincere thanks for his general superintendence of the articles.

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