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The following pages are a simple story of small beginnings. The book is a recital of the leading facts in a history which will be of increasing interest as Good Will grows. If while furnishing this account of the beginning of a benevolent and educational institution the little volume proves to be a testimony to the value of one of a multitude of scriptural texts, (Psalms 37:5) I shall be satisfied.

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